

MOUNTAIN VIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
THE LORD'S DAY

August 7, 2022

10:00 a.m.

* Please stand if you are able.

PRELUDE

How Great Thou Art - arr. John Carter
There Is a Fountain - arr. Mark Hayes

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

Galatians 3:27-28, NRSV

As many of you as were baptized into Christ
have clothed yourselves with Christ.
There is no longer Jew or Greek,
there is no longer slave or free,
there is no longer male and female;
for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.

CALL TO WORSHIP

based on Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Faith is the assurance of things hoped for,
the convictions of things not seen.
Like Abraham, let us follow God,
even when we don't know where we are going.
By faith, let us look forward to the city that has foundations,
whose architect and builder is God.
Let us worship the God whose promises call and claim us.

* **OPENING HYMN** - #151

Crown Him with Many Crowns

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Hope and Promise,
we confess we do not always believe as we are called.
We confess our questions and complaints catch up to us.
We cannot understand our suffering and the suffering of others.
Forgive us when we depend more upon ourselves than on you.
Return and restore us to the right relationship as your disciples.
In Jesus Name we pray, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

* Gloria Patri

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost,
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, Amen.*

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 15.1-11

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SPECIAL MUSIC

The Sunken Cathedral – Claude Debussy
** Program notes on the last page of this bulletin

Piano Solo

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 15.22-27

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* **DOXOLOGY**

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

SERMON

The Reverend Jim Webb

Water for the Soul: Marah and Elim

COMMUNION

Invitation
Prayer of Thanksgiving
Communion

Please wait for the usher to release your row.

The server will place the bread onto your open palm. Gluten-free wafers are served by request.

The second server will hand you the cup. Please indicate juice or wine.

Take the bread and cup back to your seat so that all may partake together.

ANTHEM

They Could Not - Ron Harris

Westminster Choir
King James, Tenor

SCRIPTURE

Psalms 106.1-12

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HYMN – words will be on the screen

Victory In Jesus

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

BENEDICTION

CLOSING MUSIC



Participants in today's service are:

Jill Johnson
David McArthur
Mary Hymans
Donna Fullerton

Liturgist
Music Director, Piano
Piano
Organ

** The Sunken Cathedral - program notes

The tenth prelude of Book I, *La cathédrale engloutie* ("The Sunken Cathedral") is based on the ancient Breton legend of the Cathedral of Ys. A mythical city built off the coast of Brittany, Ys was the most beautiful city in Europe, but was submerged into the ocean as judgment for the sins of the king's daughter. According to the legend, the city's cathedral rises up from the ocean depths on clear mornings and the sounds of priests and bells can be heard. Debussy ingeniously creates the sonorous and magical landscape of the legend throughout the prelude in his use of anachronistic techniques, such as the open fifths of the opening, suggesting simultaneously the archaic *organum* techniques of music in the Middle Ages, the clear ring of church bells, and the vast expanse of the ocean depths. Furthermore, the chant-like melody that appears throughout the prelude is perhaps meant to be the song of the cathedral's priests.



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Office Hours

Monday – Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m. to noon

TLC line: 970-663-3810 or email tlcprayer@myMVPC.com

The Reverend James H. Webb
The Reverend Robert D. Dooling, Pastor Emeritus
Pastor Larry Shores

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Weekly Schedule

Sunday: 8/7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00 am, Traditional Worship • 1:00 pm, Bassoon Concert – Sanctuary All are welcome, free will offering • 3:00 pm, Praise Team Rehearsal - Life Center • 5:00 pm, Common Table - Life Center Make reservations at www.myMVPC.com
Monday: 8/8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2:00 pm, Worship & Communion - Wexford • 5:00 pm, Handbell Rehearsal - Chapel
Tuesday: 8/9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3:30 pm, S&F Committee – Library • 6:00 pm, Building & Grounds Committee – Room 1
Wednesday: 8/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8:00 am, Men’s Breakfast at the Village Inn • 9:30 am, CE Committee - via Zoom • 2:00 pm, Evangelism Committee - Room 1 • 6:45 pm, Westminster Choir Rehearsal – Choir Rm
Thursday: 8/11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1:00 pm, PNC Committee - Room 1
Friday / Saturday 8/12 8/13	
Sunday 8/14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00 am, Traditional Worship • 3:00 pm, Praise Team Rehearsal - Life Center • 5:00 pm, Common Table - Life Center Make reservations at www.myMVPC.com

**As you enter, please be respectful,
preparing your hearts for worship.**



Announcements

1. Don't forget to sign the Friendship Pad. It's a small thing but very important.
2. Greeters are needed for Sunday Worship at 10:00 am. A Sign-up sheet is at the Check-in Table or contact Kimberly Caldwell.
3. The Family Room (Room 110) is open every Sunday morning for your use. Live stream of worship, toys and activities for children, privacy for nursing parents, and changing tables or bathroom available.
4. We in the midst of a Luggage Drive for unwanted medium to large suitcases. These will be used to send medical supplies to the Ukraine, emptied and given to refugees to fill with their belongings to use in transport. You can bring any bags to the office area where they will be picked up. Thank You.
5. The card for donation to House of Neighborly Service is located in the Narthex. HNS could use Peanut Butter, cereal including oatmeal, canned meat including tuna, beans, fruits including applesauce, soups of all kinds. If you are able, purchase an extra can/box and help our hungry neighbors.
6. We are in need of Receptionists, especially substitutes, male or female. Please consider helping the office staff. 3 hour shifts to answer phone calls, distribute mail and other duties as assigned. No previous training necessary. Sign-up sheet in the Narthex or call Donna, mornings in the office, 970-663-3810.

Crown Him with Many Crowns #151

Crown him with many crowns,
the Lamb upon His throne.
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns
all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
of Him who died for thee,
and hail Him as thy matchless King
through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of love;
behold His hands and side,
rich wounds, yet visible above,
in beauty glorified;
no angels in the sky
can fully bear that sight,
but downward bends his burning eye
at mysteries so bright.

Crown Him the Lord of peace;
whose power a scepter sways
from pole to pole, that wars may cease,
absorbed in prayer and praise:
He reign shall know no end;
And round His pierced feet
Fair flowers of Paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet.
Crown him the Lord of years,
the Potentate of time;
creator of the rolling spheres,
ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail!
for Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise shall never, never fail
throughout eternity.

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Tune: *Diademata*, George Job Elvey, 1868
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Victory in Jesus

I heard an old, old story how a Savior came from glory,
How He gave His life on Calvary to save a wretch like me;
I heard about His groaning, of His precious blood's atoning,
Then I repented of my sins and won the victory

Refrain

O victory in Jesus, my Savior, forever!
He sought me and bought me with His redeeming blood;
He loved me ere I knew Him, and all my love is due Him.
He plunged me to victory beneath the cleansing flood

I heard about His healing, of His cleansing pow'r revealing
How he made the lame to walk again and caused the blind to see;
And then I cried, "Dear Jesus, come and heal my broken spirit,"
And some sweet day I'll sing up there the song of victory.

Refrain

I heard about a mansion he has built for me in glory,
And I heard about the streets of gold beyond the crystal sea;
About the angels singing and the old redemption story,
And some sweet day I'll sing up there the song of victory.

Refrain

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Exodus 15 NRSV

- [1](#) Then Moses and the Israelites sang this song to the Lord: "I will sing to the Lord, for he has triumphed gloriously; horse and rider he has thrown into the sea.
- [2](#) The Lord is my strength and my might, and he has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise him, my father's God, and I will exalt him.
- [3](#) The Lord is a warrior; the Lord is his name.
- [4](#) "Pharaoh's chariots and his army he cast into the sea; his picked officers were sunk in the Red Sea.
- [5](#) The floods covered them; they went down into the depths like a stone.
- [6](#) Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power— your right hand, O Lord, shattered the enemy.
- [7](#) In the greatness of your majesty you overthrew your adversaries; you sent out your fury, it consumed them like stubble.
- [8](#) At the blast of your nostrils the waters piled up, the floods stood up in a heap; the deeps congealed in the heart of the sea.
- [9](#) The enemy said, "I will pursue, I will overtake, I will divide the spoil, my desire shall have its fill of them. I will draw my sword, my hand shall destroy them."
- [10](#) You blew with your wind, the sea covered them; they sank like lead in the mighty waters.
- [11](#) "Who is like you, O Lord, among the gods? Who is like you, majestic in holiness, awesome in splendor, doing wonders?"

Exodus 15 NRSV

- [22](#) Then Moses ordered Israel to set out from the Red Sea, and they went into the wilderness of Shur. They went three days in the wilderness and found no water.
- [23](#) When they came to Marah, they could not drink the water of Marah because it was bitter. That is why it was called Marah.
- [24](#) And the people complained against Moses, saying, "What shall we drink?"
- [25](#) He cried out to the Lord; and the Lord showed him a piece of wood; he threw it into the water, and the water became sweet. There the Lord made for them a statute and an ordinance and there he put them to the test.

- [26](#) He said, "If you will listen carefully to the voice of the Lord your God, and do what is right in his sight, and give heed to his commandments and keep all his statutes, I will not bring upon you any of the diseases that I brought upon the Egyptians; for I am the Lord who heals you."
- [27](#) Then they came to Elim, where there were twelve springs of water and seventy palm trees; and they camped there by the water.

Psalms 106

- [1](#) Praise the LORD. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.
- [2](#) Who can proclaim the mighty acts of the LORD or fully declare his praise?
- [3](#) Blessed are those who act justly, who always do what is right.
- [4](#) Remember me, LORD, when you show favor to your people, come to my aid when you save them,
- [5](#) that I may enjoy the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may share in the joy of your nation and join your inheritance in giving praise.
- [6](#) We have sinned, even as our ancestors did; we have done wrong and acted wickedly.
- [7](#) When our ancestors were in Egypt, they gave no thought to your miracles; they did not remember your many kindnesses, and they rebelled by the sea, the Red Sea.
- [8](#) Yet he saved them for his name's sake, to make his mighty power known.
- [9](#) He rebuked the Red Sea, and it dried up; he led them through the depths as through a desert.
- [10](#) He saved them from the hand of the foe; from the hand of the enemy he redeemed them.
- [11](#) The waters covered their adversaries; not one of them survived.
- [12](#) Then they believed his promises and sang his praise.