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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JULY 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2021



BECOMING CHILDLIKE

**#Mk1015**

*East Charlotte Pres is a church that strives to be defined by the Gospel-  
inviting everyone to See, Savor, and Serve Jesus as the Author & Perfecter of our faith.*

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## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

RACHEL VAUGHN

## CALL TO WORSHIP

MR. ALBERTO PAREDES

## SONG OF PRAISE

JESUS WHAT A FRIEND FOR SINNERS

*J. W. Chapman | R.H. Prichard*

Jesus! What a friend for sinners, Jesus, lover of my soul  
Friends may fail me, foes assail me, He, my Savior, makes me whole

### chorus

*Hallelujah! What a Savior!  
Hallelujah! What a friend! Saving, helping, keeping, loving  
He is with me to the end*

Jesus! What a strength in weakness, let me hide myself in him  
Tempted, tried, and sometimes failing, He, my strength, my vict'ry wins

Jesus what a guide and keeper, while the tempest still is high  
Storms about me, night o'er takes me, He my pilot, hears my cry

Jesus! I do now receive, him, more than all in him I find  
He hath granted me forgiveness, I am his, and he is mine

MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS

*E. Mote | W.B. Bradbury*

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly lean on Jesus' name

### chorus

*On Christ the solid rock I stand  
All other ground is sinking sand ; All other ground is sinking sand*

When darkness veils His lovely face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
In every high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil

His oath, His covenant, His blood  
Support me in the whelming flood  
When all around my soul gives way  
He then is all my hope and stay

When he shall come with trumpet sound  
O may I then in Him be found  
Dressed in His righteousness alone  
Faultless to stand before the throne

## - ANNOUNCEMENTS -

**CHARLOTTE EAGLES BLOCK PARTY**- Charlotte Eagles Summer Block Parties are back...and the ECPC Raising Adults are hosting! We would love to encourage & invite everyone to worship, eat, play soccer, and meet your neighbors in East Charlotte! This Wednesday, July 21st from 6-8pm we will be providing tacos, watermelon, water, and juice and we need your help to contribute. The party will be held at the Forest Hills Apartment complex. For more information about The Eagles Block Parties and to sign up to contribute, please see the Weekly Update email. If you have any questions, please see Stephanie Baker (stephrbaker92@gmail.com).

**TAVERN TALK**- What makes reading the Bible a challenge, and why do people have more difficulties with the Old Testament than the New? With "show no mercy," OT patriarchy, dry genealogies, and fiery prophet tirades, how do we come to love the OT the way Jesus and David did? Come talk it out at 7pm on Friday, July 30th at 10101. Free Korean Street BBQ dinner compliments of Yandle culinary. We hope to see you there!

**THE CREW** - Mark your calendars for our upcoming Crew events: Hang out night on July 24th at 7:30pm at the Wagner house (4230 Abbeydale Dr.) and the next Summer Stories Night on Aug 1st (please note the date change) at 6 pm at the Baker House (8810 Brass Bell Ct.). If you are a young adult and would like more information about Crew social events and discussion nights, please reach out to Stephen Reaves (704-773-2006) or Bailey Wagner (336-906-5289) to be added to the email list.

## - UPCOMING EVENTS -

<b>JULY 21</b>	CHARLOTTE EAGLES BLOCK PARTY
<b>JULY 21</b>	WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
<b>JULY 21</b>	YOUTH GROUP
<b>JULY 23</b>	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
<b>JULY 24</b>	CREW HANG OUT
<b>JULY 25</b>	SUNDAY WORSHIP
<b>JULY 25</b>	CHURCH LUNCH
<b>JULY 25</b>	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
<b>JULY 30</b>	TAVERN TALK

WHILE NURSERY FOR CHILDREN WALKING THROUGH AGE 4 IS NOW AVAILABLE, WE HAVE ALSO MADE A SPACE IN THE MODULE WITH COUCHES AND A LIVESTREAM OF THE SERVICE. PLEASE USE THIS SPACE AS NEEDED. A DIAPER CHANGING CART IS AVAILABLE IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.

## SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

### SONG OF RESPONSE

What love could remember no wrongs we have done  
Omniscient, all knowing, he counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

#### chorus

*Praise the Lord  
His mercy is more  
Stronger than darkness, new every morn  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more*

What patience would wait as we constantly roam  
What father, so tender, is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What riches of kindness he lavished on us  
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

### BENEDICTION

REV. JOSÉ PORTILLO

HIS MERCY IS MORE  
*M. Boswell | M. Papa*

REV. JOSÉ PORTILLO

## MISSIONS MOMENT

### CONFESSION OF SIN

Holy Father, forgive us. Though you should guide us, we inform ourselves. Though you should rule us, we control ourselves. Though you should fulfill us, we console ourselves. For we think your truth too high, your will too hard, your power too remote, your love too free. But they are not! And without them, we are of all people most miserable. Heal our confused mind with your word, heal our divided will with your law, heal our troubled conscience with your love, heal our anxious hearts with your presence, all for the sake of your Son, who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

### SONG OF THANKSGIVING

When I fear my faith will fail  
Christ will hold me fast;  
When the tempter would prevail  
He will hold me fast.  
I could never keep my hold  
Through life's fearful path;  
For my love is often cold  
He must hold me fast.

#### chorus

*He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;  
For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast.*

Those He saves are His delight  
Christ will hold me fast;  
Precious in His holy sight  
He will hold me fast.  
He'll not let my soul be lost  
His promises shall last;  
Bought by Him at such a cost  
He will hold me fast.

For my life He bled and died  
Christ will hold me fast;  
Justice has been satisfied  
He will hold me fast.  
Raised with Him to endless life  
He will hold me fast  
'Till our faith is turned to sight  
When He comes at last!

JAKE & MELISSA HUNT

MIKE SCHNEE

ISAIAH 55:6-9

HE WILL HOLD ME FAST  
*A. R. Habershon, M. Merker*

