

## *The Order for the Worship of God*

June 11, 2023

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 Tim Browning

Call to Worship Psalm 100

PASTOR: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the LORD, he is GOD!

**ALL: It is he who made us and we are his, we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.**

PASTOR: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!

**ALL: For the LORD is good, his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.**

\*Hymn #1 *All People That on Earth Do Dwell* words printed on back

\*Congregational Prayer to be prayed in unison by all

**Heavenly Father, we lift up our hearts and voices to praise you, the God who made us, in whom we live, move, and have our being, the one to whom we belong in this life and the life to come. We confess that we are sheep; stubborn and often wayward – but we rejoice that we are your sheep; that you take care of us in every way. You, O God, are good; your mercy forever sure; your truth firmly and forever established. Accept our worship and by your living, abiding Word show us our sins and then the open, welcoming arms of our Savior, Jesus. Amen.**

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

Morning Prayers for Christ’s Church and the World

Scripture Lesson Galatians 1:1-9

Sermon Series on Galatians #2 Rev. Dr. H. Andrew Silman

### Silent reflection and prayer

“Lord, I am Your servant, born of Your own handmaid. You have broken the chains that bound me; I will sacrifice in Your honour. Let me praise You in my heart, let me praise You with my tongue. Let this be the cry of my whole being: Lord, there is none like You. Let them say this and, in answer, I beg You to whisper in my heart, ‘I am here to save you.’ Who am I? What kind of man am I? What evil have I not done? Or if there is evil that I have not done, what evil is there that I have not spoken? If there is any that I have not spoken, what evil is there that I have not willed to do?”

But You, O Lord, are good. You are merciful. You saw how deep I was sunk in death, and it was Your power that drained dry the well of corruption in the depths of my heart. And all that You asked of me was to deny my own will and accept yours. But, during all those years, where was my free will? What was the hidden, secret place from which it was summoned in a moment, so that I might bend my neck to Your easy yoke and take Your light burden on my shoulders, Christ Jesus, my Helper and my Redeemer?

How sweet all at once it was for me to be rid of those fruitless joys which I had once feared to lose and was now glad to reject! You drove them from me, You, who are the true, the sovereign joy. You drove them from me and took their place, You, who are sweeter than all pleasure, though not to flesh and blood, You who outshine all light yet are hidden deeper than any secret in our hearts, You who surpass all honour though not in the eyes of men who see all honour in themselves. At last, my mind was free from the gnawing anxieties of ambition and gain, from wallowing in filth and scratching the itching sore of lust. I began to talk to You freely, O Lord my God, my Light, my Wealth, and my Salvation.”

Augustine of Hippo, *Confessions*, trans. R.S. Pine-Coffin (New York: Penguin, 1961), 181. (9.1.1.)

\*Hymn # 455 *And Can It Be That I Should Gain* words printed on back  
(stanzas 1, 3, and 5)

Postlude Tim Browning

### Benediction

\*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 wing of the worship building.

**YOUTH FELLOWSHIP FOR TEENS** meets today at 5:30 p.m.

**THE MEN’S MONTHLY LUNCHEON IS THIS WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14 at Noon. Please sign up today.**

### **CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION**

Church Office: (828) 884-3305 Pastor’s Mobile: (828) 226-2800  
**E-mail:** [cornerstonep@comporium.net](mailto:cornerstonep@comporium.net) **Web Page:** [www.cornerstonepcabrevard.com](http://www.cornerstonepcabrevard.com)  
**FaceBook:** CORNERSTONE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - PCA  
**Prayer Requests** may be sent to: [cornerstonenews@comporium.net](mailto:cornerstonenews@comporium.net)

## ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL

All people that on earth do dwell, sing to the Lord with cheerful voice, him serve with fear, his praise forthtell, come ye before him and rejoice.

The Lord ye know is God indeed; without our aid he did us make; we are his folk, he doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.

O enter then his gates with praise, approach with joy his courts unto, praise, laud, and bless his name always, for it is seemly so to do.

For why? The Lord our God is good, his mercy is forever sure, his word at all times firmly stood, and shall from age to age endure.

## MY HEART IS FILLED

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who bore my pain; who plumbed the depths 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.

## AND CAN IT BE THAT I SHOULD GAIN

And can it be that I should gain an int'rest in the Savior's blood? Died he for me, who caused his pain? For me, who him to death pursued? Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me!

**REFRAIN:** Amazing love! How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

He left his Father's throne above, so free, so infinite his grace! Humbled himself, so great his love! and bled for all his chosen race, Tis mercy all, immense and free; for, O my God, it found out me.  
**REFRAIN**

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in him, is mine! Alive in him, my living Head, and clothed in righteousness divine, bold I approach th'eternal throne, and claim the crown, through Christ my own. **REFRAIN**

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



## °CORNERSTONE°

° PRESBYTERIAN ° CHURCH ° IN ° AMERICA °  
645 BERT LANE ROAD BREVARD, NC 28712

### 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.