

The Order for the Worship of God

March 13, 2022
11:00 a.m.

“To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.” (Revelation 1:5b-6)

Welcome and Announcements (**Please turn your cell phone to “silent” mode. Thank you!**)

Prelude Judy Bailey

Call to Worship from Psalm 32

PASTOR: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit. Many are the sorrows of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the LORD.

ALL: Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice O righteous, and shout for joy all you upright in heart!

*Hymn #141 *God, in the Gospel of His Son (stanzas 1,2, 4 and5)* words printed on back

*Congregational Prayer to be prayed in unison by all

Out God and Father, we rejoice today that the perfect obedience of Jesus has been credited to our account, that you do not see us in our sin, but clothed in the brilliant robes of Christ’s righteousness. We come boldly into your holy presence in the name of Jesus as adopted sons and daughters who have been warmly welcomed into your forever family by grace through faith in your one and only Son, who loved and gave himself for us. May our songs rise before your exalted throne as true offerings of praise; hear our prayers, and send your Spirit to continue his sanctifying work and produce in us the true obedience of faith. Amen.

*Songbook #35 *My Heart Is Filled* words printed on back

Morning Prayers for Christ’s Church and the World

Scripture Lesson Mark 12:28-34

Sermon Series on Mark #40 Rev. Dr. H. Andrew Silman

Congregational Prayer of Confession (to be followed by silent prayers of personal confession)

Heavenly Father, it is easy to pretend to be what I am not. It is easy for me to say, “I am a Christian” and yet have a cold heart toward you, be indifferent toward spiritual things of eternal importance. I am so easily self-deceived. I compare myself with others whose moral standards are lax by comparison, so that I can feel good about myself and thereby assure myself that I am in good standing with you. By your Spirit reveal to me whether I am trusting in myself, my good works, my church attendance and activities, confusing what I do with genuine faith in what Jesus has done for me. Father, I don’t want to be like the one to whom Jesus said: “You are not far from the kingdom of God.” I want to be fully assured that by grace through faith I am part of your kingdom now and forever. Amen.

*Hymn #530 *Lord, I Want to be a Christian* words printed on back

Postlude Judy Bailey

*Congregation Stands. (Please feel free to be seated at any time.)

WELCOME TO ALL who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whoever will come this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES MEET AT 9:45 a.m. Adults meet in the Fellowship Hall and children in the west hallway of the worship building,

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP: GAMES, PIZZA, AND DEVOTIONAL - Tonight @ 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Jorge Fogaca de Carvalho will be leading the Bible study.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY meets this week in the Fellowship Hall at 10 a.m. and afterwards a light lunch will be served. Cost: \$5. The study will cover chapter 10 in the Mark Study Guide by Dane Ortlund. You can download it online from The Gospel Coalition.

WORSHIP SONG “Is He Worthy?” by Chris Tomlin. You are encouraged to listen to it on YouTube and familiarize yourself with it so that we can sing it as a congregation in a worship service. <https://www.youtube.com>.

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GOD, IN THE GOSPEL OF HIS SON

God, in the gospel of his Son, makes his eternal counsels known; where love in all its glory shines, and truth is drawn in fairest lines.

Here sinners of a humble frame may taste his grace, and learn his name; may read, in characters of blood, the wisdom, pow'r, and grace of God.

Here faith reveals to mortal eyes a brighter world beyond the skies; here shines the light which guides our way from earth to realms of endless day.

O grant us grace, almighty Lord, to read and mark your holy Word, its truths with meekness to receive, and by its holy precepts live.

MY HEAR IS FILLED WITH THANKFULNESS

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who bore my pain; who plumbed the depth of my disgrace and gave me life again; who crushed my curse of sinfulness and clothed me with His light and wrote His law of righteousness with pow'r upon my heart.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who walks beside; who floods my weaknesses with strength and causes fears to fly. Whose ev'ry promise is enough for ev'ry step I take. Sustaining me with arms of love and crowning me with grace.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who reigns above; whose wisdom is my perfect peace, whose ev'ry thought is love. For ev'ry day I have on earth is given by the King. So, I will give my life, my all, to love and follow Him.

LORD, I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart, in my heart. Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart. In my heart, in my heart, Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart.

Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart, in my heart. Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart. In my heart, in my heart. Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart.

Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart, in my heart. Lord, I want to be more holy, in my heart. In my heart, in my heart, Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart.

Lord, I want to be like Jesus, in my heart, in my heart. Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart. In my heart, in my heart. Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.

*...built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets,
Christ Jesus Himself being the chief cornerstone. Ephesians 2:20*



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OUR VISION

Cornerstone Presbyterian Church is a vibrant and unified community of Christians and their covenant children whose sole desire is to glorify God in everything. Because God's grace has won our affections we are wholeheartedly committed to the following: the absolute authority of the Bible because it is the very Word of God; enthusiastic and biblical worship; deeds of mercy and sacrificial service; earnest prayer; deepening relationships with one another; and joyful, intentional proclamation of salvation by grace through faith in Jesus Christ to all the world beginning in Brevard. We warmly welcome as members all who trust in Jesus Christ alone for salvation and fully share our vision.

OUR MISSION

The mission of Cornerstone Presbyterian Church is to glorify the triune God by exalting Him and by edifying and equipping our members to share the gospel with everyone in both word and deed beginning in Brevard and to the ends of the earth.