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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, 17 November, 2024

✦ Indicates standing if able

WELCOME & GREETING

Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley



INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 32:10–11

"Many sorrows *shall be* to the wicked; But he who trusts in the LORD, mercy shall surround him. Be glad in the LORD and rejoice, you righteous; And shout for joy, all *you* upright in heart!"

✦ HYMN

Nº 01

How Great Thou Art

CONFESSION OF SIN

John 21:15–19

"So when they had eaten breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, *son* of Jonah, do you love Me more than these?" He said to Him, "Yes, Lord; You know that I love You." He said to him, "Feed My lambs." He said to him again a second time, "Simon, *son* of Jonah, do you love Me?" He said to Him, "Yes, Lord; You know that I love You." He said to him, "Tend My sheep." He said to him the third time, "Simon, *son* of Jonah, do you love Me?" Peter was grieved because He said to him the third time, "Do you love Me?" And he said to Him, "Lord, You know all things; You know that I love You." Jesus said to him, "Feed My sheep. Most assuredly, I say to you, when you were younger, you girded yourself and walked where you wished; but when you are old, you will stretch out your hands, and another will gird you and carry *you* where you do not wish." This He spoke, signifying by what death he would glorify God. And when He had spoken this, He said to him, "Follow Me."

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Acts 2:37–39

"Now when they heard *this*, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Men *and* brethren, what shall we do?" Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every

one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call."

❖ HYMN

Nº 02

Psalm 51

THE WORD PREACHED

Reading of Scripture

"The Fool as Hardhead"

Proverbs 27:22

Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley

❖ HYMN

Nº 03

Be Thou My Vision

BENEDICTION



Please join us for a time of prayer. Taco Dinner to follow.

All visitors are welcome!

❖ CLOSING PRAYER HYMN

Nº 04

Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

How Great Thou Art

1. O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won - der
 2. When thro' the woods and for-est glades I wan - der
 3. And when I think that God, His Son not spar - ing,
 4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion

con - sid - er all the worlds Thy hands have made
 and hear the birds sing sweet - ly in the trees,
 sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in,
 and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!

I see the stars, I hear the roll - ing thun - der,
 when I look down from loft - y moun-tain gran - deur,
 that on the cross, my bur - den glad - ly bear - ing,
 Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o - ra - tion,

Thy pow'r thro' - out the u - ni - verse dis - played.
 and hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze;
 He bled and died to take a - way my sin.
 and there pro - claim, my God, how great Thou art!

Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to Thee;

how great Thou art, how great Thou art!

Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to Thee:

how great Thou art, how great Thou art!

Psalm 51

"O Thou That Hears When Sinners Cry"

HAMBURG

From Psalm 51, Isaac Watts, 1719

1. O Thou that hears when sin - ners cry,
 2. Cre - ate my na - ture pure with - in,
 3. I can - not live with - out Thy light,
 4. A bro - ken heart, my God, my King,
 5. My soul likes hum - bled in the dust,
 6. Then will I teach the world Thy ways;

though all my crimes be - fore Thee lie,
 and form my soul a - verse to sin;
 cast out and ban - ished from Thy sight;
 is all the sac - ri - fice I bring;
 and owns Thy dread - ful sen - tence just:
 sin - ners shall learn Thy sov - 'reign grace;

be - hold them not with an - gry look,
 let Thy good Spir - it ne'er de - part,
 Thy ho - ly joys, my God, re - store,
 the God of grace will ne'er de - spise
 look down, O Lord, with pit - ying eye,
 I'll lead them to my Sav - ior's blood,

but blot their mem - 'ry from Thy book.
 nor hide Thy pres - ence from my heart.
 and guard me, that I fall no more.
 a bro - ken heart for sac - ri - fice.
 and save the soul con - demned to die.
 and they shall praise a pard - 'ning God.

Be Thou My Vision

Ancient Irish poem, ca. 8th cent.
Tr. by Mary E. Byrne, 1905

SLANE,
Traditional Irish Melody

1. Be Thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
2. Be Thou my wis - dom, and Thou my true Word;
3. Be Thou my bat - tle shield, sword for my fight;
4. Rich - es I heed not, nor man's emp - ty praise,
5. High King of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,

naught be all else to me, save that Thou art;
I ev - er with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
be Thou my dig - ni - ty, Thou my de - light,
Thou mine in - her - i - tance, now and al - ways:
may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!

Thou my best thought by day or by night,
Thou my great Fa - ther, I Thy true son;
Thou my soul's shel - ter, Thou my high tow'r;
Thou and Thou on - ly, first in my heart,
Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

wak - ing or sleep - ing, Thy pre - sence my light.
Thou in me dwell - ing, and I with Thee one.
raise Thou me heav'n - ward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.
High King of heav - en, my trea - sure Thou art.
still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all. A - men.

SERMON NOTES

“The Fool as Hardhead”

Proverbs 27:22

22 Though you grind a fool in a mortar with a pestle along with crushed grain, *Yet* his foolishness will not depart from him.

SERMON NOTES cont'd

"The Fool as Hardhead"

Proverbs 27:22

Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

Latin hymn

Tr. and adapted 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.