

2024

“Worship the God of Wonders”



WELCOME TO WORSHIP
NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST

Outdoor worshipers, tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to hear and join in today’s Worship service

It is my pleasure to tell you about the miraculous signs and wonders that the Most High God has performed for me. How great are His signs, how mighty His wonders! His kingdom is an eternal kingdom; His dominion endures from generation to generation..

Daniel 4:2,3

Call Statement:

“My call is to share my Faith in Christ”

Mission Statement:

“To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior.”

THE WELCOME AND PRAYER

THE BRIEF ORDER: CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Leader: In the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness....Most merciful God,

All: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given His Son to die for you and, for His sake, forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: Amen.

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: **And also with you** (*Greet each other sharing Christ's peace.*)

SONG

Let It Rise

Verse 1

Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us,
Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us,
Let the praises of the King Rise among us,
Let it rise.

Verse 2

Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us,
Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us,
Let the joy of the King
Rise among us,
Let it rise.

BRIDGE

Oh, let it rise.
Oh, let it rise.

THE APOSTOLIC GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: You are great, O Lord,

All: **And greatly to be praised; great is Your power, and Your wisdom is infinite. We would praise You without ceasing. You call us to delight in Your praise, for You have made us for Yourself, and our hearts find no rest until we rest in You; with the Father and the Holy Spirit all glory, praise, and honor be to You, both now and forevermore. Amen.** Augustine of Hippo

THE LESSONS

Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29
Psalm 104:27-35

THE GOSPEL

Mark 9:38-50

THE MESSAGE

Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

Change Our Lives

SONG

Arise

Verse

One thing we ask of You,
One thing that we desire,
That as we worship You,
Lord come and change our lives;
Arise, arise, arise, arise,

Chorus

Arise, take Your place,
Be enthroned on our praise;
Arise, King of kings,
Holy God as we sing;
Arise, arise, arise, arise

Bridge

We lift You up,
We lift You up,
We lift You up on our praises;
(repeat)

Ending

Arise, arise, arise, arise!
(repeat)

THE APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father in prayer...

Pastor: *(After each petition. . .)* Lord, in your mercy,

All: hear our prayer.

Pastor: . . . Accept, O Lord, the prayers of Your faithful people for the well being of Your holy Church throughout the world. Govern and sanctify it, with all its pastors and ministers, by Your Holy Spirit, that we may be kept by Your Word in true Faith and fervent love toward You and one another.

All: Amen.

THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: and also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

All: 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

THE DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

THE POST COMMUNION BLESSING

Pastor: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you by His grace unto life everlasting.

All: Amen.

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray. Eternal God,

All: We give You thanks, that You have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in Your mercy You would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

All: Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen

THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

All: Amen.

SONG

There is a Name I love to Hear
(O How I Love Jesus)

Verse 1

There is a Name I love to hear,
I love to sing its worth;
It sounds like music in my ear,
The sweetest name on earth.

Chorus

O how I love Jesus! O how I love Jesus!
O how I love Jesus, because He first loved me!

Verse 2

It tells me of a Saviour's love,
Who died to set me free;
It tells me of His precious blood,
The sinner's perfect plea.

Verse 3

It tells me what my Father hath
In store for ev-'ry day
and, tho' I tread a dark-some path,
Yields sunshine all the way.

Verse 4

It tells of One whose loving heart
Can feel my deepest woe,
Who in each sorrow bears a part,
That none can bear below.

THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord!

All: Thanks be to God!

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NEXT SUNDAY October 6, 2024

Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost

Readings for Next Sunday

Genesis 2:18-25 Psalm 128 Hebrews 2:1-13 (14-18)

Mark 10:2-16

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September 22, 2024

Attendance: 26

Offering \$1,346.00

Join us for Fellowship Hour following
worship today



Come and share fellowship time with some
coffee, cookies and conversation with your Faith in Christ family.

Tuesday Bible Study



Join us at 10:30 am Tuesday Mornings
for Bible Study. We are in Mark Chapter 10
Newcomers are always welcome to join in
learning more from the Word of God.

Upcoming Sundays to Note

October 27, 2024 Reformation Sunday

November 3, 2024 All Saints Sunday

November 24, 2024 Christ the King Sunday