



Rest Yourselves Under the Tree

Genesis 18:4

SEVERN RUN
EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

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, 13 September, 2026

✦ Indicates standing if able

WELCOME & GREETING

Pastoral Assistant & Intern Steven Tavel



INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 145: 1-3

"I will extol You, my God, O King; And I will bless Your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless You, And I will praise Your name forever and ever. Great *is* the LORD, and greatly to be praised; And His greatness *is* unsearchable."

✦ HYMN

Nº 01

Psalm 8

CONFESSION OF SIN

Romans 6:16

"Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, you are that one's slaves whom you obey, whether of sin *leading* to death, or of obedience *leading* to righteousness?"

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 6:17-18

"But God be thanked that *though* you were slaves of sin, yet you obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine to which you were delivered. And having been set free from sin, you became slaves of righteousness."

✦ HYMN

Nº 02

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

THE WORD PREACHED

Reading of Scripture

Luke 8:26-39

"The Liberating King"

Intern Steven Tavel

✦ HYMN

Nº 03

In Christ Alone

BENEDICTION



Please join us for a time of prayer.

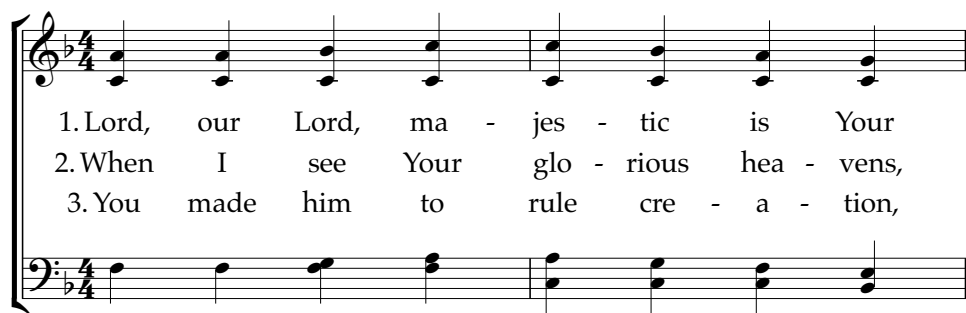
❖ CLOSING PRAYER HYMN

Nº 04

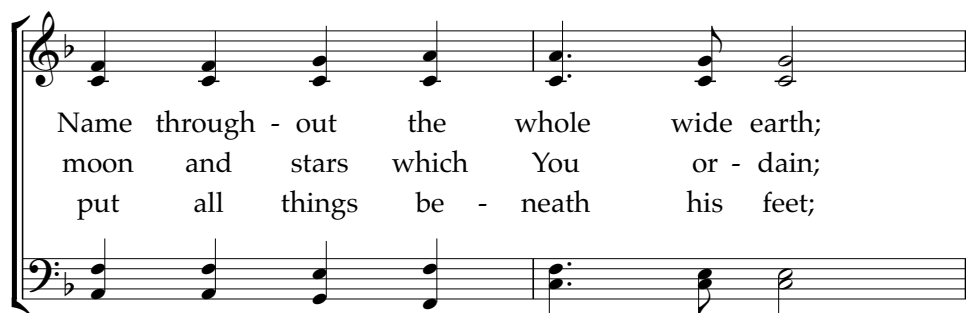
Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

*Please join us for a provided Meatball Sub Dinner immediately following this Service!
All visitors are welcome!*

Psalm 8



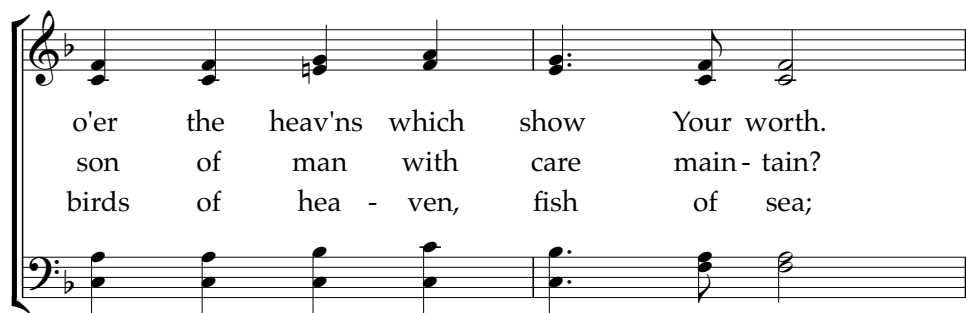
1. Lord, our Lord, ma - jes - tic is Your
 2. When I see Your glo - rious hea - vens,
 3. You made him to rule cre - a - tion,



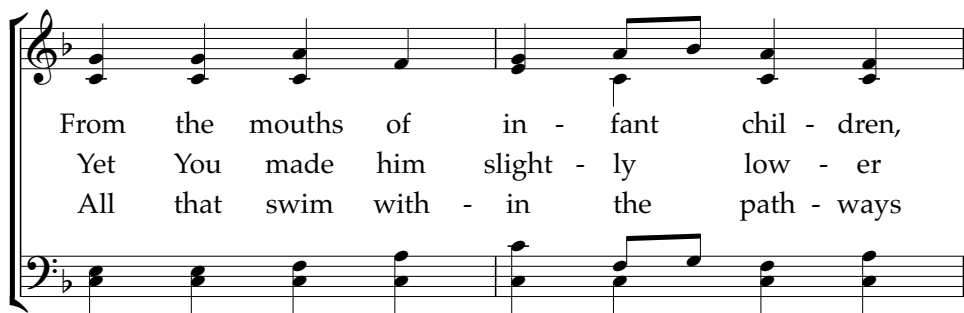
Name through - out the whole wide earth;
 moon and stars which You or - dain;
 put all things be - neath his feet;



You dis - play and set Your splen - dor
 what is man that You re - gard him,
 sheep and ox - en, beasts and cat - tle,



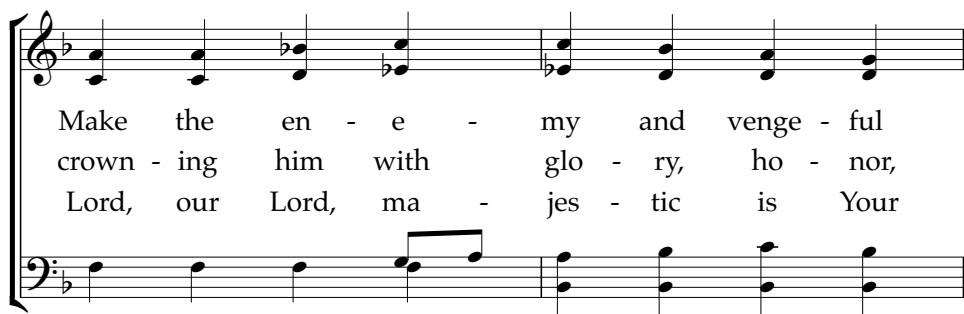
o'er the heav'ns which show Your worth.
 son of man with care main - tain?
 birds of hea - ven, fish of sea;



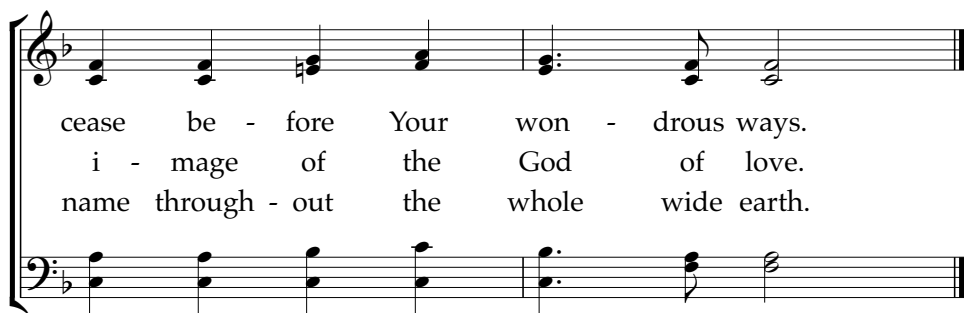
From the mouths of in - fant chil - dren,
Yet You made him slight - ly low - er
All that swim with - in the path - ways



You es - tab - lish strength and praise.
than the an - gels high a - bove;
of the sea de - clare Your worth.



Make the en - e - my and venge - ful
crown - ing him with glo - ry, ho - nor,
Lord, our Lord, ma - jes - tic is Your



cease be - fore Your won - drous ways.
i - mage of the God of love.
name through - out the whole wide earth.

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

Text by Joseph Hart; Refrain anonymous

ARISE

1. Come, ye sin - ners, poor and need - y,
 2. Come, ye thirst - y, come, and wel - come,
 3. Let not con - science make you lin - ger,
 4. Come, ye wea - ry, heav - y la - den,
 Ref: I will a - rise and go to Je - sus,

3

Weak and wound - ed, sick and sore;
 God's free boun - ty glo - ri - fy;
 Nor of fit - ness fond - ly dream;
 Lost and ru - ined by the fall;
 He will em - brace me in His arms;

5

Je - sus read - y stands to save you,
 True be - lief and true re - pent - ance,
 All the fit - ness He re - quire - eth
 If you tar - ry till you're bet - ter,
 In the arms of my dear Sav - ior,

7

D. C. for Refrain

Full of pit - y, love, and pow'r.
 Ev - 'ry grace that brings you nigh.
 Is to feel your need of Him.
 You will nev - er come at all.
 O, there are ten thou - sand charms.

SERMON NOTES

"The Liberating King"

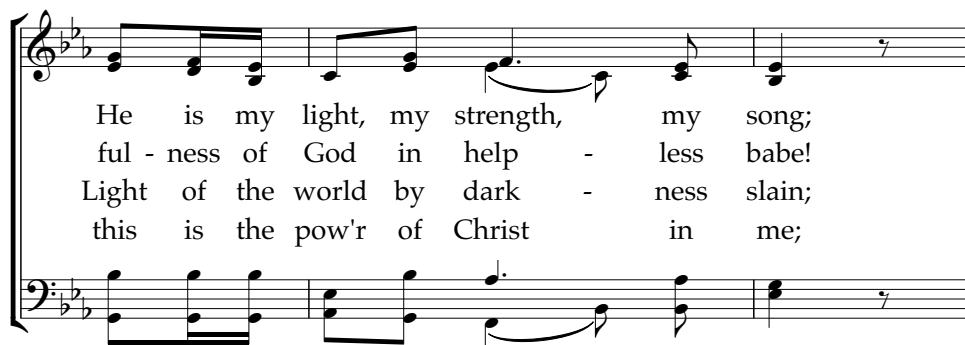
Luke 8:26-39

26 Then they sailed to the country of the Gadarenes, which is opposite Galilee. **27** And when He stepped out on the land, there met Him a certain man from the city who had demons for a long time. And he wore no clothes, nor did he live in a house but in the tombs. **28** When he saw Jesus, he cried out, fell down before Him, and with a loud voice said, "What have I to do with You, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg You, do not torment me!" **29** For He had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. For it had often seized him, and he was kept under guard, bound with chains and shackles; and he broke the bonds and was driven by the demon into the wilderness. **30** Jesus asked him, saying, "What is your name?" And he said, "Legion," because many demons had entered him. **31** And they begged Him that He would not command them to go out into the abyss. **32** Now a herd of many swine was feeding there on the mountain. So they begged Him that He would permit them to enter them. And He permitted them. **33** Then the demons went out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd ran violently down the steep place into the lake and drowned. **34** When those who fed *them* saw what had happened, they fled and told *it* in the city and in the country. **35** Then they went out to see what had happened, and came to Jesus, and found the man from whom the demons had departed, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. **36** They also who had seen *it* told them by what means he who had been demon-possessed was healed. **37** Then the whole multitude of the surrounding region of the Gadarenes asked Him to depart from them, for they were seized with great fear. And He got into the boat and returned. **38** Now the man from whom the demons had departed begged Him that he might be with Him. But Jesus sent him away, saying, **39** "Return to your own house, and tell what great things God has done for you." And he went his way and proclaimed throughout the whole city what great things Jesus had done for him.

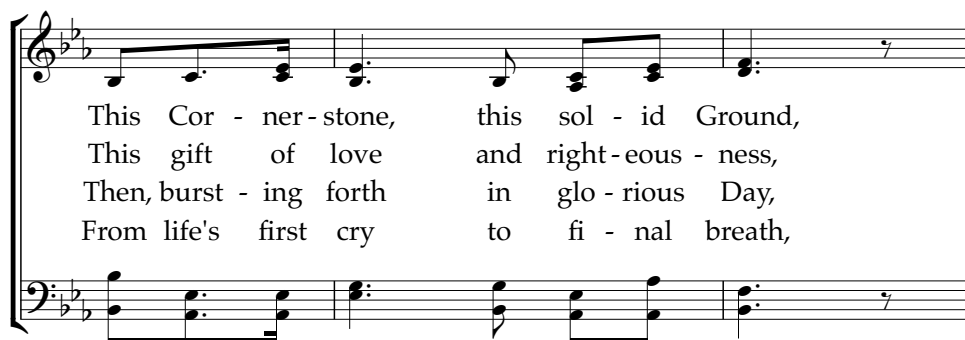
In Christ Alone



1. In Christ a - lone my hope is found,
 2. In Christ a - lone, who took on flesh,
 3. There in the ground His bod - y lay,
 4. No guilt in life, no fear in death,



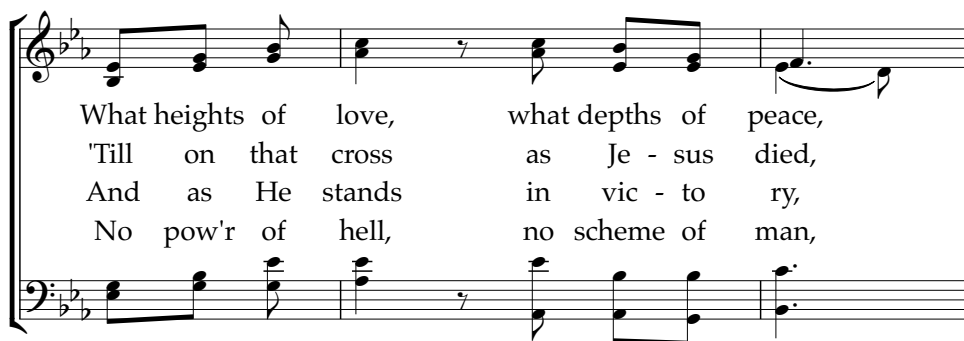
He is my light, my strength, my song;
 ful - ness of God in help - less babe!
 Light of the world by dark - ness slain;
 this is the pow'r of Christ in me;



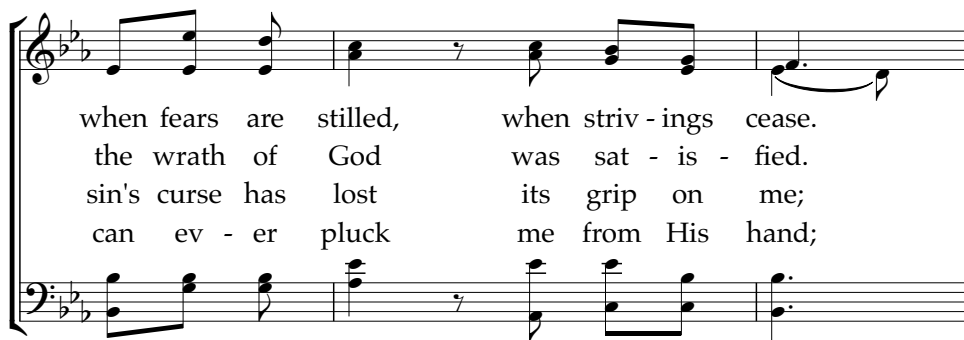
This Cor - ner - stone, this sol - id Ground,
 This gift of love and right - eous - ness,
 Then, burst - ing forth in glo - rious Day,
 From life's first cry to fi - nal breath,



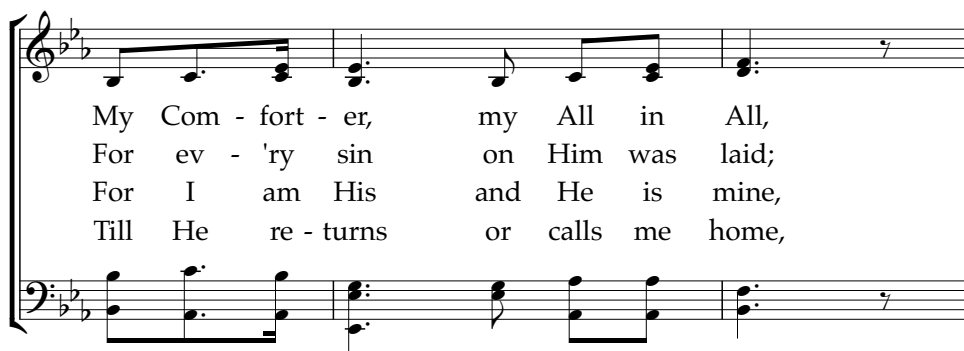
firm through the fierc - est drought and storm.
 scorned by the ones He came to save.
 up from the grave He rose a - gain!
 Je - sus com - mands my des - ti - ny.



What heights of love, what depths of peace,
'Till on that cross as Je - sus died,
And as He stands in vic - to ry,
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,



when fears are stilled, when striv - ings cease.
the wrath of God was sat - is - fied.
sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
can ev - er pluck me from His hand;



My Com - fort - er, my All in All,
For ev - 'ry sin on Him was laid;
For I am His and He is mine,
Till He re - turns or calls me home,



here in the love of Christ I stand.
Here in the death of Christ I live.
bought with the pre - cious blood of Christ.
here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand!

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.

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY

"The Liberating King"

Luke 8:26-39

H P Q E T I S O P P O S Z A S N I A H C
A K M X N E H T X T B I N B Y H T J E S
V B E I J E S U S M X D M E T O R R R Q
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S S H B W R A T U E L A T W O R E G S D
E E G N O S E E T S C O I N C L N N E F
Y H J S F I G P U E G I N D E T O V B R
Y T I E O O K P G L A B O G V M I U L O
T O S I D D B E G K L V N V E L R N D M
I L B Z E E D D K C I S I D O T P O Z N
C C N E M D H I W A L Y S W H E N U T C
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W M X H C C E R T A I N Q R D R A U G K

AND
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JESUS
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SAID
SAILED
SAW
SEIZED
SHACKLES
SON
SPIRIT
STEPPED
THE
THEN
THERE
THEY
TIME
TOMBS
TORMENT
UNCLEAN
UNDER
VOICE
WAS

What verse in Luke 8 contains the underlined words? _____

Write the whole verse out: _____