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*A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)*

A Church devoted to the pursuit of Scripture, Prayer, Fellowship and Worship as an effective and ultimately victorious means of reaching our community for Christ.

# THE LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP

Sunday, 14 January, 2024

\* Indicates standing if able

## WELCOME & GREETING

*Ruling Elder Bradley Chwastyk*



## INVOCATION

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*Psalm 96:1-4*

"Oh, sing to the LORD a new song! Sing to the LORD, all the earth. Sing to the LORD, bless His name; Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all peoples. For the LORD is great and greatly to be praised; He *is* to be feared above all gods."

### \* HYMN

No 01

*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*

### CONFESSION OF SIN

*Isaiah 45:19-25*

"I have not spoken in secret, In a dark place of the earth; I did not say to the seed of Jacob, 'Seek Me in vain'; I, the LORD, speak righteousness, I declare things that are right. Assemble yourselves and come; Draw near together, You *who have* escaped from the nations. They have no knowledge, Who carry the wood of their carved image, And pray to a god *that* cannot save. Tell and bring forth *your case*; Yes, let them take counsel together. Who has declared this from ancient time? *Who* has told it from that time? *Have* not I, the LORD? And *there is* no other God besides Me, A just God and a Savior; *There is* none besides Me. Look to Me, and be saved, All you ends of the earth! For I *am* God, and *there is* no other. I have sworn by Myself; The word has gone out of My mouth *in* righteousness, And shall not return, That to Me every knee shall bow, Every tongue shall take an oath. He shall say, 'Surely in the LORD I have righteousness and strength. To Him *men* shall come, And all shall be ashamed Who are incensed against Him. In the LORD all the descendants of Israel Shall be justified, and shall glory.' "

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Psalm 103:1-4*

“Bless the LORD, O my soul; And all that is within me, *bless* His holy name! Bless the LORD, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits: Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from destruction, Who crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies...”

### ❖ HYMN

Nº 02

*Amazing Grace*

## THE WORD PREACHED

Reading of Scripture

*Mark 3:7-12*

“Seeking the Savior”

*Licensed Ruling Elder Bradley Chwastyk*

### ❖ HYMN

Nº 03

*O Christ, Our King, Creator, Lord*

## BENEDICTION



*Please join us for a time of prayer. No meal to follow.*

### ❖ CLOSING PRAYER HYMN

Nº 04

*Christ, We Do All Adore Thee*

## **SERMON NOTES**

### **“Seeking the Savior”**

*Mark 3:7–12*

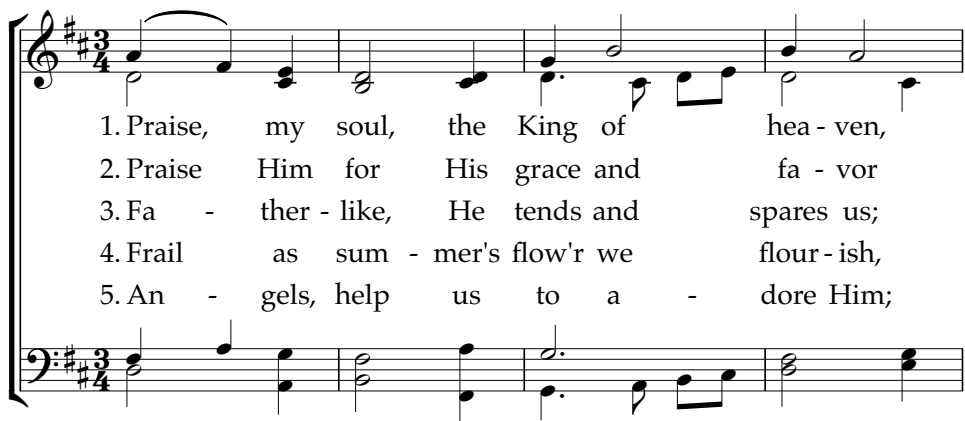
“But Jesus withdrew with His disciples to the sea. And a great multitude from Galilee followed Him, and from Judea and Jerusalem and Idumea and beyond the Jordan; and those from Tyre and Sidon, a great multitude, when they heard how many things He was doing, came to Him. So He told His disciples that a small boat should be kept ready for Him because of the multitude, lest they should crush Him. For He healed many, so that as many as had afflictions pressed about Him to touch Him. And the unclean spirits, whenever they saw Him, fell down before Him and cried out, saying, “You are the Son of God.” But He sternly warned them that they should not make Him known.”

**SERMON NOTES cont'd**

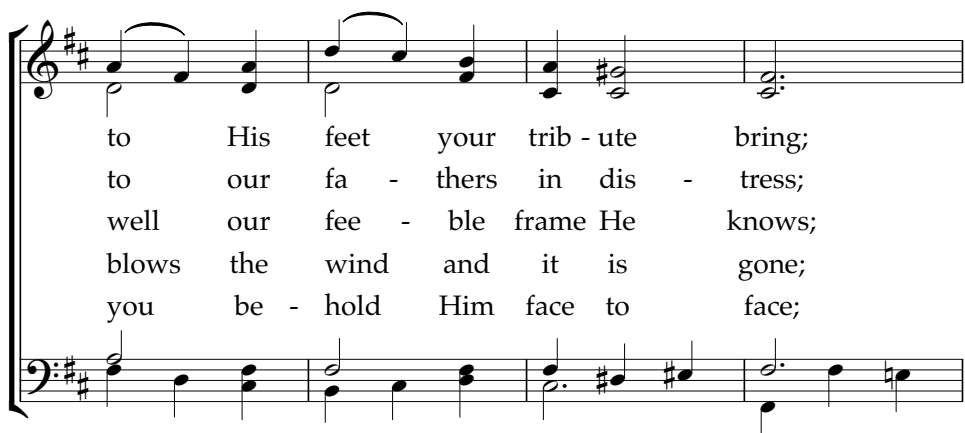
*"Seeking the Savior"*

*Mark 3:7-12*

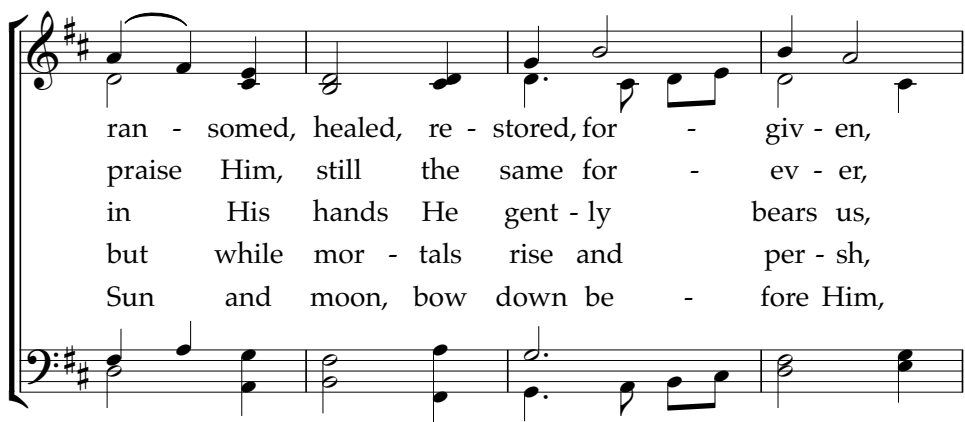
# Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven



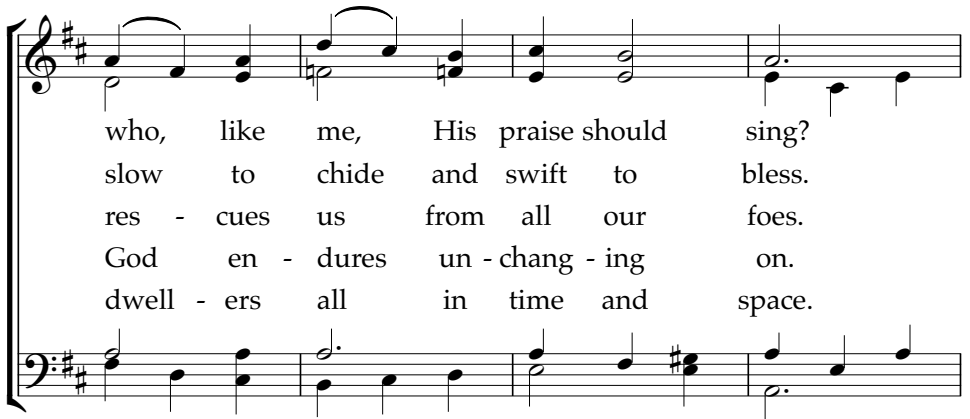
1. Praise, my soul, the King of hea - ven,  
 2. Praise Him for His grace and fa - vor  
 3. Fa - ther - like, He tends and spares us;  
 4. Frail as sum - mer's flow'r we flour - ish,  
 5. An - gels, help us to a - dore Him;



to His feet your trib - ute bring;  
 to our fa - thers in dis - tress;  
 well our fee - ble frame He knows;  
 blows the wind and it is gone;  
 you be - hold Him face to face;



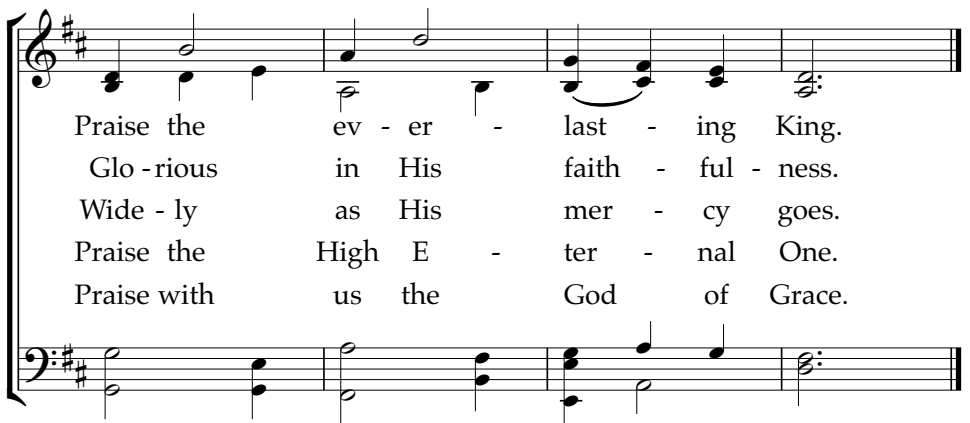
ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en,  
 praise Him, still the same for - ev - er,  
 in His hands He gent - ly bears us,  
 but while mor - tals rise and per - sh,  
 Sun and moon, bow down be - fore Him,



who, like me, His praise should sing?  
slow to chide and swift to bless.  
res - cues us from all our foes.  
God en - dures un - chang - ing on.  
dwell - ers all in time and space.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!  
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Praise the ev - er - last - ing King.  
Glo - rious in His faith - ful - ness.  
Wide - ly as His mer - cy goes.  
Praise the High E - ter - nal One.  
Praise with us the God of Grace.

## Amazing Grace

St. 1-5 Text by John Newton, 1779  
 St. 6 from *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790

Traditional American Melody

1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound,  
 2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
 3. Thru man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares,  
 4. The Lord has pro - mis'd good to me,  
 5. And when this flesh and heart shall fail,  
 6. When we've been there ten thou - sand years,

That saved a wretch like me!  
 And grace my fears re - lieved;  
 I have al - read - y come;  
 His Word my hope se - cures;  
 and mor - tal life shall cease,  
 bright shi - ning as the sun,

I once was lost but now am found,  
 How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear  
 'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
 He will my shield and por - tion be,  
 I shall po - ssess with - in the veil  
 we've no less days to sing God's praise

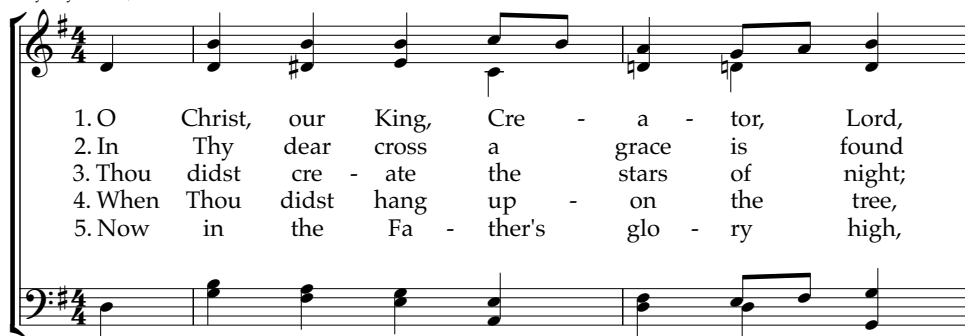
Was blind but now I see.  
 The hour I first be - lieved.  
 And grace will lead me home.  
 as long as life en - dures.  
 a life of joy and peace.  
 than when we've first be - gun.



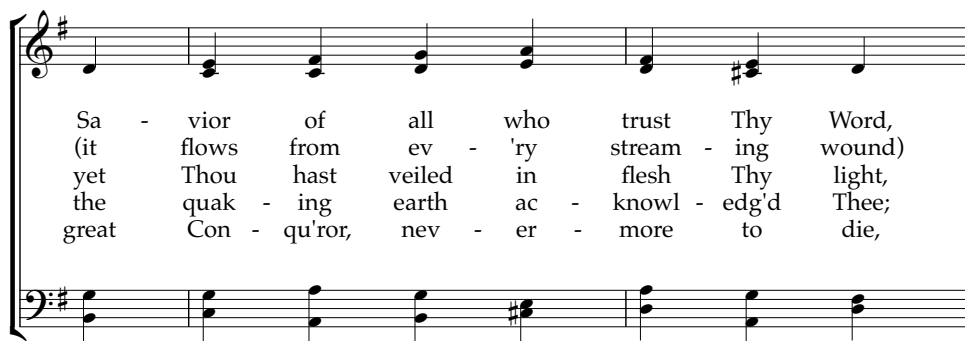
## O Christ, Our King, Creator, Lord

Text by Gregory the Great, ca. 540-604  
Tr. by Ray Palmer, 1858

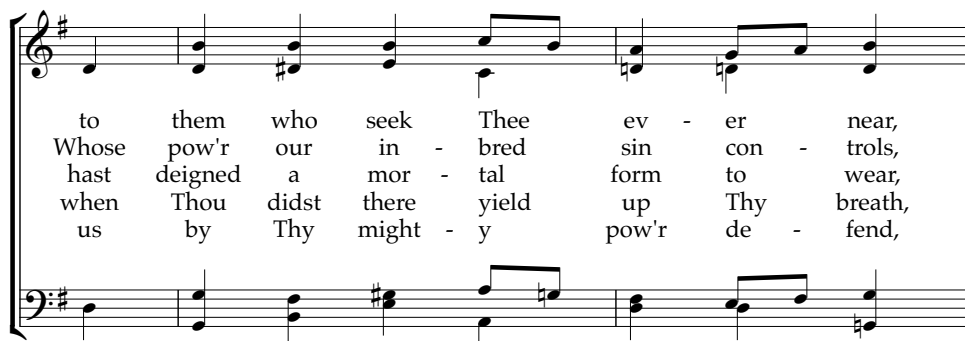
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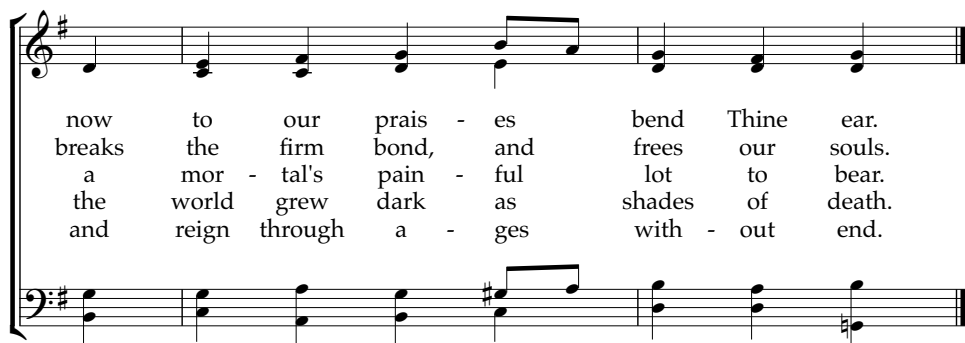
1. O Christ, our King, Cre - a - tor, Lord,  
2. In Thy dear cross a grace is found  
3. Thou didst cre - ate the stars of night;  
4. When Thou didst hang up - on the tree,  
5. Now in the Fa - ther's glo - ry high,



Sa - vior of all who trust Thy Word,  
(it flows from ev - 'ry stream - ing wound)  
yet Thou hast veiled in flesh Thy light,  
the quak - ing earth ac - knowl - edg'd Thee;  
great Con - qu'ror, nev - er - more to die,



to them who seek Thee ev - er near,  
Whose pow'r our in - bred sin con - trols,  
hast deigned a mor - tal form to wear,  
when Thou didst there yield up Thy breath,  
us by Thy might - y pow'r de - fend,



now to our prais - es bend Thine ear.  
breaks the firm bond, and frees our souls.  
a mor - tal's pain - ful lot to bear.  
the world grew dark as shades of death.  
and reign through a - ges with - out end.

## Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

Latin hymn

Tr. and adopted by Theodore Baker, 1899

ADORE THEE

Théodore Dubois, *The Seven Last Words of Christ*, 1867

Christ, we do all a - dore Thee, and we do praise Thee for - ev - er;

Christ, we do all a - dore Thee, and we do praise Thee for - ev - er;

for on the ho - ly cross hast Thou the world from sin re - deem - ed.

Christ, we do all a - dore Thee, and we do praise Thee for - ev - er;

and we do praise Thee for - ev - er. Christ, we do all a - dore Thee.