

Ken Mawr United Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 9, 2020
The Worship Service

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Preparation for Worship

Matthew 11:28-30

Welcome

So very glad that you have joined us online to worship our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Whether you are a first time visitor to our YouTube channel or a regular worshiper, we warmly welcome you on this Lord's Day and we invite you to participate in the life of Ken Mawr Church through its ministry, mission, fellowship and worship.

-Pastor Karl

Call to Worship

Prayer of Adoration

GIVE PRAISE AND THANKS TO GOD

Hymn of Praise

"I Will Call upon the Lord"

I will call upon the Lord...*I will call upon the Lord*
Who is worthy to be praised...*Who is worthy to be praised*
So shall I be saved from my enemies...*So shall I be saved from my enemies*
I will call upon the Lord.

Repeat

The Lord liveth and blessed be the Rock,
And let the God of my salvation be exalted.
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Repeat

Prayer of Confession

Grant us, O Lord, the humility to admit the countless ways in which we have fallen short of your glory. Forgive our blatant sinfulness and give us your grace always to do that which accords with your purpose. Enable us, who cannot exist without you, to live according to your will. We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Assurance of God's Forgiveness

Congregational Response

Glory be to God, Creator, glory be to God, the Son, glory be to God the Spirit, known as Three, yet God the One. As it was in the beginning, it is now and so shall be in a world without an ending, glory through eternity.

Time with the Children (Kids spell Love T-I-M-E)

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

...Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Prayer Response

*Lead us Lord, lead us in your righteousness;
Make your way plain for us to see. (Repeat)*

Dedication of Offerings

GOD'S WORD READ AND PROCLAIMED

Scripture

Romans 10:5-15

5 Moses writes this about the righteousness that is by the law: "The person who does these things will live by them." 6 But the righteousness that is by faith says: "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?' " (that is, to bring Christ down) 7 "or 'Who will descend into the deep?' " (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). 8 But what does it say? "The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart," that is, the message concerning faith that we proclaim: 9 If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. 11 As Scripture says, "Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame." 12 For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, 13 for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." 14 How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? 15 And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" (NIV)

Sermon

"What We Take for Granted"

AN AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – The Larger Catechism of the Westminster Confession

Christ humbled himself in his death, in that having been betrayed by Judas, forsaken by his disciples, scorned and rejected by the world, condemned by Pilate, and tormented by his persecutors; having also conflicted with the terrors of death and the powers of darkness, felt and borne the weight of God's wrath, he laid down his life an offering for sin, enduring the painful, shameful, and cursed death of the cross.

Christ was exalted in his resurrection, having vanquished death and him that had the power of death, and to be Lord of the quick and the dead, to assure us of our resurrection from the dead at the last day.

GO IN GOD'S NAME

Hymn

"When Peace Like a River"

When peace like a river attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll,
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, "It is well, it is well, with my soul."

It is well (It is well)

With my soul (With my soul)

It is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, let this blest assurance control:
That Christ has regarded my helpless estate, and hath shed his own blood for my soul.

It is well (It is well)

With my soul (With my soul)

It is well, it is well with my soul.

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought, my sin—not in part but the whole,
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more, praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul.

It is well (It is well)

With my soul (With my soul)

It is well, it is well with my soul.

And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll,
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend: Even so—it is well with my soul.

It is well (It is well)

With my soul (With my soul)

It is well, it is well with my soul.

Benediction

Thank you for worshiping with us!

*If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart
that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. (Romans 10:9)*

*Let us hold tightly without wavering to the hope we affirm, for God can be
trusted to keep his promise. (Hebrews 10:23, NLT)*