First Christian Reformed Church

Lynden, Washington July 10, 2022 – 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Call to Worship: Psalm 105:1-4

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!

Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wondrous works!

Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!

God's Greeting

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Come, Christians, join to sing; Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, before His throne rejoice;

Praise is His gracious choice: Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high; Alleluia! Amen! Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen!

He is our Guide and Friend; to us He'll condescend;

His love shall never end: Alleluia! Amen!

The Solid Rock

My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness; I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain: On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:

All other ground is sinking sand, all other ground is sinking sand.

His oath, His covenant, His blood, support me in the whelming flood;

When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay. Refrain

When He shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in Him be found;

Dressed in His righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne. Refrain

Call to Confession: Words of Jesus from the Gospels

You shall have no other gods before me.

It is written: "Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only."

You shall not make for yourself an idol.

God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth.

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.

"Do not swear at all: either by heaven, for it is God's throne; or by the earth, for it is his footstool. . . .

Let your 'Yes' be 'Yes', and your 'No,' 'No'; anything beyond this comes from the evil one."

Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. So the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath.

Honor your father and your mother.

For God said, "Anyone who curses his father or mother must be put to death."

You shall not murder.

Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be sons of your Father in heaven.

You shall not commit adultery.

Anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart.

You shall not steal.

For out of the heart come evil thoughts, murder, adultery . . . theft These are what make a man "unclean."

You shall not give false testimony.

For out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks. . . . For by your words you will be acquitted, and by your words you will be condemned.

You shall not covet.

Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.

Assurance: Matthew 11:28-30

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

What a Beautiful Name

You were the Word at the beginning, one with God, the Lord Most High

Your hidden glory in creation, now revealed in You our Christ.

What a beautiful Name it is, what a beautiful Name it is, the Name of Jesus Christ, my King.

What a beautiful Name it is, nothing compares to this,

What a beautiful Name it is, the Name of Jesus.

You didn't want heaven without us, so Jesus, You brought heaven down.

My sin was great, Your love was greater, what could separate us now.

What a wonderful Name it is, what a wonderful Name it is, the Name of Jesus Christ, my King.

What a wonderful Name it is, nothing compares to this,

What a wonderful Name it is, the Name of Jesus.

Death could not hold You, the veil tore before You, You silence the boast of sin and grave.

The heavens are roaring the praise of Your glory for You are raised to life again.

You have no rival, You have no equal now and forever God, You reign.

Yours is the kingdom, Yours is the glory, Yours is the Name above all names.

What a powerful Name it is, what a powerful Name it is, the Name of Jesus Christ, my King.

What a powerful Name it is, nothing can stand against, what a powerful Name it is, the Name of Jesus.

What a powerful Name it is, the Name of Jesus.

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Lynden SERVE 2022 Testimonies

Offertory Prayer & Offering: Al & Julie

Morning Prayer

Scripture: *Luke 17:11-19 (ESV)*

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem he was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance ¹³ and lifted up their voices, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." ¹⁴ When he saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; ¹⁶ and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus answered, "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? ¹⁸Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹And he said to him, "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Message: The Leprous Samaritan: A Model of Gratitude

My Heart is Filled With Thankfulness

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who bore my pain,

Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace and gave me life again,

Who crushed my curse of sinfulness and clothed me with His light,

And wrote His law of righteousness with pow'r upon my heart.

My heart is filled with thankfulness to Him who reigns above,

Whose wisdom is my perfect peace, whose every thought is love,

For every day I have on earth is given by the King.

So I will give my life, my all to love and follow Him.

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God's Blessing

My Friends, May You Grow in Grace

My friends, may you grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior.

My friends, may you grow in grace and in the knowledge of Jesus Christ.

To God be the glory, now and forever, now and forever, amen.

To God be the glory, now and forever, now and forever, amen.

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Pastor: Mike B Prayer: Rob H, Gene T Music: Ken & Lisa Q

Offering will be received for Al & Julie, working with Operation Mobilization in Belgium, one of the least reached nations in the world. They live in Zaventem Village in the Flemish speaking part of Belgium. Al is the Director of Operations and is involved in building and maintenance, ZavCentre (a 60-bed hospitality and conference center supporting both local and global missions and ministry) and a church plant. Julie is the OM bookkeeper. Al has been battling leukemia for 2 years. Covid closed ZavCentre and restricted meetings and outreach. For more information, visit www.om.org/be/be en.

<u>Nursery</u> is available with a paging system for children under 3 years during worship service in the Education Building.

<u>Children's Church</u> is available for children 3 years – 3rd grade. Children are dismissed to the Ed Building during the service.

<u>Worship services</u> are also broadcast live in the basement and streamed online for anyone unable to worship in the sanctuary.

<u>An assistive listening system</u> is available in the sanctuary; to use this system, switch hearing aids to "T".

On the bulletin, bold font is a response by the congregation. You are invited to join if you feel comfortable.

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