

Grace changes everything



10:45AM

JUNE 23, 2019

We exist to glorify and enjoy God by making disciples who make a difference through grace-filled worship, community, and missions.

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# Welcome

We are so glad you are here!

#### A NOTE FROM OUR PASTORS

We're all at different stages in our relationships with God. He may be the priority of your life, it may have been a while since you connected with him, or you may be exploring these things for the first time. At Capital Presbyterian Fairfax, we celebrate God's grace: Jesus came to give us life - today and for eternity. This offer is made to us all; whatever your background, we're delighted you're here!

We'd love to connect with you this morning. Fill out the Connect card and place it in an offering basket or return it to our Welcome Table. Whether you're worshiping with us for the first time or are a regular part of our family, we hope this morning will be good for your soul.

In his grace,

JAMES FORSYTH, SENIOR PASTOR ROB YANCEY, FAIRFAX SITE PASTOR

#### FOR YOUR FAMILY

While you worship, your children will be loved and taught in an engaging environment. Classrooms are located just down the hall from our worship space; you can check in your kids near the entrance. Our nursing mothers' corner is located in our nursery, just outside of room N5. **Nursery** is offered for ages 0 - Pre-K and Sunday School is available for grades K - 6. You'll find "Side by Side" worship guides for ages 4 years - 5th grade at the entrance to our worship space.

**Evening communities** for grades 4 - 12 meet at our McLean location. Visit fairfaxpres. org/children and fairfaxpres.org/students for details and schedules.

# Service of Divine Worship

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We rest our hearts in God's presence as we prepare for worship

# PRELUDE

### PSALM 62

We invite you to sit near the front and center to be hospitable to those who may arrive after you.

We celebrate God's presence with us and ask for his Spirit to work powerfully among us

# WELCOME & INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

God calls us to worship him in spirit and in truth

PSALM 51:15-17

Leader: O LORD, open my lips,

and my mouth will declare your praise.

For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it; you will not be pleased with a burnt offering.

All: The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit;
a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.
O LORD, open my lips,
and my mouth will declare your project

and my mouth will declare your praise.

We sing praises to God for who he is and for what he has done

## SONGS OF PRAISE

HOW GREAT THOU ART

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy pow'r thro'out the universe displayed.

Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee: How great thou art, how great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee: How great thou art, how great thou art!

When thro' the woods and forest glades I wander And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees, When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze; **Refrain** 

And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin. **Refrain** 

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, And there proclaim, my God, how great thou art. **Refrain** 

#### How great thou art, how great thou art.

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#### **PSALM 62**

My soul finds rest in God alone, my rock and my salvation; A fortress strong against my foes, and I will not be shaken. Though lips may bless and hearts may curse, and lies like arrows pierce me, I'll fix my heart on righteousness; I'll look to him who hears me.

#### Chorus: O praise him, hallelujah, my Delight and my Reward. Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

Find rest my soul in God alone, amid the world's temptations; When evil seeks to take a hold, I'll cling to my salvation. Though riches come and riches go, don't set your heart upon them; The fields of hope in which I sow are harvested in heaven. **Chorus** 

I'll set my gaze on God alone and trust in him completely, With ev'ry day pour out my soul, and he will prove his mercy. Though life is but a fleeting breath, a sigh too brief to measure, My King has crushed the curse of death, and I am his forever. **Chorus 2x** 

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We acknowledge our need of forgiveness and renewal through the cleansing blood of Jesus

#### CONFESSION OF SIN

O Lord, not a day of my life has passed that has not proved me guilty in your sight. Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart; praise has often been praiseless sound; my best services are filthy rags. Blessed Jesus, though my sins rise to heaven, your merits soar above them; though unrighteousness weighs me down to hell, your righteousness exalts me to your throne. All things in me call for my rejection, all things in you plead my acceptance. I appeal from the throne of perfect justice to your throne of boundless grace. Grant me assurance that by your stripes I am healed, that you were bruised for my iniquities, that you have been made sin for me that I might be righteous in you, that my sins are all forgiven, buried in the ocean of your concealing blood. I am guilty but pardoned, lost but saved, wandering but found, sinning but cleansed. Keep me always clinging to your cross, and flood me every moment with descending grace, for your glory and in your name. Amen.

Adapted from "The Broken Heart" from The Valley of Vision

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God reminds us of his promise of forgiveness in Christ

#### **ROMANS 5:8-11**

God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

We enjoy and extend the peace of the gospel to one another

## GIVING OF THE PEACE

Leader: Because we are saved by Christ's life, we now have peace with God and peace with one another. May the peace of Christ be with you.

#### People: And also with you!

We promise to strive for the purity, peace, unity, and edification of the Church

# LEADERSHIP VOWS ELDERS Jim Perry\* Mike Ouinn\*\*

**DEACON** Will Moyer

# TESTIMONY OF GOD'S GRACE

We celebrate God's work in our community and world

Tanzania Missions Partners

We give thanks to God and bring our needs to him

#### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

You can join us in praying for our community and world this morning; the Flock Notes are on page 9 in your worship guide. If you would like to submit a prayer request, fill out the prayer request card and place it in the offering basket. Read more about how we care for each other, as well as our local & global missions outreach, in the Flock Notes on page 9.

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, men and women from our leadership will be available in the front.

As recipients of his grace, we give back to God a portion of what is already his

## PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

In response to the grace we've received, we seek to give cheerfully, diligently, proportionately, and sacrificially (2 Cor 8:1-15). You can give online at fairfaxpres.org or place your gift in the offering basket. This site is part of McLean Presbyterian Church; checks can be made out to McLean Presbyterian Church.

Please also fill out the Keeping Connected pad and pass it down your row and back

## SONG OF PREPARATION

We ready our hearts to receive the preaching of God's word

JESUS PAID IT ALL

I hear the Savior say, "Thy strength indeed is small, Child of weakness, watch and pray, find in me thine all in all."

### Chorus 1: 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. **Chorus 1** 

And when, before the throne, I stand in him complete, "Jesus died my soul to save," my lips shall still repeat.

Chorus 2: Jesus paid it all, all to him I owe; Sin had left a crimson stain, he washed it white as snow. Sin had left a crimson stain, he washed it white as snow. He washed it white as snow, he washed it white as snow.

Bridge: Oh, praise the One who paid my debt And raised this life up from the dead. (repeat) **Chorus 1** 

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God speaks to us through the reading of his word SCRIPTURE READING MARK 12:28-34 (CHURCH BIBLE P. 848) Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

God speaks to us through the preaching of his word SERMON

1. What Is the Greatest Commandment?

# SONG OF SENDING

We respond to God's word through song

#### **MY REDEEMER'S LOVE**

My Redeemer's love is deeper than the depths of sin and hell. He who was enthroned in glory came to bring us to himself. My Redeemer's love is wider than the breach my sins had made. He reached down into my darkness; he alone has pow'r to save.

## Chorus 1: Deeper than the rolling seas, Higher than the mountain peaks: your love is all I need.

My Redeemer's love is stronger than my fiercest enemies. He will hold me in the tempest; through the flood he carries me. My Redeemer's love will lead me through the deepest valley here. He will shepherd me and guide me; he will ever keep me near.

## Chorus 2: Deeper than the rolling seas, Higher than the mountain peaks: your love is all I need. Stronger than the rushing wind, shattering the power of sin: Your love is all I need.

My Redeemer's love grows sweeter as eternity draws near. I'll enjoy his love forever at his throne for endless years. My Redeemer's love will fill me on the day I see his face. I will love him back forever and forever sing his praise, And forever sing his praise, and forever sing his praise, And forever sing his praise. **Chorus 2** 

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## God sends us **BENEDICTION**

out with his blessing

2 CORINTHIANS 13:14

Leader: May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen.

#### People: Amen. Thanks be to God! Alleluia!

We go out with joy and purpose in the Lord POSTLUDE My redeemer's love