

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

April 18, 2021 | **Sanctuary Service**

# Order of Worship

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## Prelude

“I Know That My Redeemer Liveth” from *Messiah*  
G.F. Handel, arr. Sue Mitchell-Wallace and John Head

I know that my Redeemer liveth,  
and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth.  
And though worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God.  
For now is Christ risen from the dead, the first-fruits of them that sleep.

## Welcome and announcements

Brian Salter, lead pastor

## Introit

“Shout the Glad Tidings”

Ensemble

Shout the glad tidings, O sing to the Lord;  
for he hath done marvelous, marvelous things.  
Mighty are his works, wonderful his deeds;  
his love and pow’r are sure, forever are sure.  
The Lord is King, the King of all;  
the Lord is King, the King of all; he rules in might.  
O sing for joy: his pow’r and love forever are sure.

Trumpets sound forth; sound forth his praise,  
for our vict’ry is won.  
Sing, O Israel, sing. The Lord is faithful; let all give praise.  
The roar of the sea, all creatures therein,  
sound forth, sound forth your joy, your joy sound forth.  
God is the Lord, King over all.  
See his marvelous works; see his wonderful deeds.  
His pow’r and love forever are sure.

*text based on Psalm 98, adapted by Hal Hopson; music by George F. Handel, 1685-1759, arr. Hal Hopson, 1981*

## \* Call to worship

based on Psalm 57:9-11

Leader: We will praise you, O Lord, among the nations; we will sing of you  
among the peoples.

All: For great is your love, reaching to the heavens; your faithfulness  
reaches to the skies. Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; let your  
glory be over all the earth.

\* Hymn of praise

"Lift High the Cross"

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro-claim, till all the world

a- dore\_\_\_\_\_ his sa- cred name.

- 1.Come, breth- ren, fol - low where our Sav - ior
- 2.Led on their way by this tri - um-phant
- 3.O Lord, once lift - ed on the glo-rious
- 4.Thy king- dom come, that earth's de-spair may
- 5.For thy blest cross which doth for us a -

trod, our King vic - to - rious, Christ, the Son of God.  
sign, the hosts of God in con-qu'ring ranks com - bine.  
tree, as thou hast prom - ised, draw men un - to thee.  
cease be - neath the shad - ow of its heal - ing peace.  
tone, cre - a - tion's\_ prais - es rise be - fore thy throne.

text by George W. Kitchin (1887), rev. by Michael R. Newbolt (1916); music by Sydney H. Nicholson, 1916, CRUCIFER

\* **Prayer of adoration**

**Missionary report**

**Call to confession**

based on Matthew 22:35-40

An expert in the law tested Jesus with this question: “Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?” Jesus replied: “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”

**Silent prayers of confession**

**Choral prayer**

“Merciful Father”

Ensemble

Merciful Father, O Lord hear us,  
hear our prayer, hear our prayer. Amen.  
*arr. from Beethoven*

**Assurance of God’s pardoning grace**

Leader: How are we forgiven and declared righteous in God’s sight?

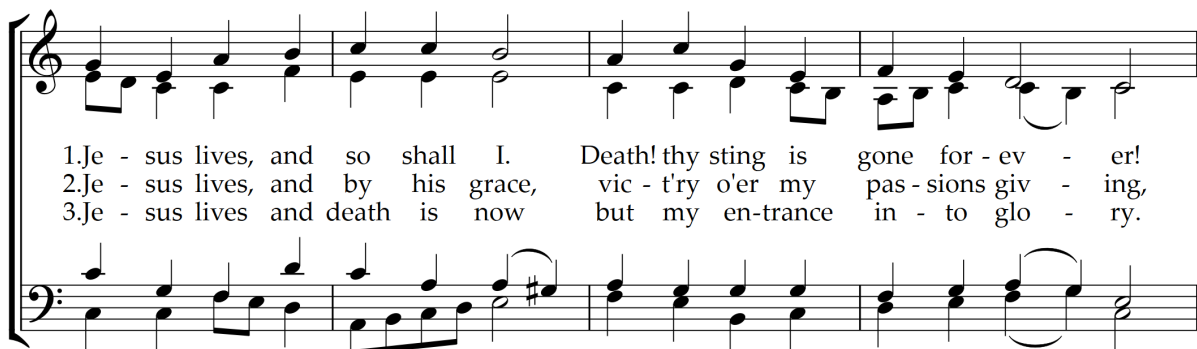
**All: We are forgiven and declared righteous in God’s sight as an act of God’s free grace in which he pardons all our sins and accepts us as righteous in his sight. He does so only because he counts the righteousness of Christ as ours. All of this is received by faith alone in Christ alone.**

*adapted from the Westminster Shorter Catechism, question 33*

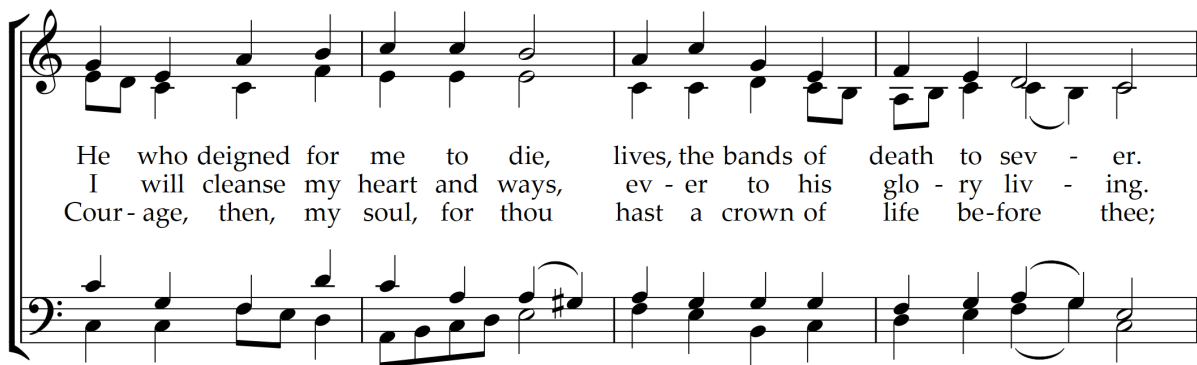
\* **Hymn of assurance**

“Jesus Lives, and So Shall I”  
*(continue scrolling for words and music)*

"Jesus Lives, and So Shall I"



1. Je - sus lives, and so shall I.      Death! thy sting is gone for - ev - er!  
2. Je - sus lives, and by his grace,      vic - t'ry o'er my pas - sions giv - ing,  
3. Je - sus lives and death is now      but my en-trance in - to glo - ry.



He who deigned for me to die,      lives, the bands of death to sev - er.  
I will cleanse my heart and ways,      ev - er to his glo - ry liv - ing.  
Cour - age, then, my soul, for thou      hast a crown of life be - fore thee;



He shall raise me from the dust:      Je - sus is my hope and trust.  
Me he rais - es from the dust:      Je - sus is my hope and trust.  
thou shalt find thy hopes were      just:      Je - sus is the Chris - tian's trust.

\* **Scripture reading from Matthew 6:9-13**

Brian Salter

<sup>9</sup>“This, then, is how you should pray: ‘Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, <sup>10</sup>your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. <sup>11</sup>Give us today our daily bread. <sup>12</sup>Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. <sup>13</sup>And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.’”

This is the Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

\* **Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.**

**Prayer of preparation for the study of God’s Word**

**Sermon**

“Kingdom Prayer”

Dr. Lloyd Kim, Coordinator of Mission to the World

Battle prayers for kingdom advance and defense

Focus on the last three petitions:

1. Give us this day our daily bread.
  - Paralyzing worry and fears
  - God’s provision
2. Forgive our debts as we forgive our debtors.
  - Kingdom destroying conflict
  - God’s grace enables a forgiving spirit
3. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.
  - Temptations and demonic attacks
  - God’s protection
4. Jesus at the center of this kingdom prayer

Mission implications

## Pastoral prayer

### \* Hymn of response

“O Church, Arise”

1. O church, arise, and put your armor on; hear the call of Christ our captor;  
2. Our call to war, to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor;  
3. Come see the cross, where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God is stricken;  
4. So Spirit come, put strength in every stride, give grace for every hurt.

tain. For now the weak can say that they are strong in the  
tor; and with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will  
en; then see his foes lie crushed beneath his feet, for the  
dle, that we may run with faith to win the prize of a  
strength that God has given. With shield of faith and belt of  
fight with faith and valor. When faced with trials on every  
conqueror has risen! And as the stone is rolled away, servant  
good and faithful. As saints of old still line the  
truth, we'll stand against the devil's lies; an army bold, whose battle  
side, we know the outcome is secure, and Christ will have the prize for  
way and Christ emerges from the grave, this victory march continues  
way, retelling triumphs of his grace, we hear their calls and hunger  
cry is love, reaching out to those in darkness,  
which he died, an inheritance of nations,  
'til the day every eye and heart shall see him.  
for the day when with Christ we stand in glory.

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### \* Benediction

### \* Congregational response

“Threefold Amen”

### \* Postlude

“Thine Be the Glory” from *Judas Maccabeus*  
G.F. Handel, arr. Sue Mitchell-Wallace and John Head

\* Congregation standing as you are able

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**Musicians for this week:**

**Tommy Bulman** – trumpet  
Ensemble

**Joy Gibbons** – director  
**Joshua Knight** – organ

**MEET OUR GUESTS FOR OUR WORLD MISSIONS CONFERENCE 2021**

We welcome Dr. Lloyd Kim, Coordinator of Mission to the World, as our keynote speaker. Dr. Kim was elected coordinator of Mission to the World (MTW) by the 2015 General Assembly. A native of California, he graduated from UC Berkeley with a degree in engineering and worked as a consultant with Ernst & Young before getting his M.Div. at Westminster Seminary in California and his doctorate in New Testament Studies at Fuller Theological Seminary. He was associate pastor with New Life Mission Church (PCA) in Fullerton, Calif., before joining MTW. Lloyd and his wife Eda served as missionaries with MTW beginning in 2004 in the Philippines and then in Cambodia, where they initiated a new church-planting work which grew to a team of 20 working in multiple sites. Eda worked part-time as a physician at a Christian clinic in Phnom Penh, which treated patients connected to their church-planting work. She also mentored medical students and home schooled their children. Lloyd served as MTW's international director of the Asia-Pacific region before his nomination as MTW coordinator in July of 2014. The Kims have three children: Kaelyn, Christian, and Katy. They reside in Lilburn, Georgia.



**We also welcome supported missionary partners:**

Craig and Patsy

Neal and Debbie

Christine

Tim and Annette

Paul and Elizabeth

**The rosebud in the fellowship hall** is for the birth of Webb Thomas Johnson, born to Fiona and Patrick Johnson on April 2.



## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**JOIN US FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT TAKEOUT** this Wednesday, April 21. Registration is now open via Realm. The cost is \$5 per meal and pick-up will be from 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. under the porte-cochere. You may pay by cash, check, or Venmo (@LktMtnPC) when you pick up your meal. If you have problems registering, please contact the church office.

**MEN OF LMPC: JOIN US THIS SATURDAY, APRIL 24** from 8:30 to 9:45 a.m. as we fellowship, share breakfast together, and hear a word of encouragement from Benjie Slaton, pastor of Grace & Peace in Ooltewah. This event will be held on the JHYB lawn, so bring an outdoor chair. Feel free to invite a friend, co-worker, or neighbor to come along as well! Registration is open via Realm.

**A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING TO ELECT NEW ELDERS AND DEACONS** has been called by the Session, to take place in each worship service next Sunday, April 25. We will have more information about the nominees available online and in print this week.

**WOMEN OF LMPC: YOU ARE INVITED TO GATHER** together for a day of outdoor recreation and fellowship on Saturday, May 1. We will offer groups for hiking, walking, and coffee at both 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. You may register via Realm for your preferred activity and time slot. Please join us!

**OUR LONG OVERDUE MEN'S STEAK NIGHT** will take place on Thursday, May 13. After a long and challenging year, we need this opportunity to be with other guys to enjoy fellowship and eat meat. We will gather in groups of 10 and you are welcome to invite your friends. Please send an email by Wednesday, May 6 to [mountainmen@lmpc.org](mailto:mountainmen@lmpc.org) to RSVP and to tell us who is coming with you. If you would like to be a host, please email us at [mountainmen@lmpc.org](mailto:mountainmen@lmpc.org).

**HONEST CONVERSATIONS ABOUT RACISM AND THE CHURCH ON WNOO RADIO, 107.3 FM, 1260 AM, OR WNOORADIO.COM:** Every week in April and extending into May on Thursdays from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m., join Brian Salter and Alfred Johnson, pastor of Church of the First Born, for open and frank conversations about racism and the church. They will be joined each week in April by an older white guest and in May by an older Black guest. The guests will be sharing about their past experiences and offering their own perspectives. Anyone listening will be able to join the conversation by phoning in. Church of the First Born is one of LMPC's ministry partners, and LMPC participation in this interactive radio show is warmly encouraged.

*To find out more about happenings at LMPC, visit [lmpc.org/news](http://lmpc.org/news)*