
SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, May 12, 2019, at 10:30AM

Pastor: Rev. Dave Poolman

Ministers: Every Member

*Gathering Song: "Awesome God" Burgundy 179
(*Please stand if you are able.)

*Call to Worship:
We've come to worship God,
who loved us before we were born,
who knows us even better than we know ourselves,
whose presence never leaves us,
and whose love for us never ceases.
This is our God.
Let's worship together!

*God Greet Us--We Greet Each Other

*Songs of Praise:
"Shout to the Lord"
"In Christ Alone"

Prayer of Confession

Lord, in you we see awesome power.
You triumph over death and bring forth new life.
You stand over all earthly powers.
You are the head of the church.
Yet, we often fail to acknowledge this power in our lives.
We see violence in the world.
We see injustice in our communities.
We see hunger and need among our neighbors.
We see longing for something more.
We see failures and faults in our lives.
In all these things, we feel powerless.
Forgive our hesitance to call upon You.
Forgive our propensity to rely upon ourselves.

Forgive our reluctance to acknowledge Your power.
Speak Your words of power again.
May Your will may be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Amen.

Time of Silent Confession

Words of Assurance
May God give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation, that the power of Jesus Christ
may be visible in your life.
By the grace of Jesus Christ we are forgiven and empowered to serve.

Song of Assurance: "Still"

Offering - General Fund

Prayer for Understanding Elder Gloria Ranney

Children's Message Heather Brindisi
(Children age 4 through completed 2nd grade dismissed to Children in Worship in Classroom A)

Scripture: Ephesians 1:15-23 Page 1664

MESSAGE: "Bad Spiritual Eyesight" John Ols

Song of Response: "Be Thou My Vision" Burgundy 562

Praying Together

*God's Blessing of Grace and Peace

*Parting Song: "Holy Holy Holy" Burgundy 3

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If you need prayer for yourself or someone you love, please come to the front of the church after the service. There will be Elders or others gifted in prayer to pray with you.

"Shout to the Lord"

My Jesus, my Savior,
Lord, there is none like You;
All of my days I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love.

My comfort, my shelter,
Tower of refuge and strength;
Let every breath, all that I am
Never cease to worship You.

Shout to the Lord all the earth, let us sing;
Power and majesty, praise to the King.
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name.

I sing for joy at the work of Your hands.
Forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand.
Nothing compares to
the promise I have in You.

"In Christ Alone"

1. In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my all in all
here in the love of Christ I stand.

3. There in the ground His body lay,
light of the world by darkness slain:
then bursting forth in glorious day
up from the grave He rose again!
and as He stands in victory
sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
for I am His and He is mine –
bought with the precious blood of Christ.

2. In Christ alone! – Who took on flesh,
fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
scorned by the ones He came to save:
till on that cross as Jesus died;
the wrath of God was satisfied
for every sin on Him was laid:
here in the death of Christ I live.

4. No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no human plan,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

"Still"

Verse 1
Hide me now
Under Your wings.
Cover me
Within Your mighty hand.

Verse 2
Find rest, my soul
In Christ alone.
Know His power
In quietness and trust.

Chorus

When the oceans rise and thunders roar,
I will soar with You above the storm.
Father, You are King over the flood.
I will be still and know you are God.