## WORSHIPING THE GOD OF GRACE

January 20, 2019 - 10:30 AM

Please silence all communication devices. Hearing Assistance Devices and Large Print Bibles are available; please ask an Usher.
Children's Bulletins and "Quiet Bags" are available at the Welcome Table.

#### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP Come, Thou Almighty King

Arr. by Tedd Smith

Please take this time to quietly meditate on the following Scripture passage as you prepare your heart to worship the Lord.

I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

Philippians 1:3-6 (ESV)

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

From the Te Deum (Latin for "You are God")

As God's Word calls us to worship, let's shout these words to one another recognizing that our worship is a response to God's gracious call.

Leader: We praise You, O God, we acknowledge You to be the Lord.

**People:** All the earth does worship You, the Father everlasting.

Leader: To You all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the powers therein; to You Cherubim and

Seraphim continually cry, "Holy, holy, Lord God Sabaoth: Heaven and earth are full

of the majesty of Your glory."

People: The glorious company of the Apostles praises You. The fellowship of the Prophets

praises You! The noble army of Martyrs praises You. The holy Church throughout

all the world does acknowledge You, the Father of an infinite Majesty; Your

adorable, true and only Son; also the Holy Spirit, the Comforter.

Leader: You are the King of Glory, O Christ; You are the everlasting Son of the Father. When You

took upon Yourself to deliver man, You did humble Yourself to be born of a virgin. When You had overcome the sharpness of death, You did open the kingdom of heaven to all

believers.

People: You sit at the right hand of God in the glory of the Father. We believe that You shall

come to be our Judge. We therefore pray You help Your servants whom You have redeemed with Your precious blood. Make them to be numbered with Your saints in

glory everlasting.

Leader: O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your heritage. Govern them, and lift them up forever.

ALL: Day by day we magnify You, and we worship Your Name forever, world without end.

\*HYMN OF PRAISE #2 (stanza 1-2, 5-6) O Worship The King

\*PRAYER OF ADORATION

\*WORSHIP IN SONG You Are God Alone

Holy Uncreated One

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

After the public confession below, you are encouraged to confess your sins silently to God.

O Lord, You alone know how often we have offended You and hurt the lives of others. Forgive us, O Lord, for every unkind thought, every untrue word, every wrong act. Forgive us, for we have been selfish, and have not thought of the needs of others. Forgive us for our ingratitude, our neglect of prayer, our carelessness in the use of money, our forgetfulness of our sacred vows, the turning of our eyes away from the issues of the life of the unborn, and our neglect of those who are suffering the effects of old age. O God, have mercy upon us. Create in us clean hearts, and renew a right spirit within us.

<sup>\*</sup>For those who are able, please stand.

#### COMFORT AND ASSURANCE OF THE GOSPEL

**Romans 8:1-2 (ESV)** 

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.

#### \*GREETING OF PEACE

1 Corinthians 7:15 (ESV)

Please take this opportunity to greet those around you, offering them the right hand of fellowship and the peace which is only found in Christ.

God has called you to peace.

MISSIONS UPDATE Karen Ludwig, Director, My Life Medical & Resource Center, High Ridge, MO

#### **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

[Pray] at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication.

To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints.

Ephesians 6:18 (ESV)

### WORSHIPING THE LORD WITH HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Please take a moment to sign our "Fellowship Pad" and pass it along to those worshiping with you. Thank you! The offering is a vital part of our response to God and God's Word. It helps us connect our adoration for God with our life of discipleship.

Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. And thereby put me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a blessing until there is not more need.

Malachi 3:10 (ESV)

**OFFERTORY** 

O Lord, You Know Me Completely

by Hal H. Hopson

The reading and preaching of God's Word stands at the center of worship and constitutes one of the privileged moments of worship. The power of God's Word comes not from the ink and paper of our printed Bibles or from the creative rhetoric of a preacher but from the work of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit has inspired Scripture and now works in the community of faith to use the proclamation of the Word to comfort, challenge, correct, inspire, and deepen the faith and life of God's people.

\*SCRIPTURE READING (page 627 in pew Bible)

Jeremiah 1:1-10

**SERMON** 

"God's Calling On The Unborn"

Rev. David Stain

Pastor, Spring Hills Presbyterian Church

\*CLOSING HYMN #571 (stanzas 1-2, 4) Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus

\*BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** 

The Son of God Goes Forth to War

Arr by Tedd Smith

# Spring Hills Presbyterian Church is committed to glorifying God through:

CHANGED HEARTS through the transforming power of the Gospel of Grace,
CHANGED LIVES through Biblical preaching, teaching, fellowship and discipleship, and a
CHANGED COMMUNITY, where the community is so transformed by the power of the Gospel
that it becomes predominately Christian and committed to the worship and service of our Triune God.

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