



# The Worship of God

on May 24, 2020, 11:00 a.m.

*(Please remain in your vehicles the entirety of the service.  
Audio is broadcast only onsite at FM 95.1)*

## Prayer of Invocation

### Call to Worship

*(from Psalm 96)*

**Leader:** Oh sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth!  
Sing to the LORD, bless His Name; tell of His salvation from day to day.

**PEOPLE:** **Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works  
among all the peoples!**

**Leader:** For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; He is to be  
feared above all gods.

**PEOPLE:** **Splendor and majesty are before Him; strength and beauty  
are in His sanctuary.**

**Leader:** Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to  
the LORD glory and strength! Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His  
name. Bring an offering, and come into His courts! Worship the  
LORD in the splendor of holiness. Tremble before Him, all the earth!

## Hymn of Praise #02

*"For the Beauty of the Earth"*

*For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies  
**Lord of all, to Thee we raise This our hymn of grateful praise.***

*For the wonder of each hour of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale, and tree and flower, Sun and moon and stars of light [Ref.]*

*For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's delight,  
For the mystic harmony linking sense to sound and sight [Ref.]*

*For the joy of human love, Brother, sister, parent, child,  
Friends on earth and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild [Ref.]*

*For yourself, best gift divine, to the world so freely given,  
Agent of God's grand design: peace on earth and joy in heaven. [Ref.]*

## Prayer of Confession (in unison):

Almighty God, forgive us for our **pride**, for we take more authority  
over our lives than You have given us. In our **selfishness**, we push  
forward in **domination** or fall backward in **cowardice**. LORD, my sin  
is deep. Do not crush me by Your mighty Hand as I deserve or let sin  
have its dominion over me, but be my Lord and Savior. Mercy and  
forgiveness belong to You. O Lord, hear; O Lord, forgive.

## Private Confessions (silently before God)

## Words of Assurance

*Luke 5:18-26*

### 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.*

## Affirmation of Faith (in unison)

*Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord;  
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
Born of the virgin Mary,  
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
Was crucified, dead, and buried;  
He descended into hell;<sup>1</sup>  
The third day He rose again from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Ghost;  
The holy catholic<sup>2</sup> church;  
The communion of saints;  
The forgiveness of sins;  
The resurrection of the body;  
And the life everlasting. Amen

<sup>1</sup> While we do believe in an eternal place Scripture calls Hell, the word historically translated as "hell" here means that Jesus really, truly died.

<sup>2</sup> The catholic ("little c") church consists of all believers in Christ's church and is not a particular reference to the Roman Catholic Church.

## Welcome & Announcements

### Prayers of the People / Blessing of Tithes and Offerings\*

*\*Offerings are not collected during Drive-In worship. Giving may be mailed to Big Creek or saved until we meet in the sanctuary again. Members of other churches may freely worship with us, but we encourage you to give to your home church.*

### Lord's Prayer (in unison):

Our Father who is in heaven, hallowed be Your name.  
Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread  
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors  
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil  
For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

### Hymn #437

*"The Church's One Foundation"*

*The Church's one Foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord;  
She is His new creation by water and the word:  
From heaven He came and sought her to be His holy Bride;  
With His own blood He bought her, and for her life He died.*

*Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth,  
Her charter of salvation one Lord, one faith, one birth;  
One holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food,  
And to one hope she presses, with every grace endued.*

*'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war,  
She waits the consummation of peace forevermore;  
Till with the vision glorious, her longing eyes are blest,  
And the great Church victorious shall be the Church at rest.*

*Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One,  
And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won:  
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we,  
Like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with Thee.*

### Prayer of Illumination

#### Scripture Message

*Exodus 6:10-30*

*[Excerpt] <sup>26</sup>These are the Aaron and Moses to whom the LORD said: "Bring out the people of Israel from the land of Egypt by their hosts." <sup>27</sup>It was they who spoke to Pharaoh king of Egypt about bringing out the people of Israel from Egypt, this Moses and this Aaron."*

### Sending Hymn #17

*"We Praise Thee, O God..."*

*We praise Thee, O God, our Redeemer, Creator,  
In grateful devotion our tribute we bring.  
We lay it before Thee, we kneel and adore Thee,  
We bless Thy holy name, glad praises we sing.*

*We worship Thee, God of our fathers, we bless Thee;  
Through life's storm and tempest our Guide hast Thou been.  
When perils o'ertake us, escape Thou wilt make us,  
And with Thy help, O Lord, life's battles we win.*

*With voices united our praises we offer,  
And gladly our song of true worship we raise;  
Our sins now confessing, we pray for Thy blessing,  
To Thee, our great Redeemer, ever be praise.*

### Benediction & Response

Jesus is King, now and always! Hallelujah! <honk!>



### Announcements

1. **Next Sunday (May 31), Big Creek worship resumes in the sanctuary** with appropriate safety measures. Drive-In radio audio will continue during that time. Watch for details in a mailed letter this week.
2. Sunday school will resume the following Sunday on **June 7** at 10:00.