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ORDER OF WORSHIP

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inviting everyone to See, Savor, and Serve Jesus as the Author & Perfecter of our faith.*

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CALL TO WORSHIP

REV. TYLER DIRKS

SONG OF PRAISE

HEAR THE CALL OF THE KINGDOM
K. Getty

Hear the call of the Kingdom, / Lift your eyes to the King
Let His song rise within you, / As a fragrant offering
Of how God rich in mercy, / Came in Christ to redeem
All who trust in His unfailing grace

Hear the call of the Kingdom, / To be children of light
With the mercy of heaven, / The humility of Christ
Walking justly before Him, / Loving all that is right
That the life of Christ may shine through us

chorus

*King of Heaven / we will answer the call
We will follow / bringing hope to the world
Filled with passion / filled with power to proclaim
Salvation in Jesus' name*

Hear the call of the Kingdom, / To reach out to the lost
With the Father's compassion, / In the wonder of the cross
Bringing peace and forgiveness, / And a hope yet to come
Let the nations put their trust in Him

CONFESSION OF SIN

JUSTIN CLARK

God, You warn us that idolizing money will stifle our joy and hinder us from heaven, but we persist in our addiction to money. You graciously tell us that money is for making friends and shrewdly participating in Your schemes of lavish mercy, but we regularly opt to waste our shrewdness and money on fleeting experiences of self-indulgence. Have mercy on us according to Your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 JOHN 1:8-9

J.H. GUNN TUTORING - This school year many families will be struggling with virtual learning from home and teachers will have a lot on their plate to answer all questions. Since we have a great relationship with JH Gunn, ECPC would like to offer tutoring nights, starting Tuesday, September 8th from 4-6 pm, at our 10101 outdoor shelter where students can come to receive one-on-one instruction. Rachel Vaughn and Peggy Michalenko will be promoting this at JH Gunn as a resource for students. How can you be involved? We will need: (1) Tutors. All tutors will be background checked unless you have a form on file through ECPC Children's Ministry. Volunteers will also be asked to attend a brief training before tutoring. (2) Bottles of hand sanitizer and bug spray. Masks will be provided. (3) Volunteer to create simple paperwork documents (sign-in sheets, registration forms, sign-up genius, etc.). (4) Language interpretation assistance at least one of the two nights. (5) Tech-savvy folks available to help students who have computer questions. (6) Prayer that the Lord would bring those who need help and be glorified through the Body working together and supporting one another. Please contact Holly Blackman (803-269-4428, hollydblackman@gmail.com) for more information or any questions.

- UPCOMING EVENTS -

- AUG 5** YOUTH GROUP
- AUG 7** MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- AUG 14** MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- AUG 19** WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- AUG 19** YOUTH GROUP
- AUG 21** MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- AUG 28** MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- AUG 30** JONATHAN MCCLURE ORDINATION SERVICE
- SEPT 2** YOUTH GROUP
- SEPT 16** YOUTH GROUP

SONG OF RESPONSE

In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid ground, Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace, When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All, Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness, Scorned by the ones He came to save
'Til on that cross as Jesus died, The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid, Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day, Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory, Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine, Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death, This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man, Can ever pluck me from His hand
'Til He returns or calls me home, Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

BENEDICTION

IN CHRIST ALONE

K. Getty, S. Townsend

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SONG OF THANKSGIVING

And I hear the Savior say
Thy strength indeed is small
Child of weakness watch and pray
Find in Me thine all in all

chorus

*'Cause Jesus paid it all
All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow*

Lord now indeed I find
Thy pow'r and Thine alone
Can change the leper's spots
And melt the heart of stone

And when before the throne
I stand in Him complete
Jesus died my soul to save
My lips shall still repeat

bridge

O praise the One who paid my debt
And raised this life up from the dead (x2)

JESUS PAID IT ALL

A. Nifong | E.M. Hall | J.T. Grape

SONG OF PREPARATION

He is jealous for me
Love's like a hurricane, I am a tree
Bending beneath the weight of his wind and mercy.
When all of a sudden, I am unaware of these afflictions eclipsed by glory,
And I realize just how beautiful You are,
And how great Your affections are for me.

Oh, how he loves us so, Oh, how he loves us,
How he loves us so.

chorus

*He loves us, Oh how he loves us,
Oh how he loves us, Oh how he loves.*

So we are his portion and he is our prize,
Drawn to redemption by the grace in his eyes,
And If grace is an ocean we're all sinking.
So heaven meets earth like an unforeseen kiss,
And my heart turns violently inside of my chest.
I don't have time to maintain these regrets when I think about the way

THE 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.

PASTORAL PRAYER

HOW HE LOVES
D. Crowder, D.M. McMillan

JUSTIN CLARK



PREACHING OF THE WORD

REV. TYLER DIRKS

“How To Use Money”

LUKE 16:1-17

I. FRIENDSHIP

II. FIGHTS GREED

III. FORCE FULFILLMENT

- REFLECTION QUESTIONS -

- 1) What are 3 ways you are enjoying USING money to make and feed friendships?
- 2) Have you ever been shrewd about something?
- 3) What Kingdom of God expansion schemes are you currently cooking up?
- 4) How are you currently getting extremely aggressive and violent in your fight against greediness? How can you experience joy and delight in this fight?