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ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2022

*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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- ANNOUNCEMENTS -

CALL TO WORSHIP

MR. BAILEY WAGNER

SONGS OF PRAISE

AND CAN IT BE

*C. Wesley, T. Campbell*

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?  
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'Tis mystery all! The Immortal dies! / Who can explore His strange design?  
In vain the firstborn seraph tries / To sound the depths of love Divine!  
'Tis mercy all! let earth adore, / Let angel minds inquire no more.  
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He left His Father's throne above, / So free, so infinite His grace;  
Emptied Himself of all but love, / And bled for Adam's helpless race:  
'Tis mercy all, immense and free; / For, O my God, it found out me.  
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Long my imprisoned spirit lay / Fast bound in sin and nature's night;  
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray, / I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;  
My chains fell off, my heart was free, / I rose, went forth, and followed Thee.  
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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 the eternal throne, / And claim the crown, through Christ my own.  
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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

SUNDAY SCHOOL IS RESTARTING! - Mark your calendars and plan to join us after the worship service on February 13th from 11:15am-noon for Sunday School. Adults and Rising Adults will gather in the Sanctuary and will kick off with a study of Ephesians. Classes will be available for PreK/Kindergarten (ages 4-5), Younger Elementary (1st & 2nd grade), and Middle Elementary (3rd - 5th grade). The Nursery will remain open for infants - 3 year olds. If you are interested in caring for young ones in the Nursery, reach out to Kristen Parman ([parman.kristen@gmail.com](mailto:parman.kristen@gmail.com)). Contact Justin Clark ([clarkniner@gmail.com](mailto:clarkniner@gmail.com)) with questions about Adult Sunday School.

ROOTS CLASS - If you have been visiting with us and are interested in membership or would simply like more information about our church, please make plans to join us for our next Roots Class on February 4th from 6-9 pm at the Henderson home (5427 Gristmill Lane Mint Hill, NC). If you would like to attend, please email Katie ([admin@eastcharlottepres.org](mailto:admin@eastcharlottepres.org)) to RSVP.

WOMEN'S WINTER SEMINAR - Women of ECPC are invited to our Women's Winter Seminar on Saturday, February 5th from 9:30a-12p, in the Fellowship Hall. This will be a time of fellowship, discussion and teaching on the subject of Sabbath Rest and how we can make that a practical practice for our souls in the midst of our day to day lives. Please RSVP by TODAY to Stephanie Baker ([stephrbaker92@gmail.com](mailto:stephrbaker92@gmail.com) or 937-581-1322).

ECPC WEEKLY UPDATE - If you are visiting with us and would like to be added to the Weekly Update email and men's or women's google groups, please email Katie ([admin@eastcharlottepres.org](mailto:admin@eastcharlottepres.org)). This is a great way to stay up to date on events, announcements, and ways to get involved!

- UPCOMING EVENTS -

- FEB 2** WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY/YOUTH GROUP
- FEB 4** MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- FEB 4** ROOTS CLASS
- FEB 5** WOMEN'S WINTER SEMINAR
- FEB 6** SUNDAY WORSHIP

WHILE NURSERY FOR CHILDREN INFANT THROUGH AGE 3 IS AVAILABLE, WE HAVE ALSO MADE A SPACE IN THE MODULE WITH COUCHES FOR NURSING MOMS. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO USE THIS SPACE AS NEEDED.

## SONG OF RESPONSE

## COME BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY

M. Boswell, M. Papa, M. Bleecker

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry in the dawning of the King  
He the theme of heaven's praises, robed in frail humanity  
In our longing in our darkness now the light of life has come  
Look to Christ who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, He the perfect Son of Man  
In His living in His suffering, never trace nor stain of sin  
See the true and better Adam come to save the hell-bound man  
Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry, Christ the Lord upon the tree  
In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory  
See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold  
Bringing many sons to glory, grace unmeasured, love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain Him, praise the Lord He is alive!  
What a foretaste of deliv'rance, how unwavering our hope  
Christ in power resurrected as will we be when He comes  
Come behold the wondrous myst'ry slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain Him, praise the Lord He is alive!

## BENEDICTION

MR. BAILEY WAGNER

## CONFESSION OF SIN

ADAPTED FROM "THE VALLEY OF VISION"

It is a good day to me when thou givest me a glimpse of myself; Sin is my greatest evil, but thou art my greatest good; I have cause to loathe myself, and not to seek self-honour, for no one desires to commend his own dunghill. My country, family, church fare worse because of my sins, for sinners bring judgment in thinking sins are small, or that God is not angry with them. Show me how to know when a thing is evil which I think is right and good, how to know when what is lawful comes from an evil principle, such as desire for reputation or wealth by usury. Give me grace to recall my needs, my lack of knowing thy will in Scripture, of wisdom to guide others, of daily repentance, want of which keeps thee at bay, of the spirit of prayer, having words without love, of zeal for thy glory, seeking my own ends, of joy in thee and thy will, of love to others.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

ISAIAH 45:21B-22

## SONG OF THANKSGIVING

HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US

*S. Townend*

How deep the Father's love for us  
How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son  
To make a wretch His treasure  
How great the pain of searing loss  
The Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the chosen One  
Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross  
My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice  
Call out among the scoffers  
It was my sin that held Him there  
Until it was accomplished  
His dying breath has brought me life  
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything  
No gifts, no pow'r's, no wisdom  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ  
His death and resurrection  
Why should I gain from His reward?  
I cannot give an answer  
But this I know with all my heart  
His wounds have paid my ransom

IF YOU ARE VISITING WITH US THIS MORNING, WE ARE SO HAPPY THAT YOU ARE HERE AND WOULD LOVE TO GET TO KNOW YOU BETTER! PLEASE CONSIDER FILLING OUT A VISITOR'S CARD FOUND ON THE TABLE IN THE VESTIBULE AND PLACE IT IN THE OFFERING PLATE OR GIVE TO TYLER OR ONE OF OUR OTHER OFFICERS. THANK YOU!

