

Morning Worship Service

April 19, 2020 11:00 A. M.

Pastor John Johnson

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for Worship

As you prepare to worship God today, consider that “As for God, His way is perfect; The word of the LORD is proven; He is a shield to all who trust in Him. For who is God, except the LORD? And who is a rock, except our God? God is my strength and power, And He makes my way perfect. He makes my feet like the feet of deer, And sets me on my high places.” (2 Samuel 22:31-34)

God Calls Us To Worship

Salutation

*Call To Worship Psalm 145: 8-21 (Pew Bible p. 524)

*Hymn: 2, “O Worship the King” (Psalm 145)

*Prayer of Adoration

*Confession of Faith: *The Apostles’ Creed* (Hymnal p. 845)

*Praise of God’s Glory: 731, “Doxology”

We Confess Our Sins

Prayer of Confession

Almighty and most merciful Father; we have erred, and strayed from your ways like erring sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; according to your promises declared unto us in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake; that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.”

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 103:8-12 (Pew Bible p. 502)

God Speaks To Us Through His Word

*Hymn: 128 “God Moves in a Mysterious Way”

Prayer of Intercession

*Scripture Reading: Colossians 1:15-23 (Pew Bible p. 983)

*Response to God’s Word: 734, “Gloria Patri”

Message: “The Preeminence of Christ” David Bonner

*Hymn: 164 “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

We Receive God’s Blessing

*Benediction

*Closing: 302 “Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

**Congregation please stand*

Sermon Notes



Welcome To Worship

We welcome all who are here today to worship God with us today. In our changing world, there is one thing you can absolutely depend on, and that is God’s eternal, and unchanging Word. Commit yourself to that sure Word today.