# Order of Worship June 25, 2023

### Prelude

### Welcome & Announcements

## **Preparation for Worship**

Blessed is the one you choose and bring near, to dwell in your courts! We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, the holiness of your temple!

(Psalm 65:4 ESV)

# Call to Worship

Pastor: Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion, and to you shall vows be

performed.

**People:** O you who hear prayer, to you shall all flesh come. Pastor: When iniquities prevail against me, you atone for our

transgressions.

People: Blessed is the one you choose and bring near, to dwell in

your courts!

Pastor: We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, the

holiness of your temple!

ALL: Praise the LORD! (Psalm 65:1-4 ESV)

#### Invocation

### **Praise and Adoration**

## All Creatures of Our God and King

All creatures of our God and King,

Lift up your voice and with us sing - Alleluia, alleluia.

Thou, burning sun with golden beam;

Thou, silver moon with softer gleam;

O praise Him, O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia.

Thou rushing wind that art so strong;

Ye clouds that sail in heaven along - O praise Him, alleluia.

Thou rising morn in praise rejoice!

Ye lights of evening find a voice!

O praise Him, O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

And all ye men of tender heart

Forgiving others take your part - O sing ye, alleluia.

Ye, who long pain and sorrow bear;

Praise God and on Him cast your care.

O praise Him, O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia.

Let all things their Creator bless And worship Him in humbleness - O praise Him, alleluia. Praise, praise the Father praise the Son; And praise the Spirit Three in One! O praise Him, O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

> "All Creatures of Our God and King" St. Francis of Assisi | William Henry Draper

### **Come Praise and Glorify**

Come praise and glorify our God/The Father of our Lord; In Christ He has in heav'nly realms/His blessings on us poured. For pure and blameless in His sight/He destined us to be, And now we've been adopted through/His Son eternally.

Chorus: To the praise of Your glory/To the praise of Your mercy and grace; To the praise of Your glory/You are the God who saves!

Come praise and glorify our God/Who gives His grace in Christ; In Him our sins are washed away/Redeemed through sacrifice. In Him God has made known to us/The myst'ry of His will, That Christ should be the head of all/His purpose to fulfill. (*Chorus*)

Come praise and glorify our God/For we've believed the Word, And through our faith we have a seal/The Spirit of the Lord. The Spirit guarantees our hope/Until redemption's done; Until we join in endless praise/To God the Three in One. (*Chorus*)

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## **Scripture Reading**

And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?" (Mark 4:36-41 ESV)

Pastor: This is the Word of the LORD.

People: Thanks be to God!

#### Isaiah 43

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you, And the waves will not overcome you.

Do not fear, For I have redeemed you
I have called you by name, you are Mine.

Chorus: Men: For I am the Lord your God

Women: I am the Lord your God Men: I am the Lord your God

Women: I am

All: The Holy One of Israel, Your Savior (Repeat)

*Men:* I am the Lord (x4) *Women:* Do not fear (x4)

When you walk through the fire, you'll not be burned, And the flames will not consume you.

Do not fear, for I have redeemed you
I have called you by name, you are Mine. (Chorus)

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### **Commissioning of Joni and Friends Mission Team**

(8:30 AM Service)

Pastoral Prayer

Chris Moody

Offertory

"How Great Thou Art"

**Preaching of the Word** 

Rev. Wilson A. Shirley, Senior Pastor

"Awesome God"

Psalm 65

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# **Song of Response**

### **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.

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### **Benediction**

The Sanctuary Flowers are placed today in glory of God and in honor of Debbie and Carl Jones' 50th wedding anniversary, celebrated this week.

Sermon Notes:

### **How Great Thou Art**

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee: How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

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And when I think that God, His Son not sparing, Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, And then proclaim, My God, how great Thou art!

> "How Great Thou Art" Stuart Wesley

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

<u>Guest</u> - Welcome to Cornerstone Presbyterian Church. We are glad you are here! If you would like more information about our church and its ministries, please fill out the "Connect Card" and visit our website. Another great way to connect is through Sunday School. There are classes for all ages at 9:45am.

<u>Connect Cards</u> - Please take a "Connect Card" from the chair pocket in front of you, fill out one per family and place in the collection plate.

New Members Class - Begins Sunday, August 6th, during the Sunday School hour in the Family Life Center. The class will be for 6 weeks. This is an opportunity to learn more about Cornerstone and to pursue membership. Please email office@cornerstonehuntsville.org to register.

<u>Journey Groups!</u> - Men, are you interested in joining a small group? Journey groups are forming this Fall. This is a great way to help you grow in your walk with Christ and be encouraged by other men. Please contact Bob Boerner at bob@vantageconnect.org to learn more.

<u>Ministry Opportunity</u> - Interested in reaching out to our church members who need help with minor home improvements or repairs? If so, contact David Hoover at ddhoover53@gmail.com for more information.

**Bookshelf Ministry** - Be sure to check out this resource ministry located in the Gathering Room. There are free books, tracts, and audio teaching CDs for you to take or give to someone.

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

**Pray for church members caring for family** - Lora Abernathy, Diana Akridge, Susan Dupré, Bryan Gassaway, Rick McCann, Kyle Mosier, Randy Petcher, and Bill and JoAnn Sneed.

**Pray for healing -** Suzi and Bill Bolton, Phil Freeze, Anne Harbarger, Mary Allen Junen, Matthew Lawrence, Mari Carmen Wendorf, and Abby Reese Wren.

**Pray for our homebound friends** - Ruby Petcher and Betty Baldwin.

**Pray for our expectant mothers** - Amy Eckenrode (July), Andrea Mace (July), Ashley Colette (August), Christina Hall (August), Sami Pottorf (August), Denia Dillon (August), and Melanie Bray (September).

**Pray** for Bill Hitt and Family with the loss of his mother.

Pray for The Joni and Friends and Yakama Summer Mission Teams.

**Pray for our Missional Partnerships -** PCA General Assembly and First Presbyterian Church, Russellville, AL.

The Lord's Day June 25, 2023