PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Order of Worship

MAY 1, 2022

WELCOME

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP*

Matthew 11.28-29

Minister: Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

All: Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND ADORATION*

HYMN*

Crown Him with Many Crowns | No. 295

DIADEMATA

Stanzas 1, 2, and 4

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne; Hark! How the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own: Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee, And hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side, Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified: No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight, But downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time; Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime: All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou has died for me: Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

CONFESSION OF FAITH

from Genesis 49.8-10

Minister: How do we see the Kingship of Christ foretold in the Old Testament?

All: "Judah, your brothers will praise you; your hand will be on the neck of your enemies; your father's sons will bow down to you. You are a lion's cub, O Judah; you return from the prey, my son. Like a lion he crouches and lies down, like a lioness--who dares to rouse him? The scepter will not depart from Judah, nor the ruler's staff from between his feet, until he comes to whom it belongs and the obedience of the nations is his.

SONG OF PRAISE

The King in All His Beauty

PAPA/BOSWELL

O lift your eyes to heaven, see the Holy One eternal. Behold the Lord of majesty, exalted in His temple. As symphonies of angels' praise now strain to sound His glory. Come worship, fall before His grace, the King in all His beauty.

Refrain: How worthy, how worthy, how worthy, the King in all His beauty.

Now see the King who wears a crown, one made of shame and splinters. The sacrifice for ruined man, the substitute for sinners. As earth is stained with royal blood, and quakes with love and fury. He breathes His last and bows His head, the King in all His beauty. *Refrain*

Now see the Savior lifted up, the Lamb who reigns in splendor. The hope of every tribe and tongue, His kingdom is forever. Bring praise and honor to His courts. Bring wisdom, power, blessing. For endless ages we'll adore the King in all His beauty. *Refrain*

Repeat Refrain

PUBLIC CONFESSION OF SIN

adapted from Prone to Wander: Prayers of Confession and Celebration

Minister: Let us confess our sins before our righteous and holy God.

All: Heavenly Father, we confess with our lips the blessedness of taking refuge in you, but our lives proclaim a different story. We sing the wonders of your love, but often we chafe under your rule. We declare that we long for your coming, but in truth we are more interested in the gifts that you give us than we are in you. Father, forgive us. We thank you for the one who is worthy of the worship and obedience of all peoples, Christ Jesus, King of the nations. Holy Spirit, more and more, enable us to bow before our great King and give Him the glory that He deserves. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 3:22 and the Heidelberg Catechism Q. 21

Righteousness from God comes through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe. Out of sheer grace earned for us by Christ, we have had our sins forgiven, have been made forever right with God, and have been granted salvation.

RECOGNITION AND COMMISSION OF GRADUATING SENIORS

Mack Duvall Christopher Hardin Caroline Koons Weston McCabe Michael Rainer

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

Children's Time

After the intercessory prayer, children in kindergarten through 3rd grade and their teachers may exit the sanctuary through the north doors of the sanctuary. Teachers will return with the children after the sermon. Parents may meet them by the north entrance, or children may join their parents at their seats.

- ¹ When Samuel became old, he made his sons judges over Israel. ² The name of his firstborn son was Joel, and the name of his second, Abijah; they were judges in Beersheba. ³ Yet his sons did not walk in his ways but turned aside after gain. They took bribes and perverted justice.
- ⁴ Then all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah ⁵ and said to him, "Behold, you are old and your sons do not walk in your ways. Now appoint for us a king to judge us like all the nations." ⁶ But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, "Give us a king to judge us." And Samuel prayed to the LORD. ⁷ And the LORD said to Samuel, "Obey the voice of the people in all that they say to you, for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them.
 ⁸ According to all the deeds that they have done, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt even to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so they are also doing to you. ⁹ Now then, obey their voice; only you shall solemnly warn them and show them the ways of the king who shall reign over them."

SERMON Jealous For You Rev. David Rea

HYMN OF RESPONSE

I Will Glory in My Redeemer

COOK

Stanzas 1-3

I will glory in my Redeemer whose priceless blood has ransomed me. Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails and hung Him on that judgment tree. I will glory in my Redeemer, who crushed the pow'r of sin and death; My only Savior before the Holy Judge, the Lamb who is my righteousness, The Lamb who is my righteousness.

I will glory in my Redeemer. My life He bought, my love He owns. I have no longings for another; I'm satisfied in Him alone. I will glory in my Redeemer, His faithfulness, my standing place, Though foes are mighty and rush upon me, my feet are firm, held by His grace; My feet are firm, held by His grace.

I will glory in my Redeemer who carries me on eagle's wings. He crowns my life with loving kindness, His triumph song I'll ever sing. I will glory in my Redeemer, who waits for me at gates of gold And when He calls me it will be paradise, His face forever to behold; His face forever to behold.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S TABLE

All those who trust in Christ alone for their salvation, are baptized, and belong to a Bible believing church are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper together, feeding on the grace of God by faith. If you have not put your trust in Christ, please allow the elements to pass you by and take this opportunity to meditate on the meaning of the Gospel.

Please hold the bread, and we will partake together. Please drink the cup as you receive it.

A word to parents: Baptized children are invited to the table after they have made a profession of faith and been received as communing members by the Session of the church to which their parents belong.

Before the Throne of God

BANCROFT COOK

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea. A great high Priest whose Name is Love who ever lives and pleads for me. My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart. I know that while in heaven He stands, no tongue can bid me thence depart, No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair and tells me of the guilt within, Upward I look and see Him there who made an end to all my sin. Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free. For God the just is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me, To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, my perfect spotless righteousness, The great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace, One with Himself I cannot die. My soul is purchased with His blood, My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God, With Christ my Savior and my God!

During the cup

Instrumental

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

CLOSING HYMN*

Lift High the Cross | No. 263 Stanzas 1, 3, and 5

CRUCIFER

Chorus: Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, Till all the world adore his sacred name.

Come, brethren, follow where our Savior trod, Our King victorious, Christ, the Son of God.

Chorus

O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree, As thou hast promised, draw men unto thee.

Chorus

For thy blest cross which doth for us atone, Creation's praises rise before thy throne.

Chorus

BENEDICTION*

Minister: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be with you from this time forth and forevermore.

1 Samuel 8.10-22

¹⁰ So Samuel told all the words of the LORD to the people who were asking for a king from him. ¹¹ He said, "These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen and to run before his chariots. ¹² And he will appoint for himself commanders of thousands and commanders of fifties, and some to plow his ground and to reap his harvest, and to make his implements of war and the equipment of his chariots. ¹³ He will take your daughters to be perfumers and cooks and bakers. ¹⁴ He will take the best of your fields and vineyards and olive orchards and give them to his servants. ¹⁵ He will take the tenth of your grain and of your vineyards and give it to his officers and to his servants. ¹⁶ He will take your male servants and female servants and the best of your young men and your donkeys, and put them to his work. ¹⁷ He will take the tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves. ¹⁸ And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves, but the LORD will not answer you in that day."

¹⁹ But the people refused to obey the voice of Samuel. And they said, "No! But there shall be a king over us, ²⁰ that we also may be like all the nations, and that our king may judge us and go out before us and fight our battles." ²¹ And when Samuel had heard all the words of the people, he repeated them in the ears of the LORD. ²² And the LORD said to Samuel, "Obey their voice and make them a king." Samuel then said to the men of Israel, "Go every man to his city."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PPC Spring Picnic

Please plan to join us on Sunday, May 15 immediately following worship for a church-wide spring picnic! Lunch will be provided by The Hamburger Man and Steel City Pops. This will be a fun opportunity to enjoy good food and great fellowship with all of our church family. We will have limited seating available inside the church for our members who will be more comfortable eating at tables. We invite everyone to bring picnic blankets and lawn chairs to enjoy eating outside around the playground area. We are looking forward to this fun time together!

VBS Registration

Providence is partnering with Park Cities Presbyterian Church and Mercy Presbyterian Church for Vacation Bible School. VBS will take place at PCPC from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Tuesday, June 7 through Friday, June 10. Children (age 5 by September 1st through rising 4th graders) and volunteers (adult and youth) are invited to participate. There is also a nursery and pre-school program for volunteers' children. Registration for children/youth of non-volunteering adults opened on April 20. To register, go to: https://pcpc.org/events/detail/30415/vbs-2022-wild-kingdom/. Please contact Kristi Breed at childrensministry@providencedallas.com if you have any questions.

Nursing & Comforting Rooms for Families during Worship Hour

Providence has both a nursing room and a comforting room for families. These rooms are fully equipped with a streaming television and volume control that allows for the service to be seen and heard perfectly, and they can accommodate toddlers and other children who might be struggling to stay quiet in the service. The nursing room, around the corner from the children's desk, has a changing station and privacy blinds. Room #136 is close to the sanctuary and is in the same hallway as the church offices. We encourage families to make use of these rooms as they are intended to be a help to all church attendees in allowing the Word of the Lord to be clearly heard and reflected upon during worship.

PPC Week at a Glance - Week of May 1, 2022

Sunday, May 1, 9 a.m. - Sunday School Sunday School classes for all ages

Sunday, May 1, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

High School Boys Bible Study

Led by Nate Libby (nate .libby@providencedallas.com)

<u>Tuesday, May 3, 7 - 8:15 p.m.</u> Young Adults Men's Study Led by Chris Bennett (chris.bennett@providencedallas.com)

Wednesday, May 4, 12 to 1 p.m.
Men's Bible Study - The Exodus
Led by Nate Libby (nate.libby@providencedallas.com)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Sunday School Classes this Summer

Providence will be taking a break from our Sunday school classes (children and adult) again this summer. Our last Sunday school class for this spring will be next Sunday, May 8. Classes will resume in September. We want to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation for all of our Sunday school teachers. Thank you for your loving service to our church!

Young Adults Gathering Event

All young adults are invited to join us for a RoughRiders baseball game on Thursday, May 5. The game starts at 6:35 p.m., and we will meet up around 6 p.m. to carpool to the game. To RSVP or for more details, please contact Chris Bennett at chris.bennett@providencedallas.com.

WOW (Women of Wisdom) Dinner

Please join us for dinner on Thursday, May 12 at 6 p.m. at Howard Wang's China Grill at 4343 Northwest Highway. RSVP to Margie McCabe at 469.964.8512 by May 9. All ladies 60ish and up are invited to attend.

New Members Class

If you are interested in joining Providence or just learning more about PPC, then please save the date for our next new members class. We will meet on Sunday morning, May 15, 8-10 a.m. before worship. For more information and to sign up, email Allyson Crow at office@providencedallas.com.

PPC Women's Summer Dinner - Save the Date!

Please join us on Wednesday, June 1, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. at the home of Kristi Breed for a taco truck dinner and fellowship. More details to come!

Way Back Wednesdays - Summer Evening Studies

Please join us this summer on Wednesday nights for a snack dinner and Bible study. The dates will be June 22, June 29, July 13 and July 20. We will have a Bible study on the book of Jonah for adult men and women, as well as Bible studies for our youth students and upper elementary students (3rd - 5th grades). More details to come!

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