

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## GATHERING

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### **\*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty**

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near;  
Join me in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,  
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!  
Hast thou not seen how all thy longings have been  
Granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;  
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,  
If with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!  
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him.  
Let the Amen sound from His people again:  
Gladly forever adore Him.

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## PRAYER OF INVOCATION

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## CALL TO WORSHIP

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# Psalm 118: 19-21

*Leader: Open to me the gates of righteousness,  
that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.*

**All: This is the gate of the Lord;  
the righteous shall enter through it.  
I thank You that You have answered me  
and have become my salvation.**

## \*Faithfulness to Generations

Loud may the ocean roar  
Our God still calms her shores  
No sorrow shakes, no sadness will sway  
For He is good

Dark is the swelling tide  
Our God is still her guide  
Though pain surrounds, our Shepherd is near  
For He is good

(chorus)  
The Lord is gracious, He is slow to anger  
He abounds in love; our God is rich in mercy  
God holds goodness for His people,  
Glory for His kingdom; faithfulness to generations.

Close may our sin pursue  
Our God makes all things new  
No promise He gives can Satan undo  
Our God is good

(repeat chorus)

For neither height nor depth  
Nor powers of hell nor sin  
Can separate the love of God [from us] (2x)

(repeat chorus 2x)

Faithfulness to generations (2x)

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## SCRIPTURE READING

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### Job 33: 19-28

“Man is also rebuked with pain on his bed  
and with continual strife in his bones,  
so that his life loathes bread,  
and his appetite the choicest food.  
His flesh is so wasted away that it cannot be seen,  
and his bones that were not seen stick out.  
His soul draws near the pit,  
and his life to those who bring death.  
If there be for him an angel,  
a mediator, one of the thousand,  
to declare to man what is right for him,  
and he is merciful to him, and says,  
‘Deliver him from going down into the pit;  
I have found a ransom;  
let his flesh become fresh with youth;  
let him return to the days of his youthful vigor’;  
then man prays to God, and he accepts him;  
he sees his face with a shout of joy,  
and he restores to man his righteousness.  
He sings before men and says:  
‘I sinned and perverted what was right,  
and it was not repaid to me.  
He has redeemed my soul from going down into the pit,  
and my life shall look upon the light.’

## PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

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ALL: Merciful Father,

We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed.

We have not sought Your kingdom first,  
we have resisted Your call on our lives,  
and we have displayed selfishness and indifference instead of love.

Forgive us, Lord, for these sins and others in our memory.

Cleanse us from their stain,  
and remove them as far as the East is from the West,  
because Christ Jesus has paid their penalty and given us His righteousness.

SILENCE KEPT FOR PRIVATE CONFESSION

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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### **\*1st John 2: 1-2**

*My little children,*

*I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin.*

*But if anyone does sin,*

*we have an advocate with the Father,*

*Jesus Christ the righteous.*

*He is the propitiation for our sins,*

*and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.*

### **\*Praise the Father, Praise the Son**

O sovereign God, O matchless King

The saints adore, the angels sing

And fall before the throne of grace

To You belongs the highest praise

(chorus)

Praise the Father, Praise the Son  
Praise the Spirit, Three in One  
Clothed in power and in grace  
The name above all other names

These sufferings, this passing tide  
Under Your wings I will abide  
And every enemy shall flee  
You are my hope and victory

(repeat chorus)

To the valley, for my soul  
Thy great descent has made me whole  
Your word my heart has welcomed home  
Now peace like water ever flows

(repeat chorus 2x)

The name above all other names

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## **\*There is One Gospel**

There is one Gospel on which I stand for all eternity  
It is my story, my Father's plan, the Son has rescued me  
Oh what a Gospel oh what a peace, my highest joy and my deepest need  
Now and forever He is my light, I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

There is one Gospel to which I cling, all else I count as loss  
For there where justice and mercy meet, He saved me on the cross  
No more I boast in what I can bring, no more I carry the weight of sin  
For He has brought me from death to life, I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

There is one Gospel where hope is found, the empty tomb still speaks  
For death could not keep my Savior down, He lives and I am free  
Now on my Savior I fix my eyes, my life is His and His hope is mine  
For He has promised I too will rise, I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ

And in this Gospel the church is one, we do not walk alone  
We have His Spirit as we press on, to lead us safely home  
And when in glory still I will sing, of this old story that rescued me  
Praise to my Savior the King of life, I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ  
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Praise to my Savior the King of life, I stand in the Gospel of Jesus Christ  
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## PROFESSION OF FAITH

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### 1st Timothy 3:16

**All: Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness:**

**He was manifested in the flesh,  
vindicated by the Spirit,  
seen by angels,  
proclaimed among the nations,  
believed on in the world,  
taken up in glory.**

## PRAYER OF SUPPLICATION

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*Although giving is a significant part of worship, we do not collect the offering during our service. Two boxes are placed by the doors to receive your offering. Tithes and offerings for the General Fund are placed in the box without the "steeple." Offerings for the Building Fund are to be placed in the box with the "steeple." Please make checks payable to Grace PCA, with "General" or "Building" included in the check memo.*

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name.  
Your kingdom come, Your 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 Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

John 1:14-18; Luke 4:16-22, Hebrews 2:14-18

**ALL: The grass withers and the flower falls,  
but the word of the Lord remains forever.**

## LORD'S SUPPER

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# Amazing Grace

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound—  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost but now am found,  
Was blind but now I see.

“Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed.

The Lord has promised good to me,  
His word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

Thru many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come;  
“Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we've first begun.

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Than when we've first begun.

# Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

Jesus, I my cross have taken, all to leave and follow Thee;  
Destitute, despised, forsaken, Thou from hence my all shalt be.  
Perish every fond ambition, all I've sought or hoped or known;  
Yet how rich is my condition, God and heaven are still my own.

Let the world despise and leave me, they have left my Savior too;  
Human hearts and looks deceive me; Thou art not, like them, untrue;  
Oh, while Thou dost smile upon me, God of wisdom, love and might,  
Foes may hate and friends disown me; show Thy face, and all is bright.

Go then earthly fame and treasure, come disaster, scorn and pain;  
In Thy service pain is pleasure, with Thy favor loss is gain.  
I have called Thee Abba Father, I have stayed my heart on Thee;  
Storms may howl and clouds may gather, all must work for good to me.

Soul, then, know thy full salvation, rise o'er sin and fear and care;  
Joy to find in every station, something still to do or bear;  
Think what Spirit dwells within thee, think what Father's smiles are thine,  
Think that Jesus died to win thee: child of heaven, canst thou repine?

Haste thee on from grace to glory, armed by faith and winged by prayer;  
Heaven's eternal day's before thee, God's own hand shall guide thee there.  
Soon shall close thy earthly mission, soon shall pass thy pilgrim days;  
Hope shall change to glad fruition, faith to sight, and prayer to praise.

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# All Must Be Well

Through the love of God our Savior, all will be well  
Free and changeless is His favor, all is well  
Precious is the blood that healed us  
Perfect is the grace that sealed us  
Strong the hand stretched forth to shield us, all must be well

Though we pass through tribulation, all will be well  
Ours is such a full salvation, all is well  
Happy still in God confiding, Fruitful if in Christ abiding  
Steadfast through the Spirit's guiding, all must be well

We expect a bright tomorrow; all will be well  
Faith can sing through days of sorrow, all is well  
On our Father's love relying, Jesus every need supplying  
Yes in living or in dying, all must be well

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## BENEDICTION

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## DOXOLOGY

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

## AFTER SERVICE PRAYER

Darby Ritter & Clay Phillips

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*It is our sincere desire to pray effectively for the particular needs of those worshipping with us this morning. If you have a prayer concern that you want shared with the congregation during the prayers of the people, please email [prayer@gpca.church](mailto:prayer@gpca.church) or contact one of the pastors prior to the service with your request. If you desire prayer on a personal matter, we invite you to meet with the elders in the front pews after the Benediction.*

## \*CONGREGATION WILL STAND

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