

LIVING HOPE CHURCH



THE WORSHIP OF GOD

October 13, 2024

REFLECTION

“When the crowds were increasing, he began to say, “This generation is an evil generation. It seeks for a sign, but no sign will be given to it except the sign of Jonah. For as Jonah became a sign to the people of Nineveh, so will the Son of Man be to this generation. The queen of the South will rise up at the judgment with the men of this generation and condemn them, for she came from the ends of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon, and behold, something greater than Solomon is here. The men of Nineveh will rise up at the judgment with this generation and condemn it, for they repented at the preaching of Jonah, and behold, something greater than Jonah is here.” Luke 11:29-32

GATHERING MUSIC

*CALL TO WORSHIP

1 Chronicles 16:8-13

PASTOR: 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!

CONGREGATION: 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!

ALL: Remember the wondrous works that he has done, his miracles and the judgments he uttered, O offspring of Israel his servants, children of Jacob, his chosen ones!

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy 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 thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*SONG OF PRAISE

The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)

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*Those who are able, please stand.

1. Father let your kingdom come
Father let your will be done
On Earth as in Heaven
Right here in my heart
repeat

*Chorus: Give us this day our daily bread
Forgive us forgive us
As we forgive the ones who sinned
Against us forgive them
And lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from the evil one
Let your kingdom come*

Repeat Verse 1 twice
Chorus

Bridge
It's yours it's yours
All yours all yours
The kingdom the power
The glory are yours

It's yours it's yours
All yours all yours
Forever and ever
The kingdom is yours
Repeat

Repeat Verse 1 twice
On Earth as in Heaven
Right here in my heart

*CONFESSION OF SIN

Heavenly Father, to enrich me will not diminish your fullness; All your lovingkindness is in your Son, I bring him to you in the arms of faith, I urge his saving name as the one who died for me, I plead his blood to pay for my debts of wrong. Accept his worthiness for my unworthiness, his sinlessness for my transgression, his purity for my uncleanness, his sincerity for my guile, his truth for my deceits, his meekness for my pride, his constancy for my backslidings, his love for my enmity, his fullness for my emptiness, his faithfulness for my treachery, his obedience for my lawlessness, his glory for my shame, his devotedness for my waywardness, his holy life for my unchaste ways, his righteousness for my dead works, his death for my life. In Christ Name we pray, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 103:8-12

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*SONG OF THANKSGIVING

10,000 Reasons

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*Chorus: Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name*

1. The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes
Chorus

2. You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find
Chorus

3. And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore
Chorus

+THE WORSHIP OF GOD THROUGH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Ancient Words

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+Children 5 and under are dismissed for Worship Care before the offertory.

1. Holy words long preserved
For our walk in this world
They resound with God's own heart
O let the ancient words impart

2. Words of life words of hope
Give us strength help us cope
In this world where'er we roam
Ancient words will guide us home

*Chorus: Ancient words ever true
Changing me changing you
We have come with open hearts
O let the ancient words impart*

3. Holy words of our faith
Handed down to this age
Came to us through sacrifice
O heed the faithful words of Christ
Chorus

*SCRIPTURE READING

Jonah 3:4-10

God's Grace to Nineveh

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON

Reverend Mark A. Forbes

God's Grace To and Through Us

*SONG OF RESPONSE

Come Ye Sinners Poor And Needy

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1. Come ye sinners poor and needy
Weak and wounded sick and sore
Jesus ready stands to save you
Full of pity love and power

Chorus: I will arise and go to Jesus
He will embrace me in His arms
In the arms of my dear Savior
O there are ten thousand charms

2. Come ye thirsty come and welcome
God's free bounty glorify
True belief and true repentance
Every grace that brings you nigh

Chorus

3. Come ye weary heavy laden
Lost and ruined by the fall
If you tarry till you're better
You will never come at all
Chorus

4. Lo th'incarnate God ascended
Pleads the merit of His blood
Venture on Him venture wholly
Let no other trust intrude
Chorus

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

The Church's Doxology

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Now, blessed be Jehovah, God, the God of Israel,
Who only doeth wondrous works, in glory that excel,
Who only doeth wondrous works, in glory that excel.

And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity
The whole earth let His glory fill. Amen, so let it be;
The whole earth let His glory fill. Amen, so let it be.

SOLI DEO GLORIA

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY, 10/16

- LHC Dawn Prayer via Zoom - Join us from 6:30 - 7:00 a.m. as Mark leads us in scripture and prayer time for one another and LHC. Contact Mark for the Zoom link.
- Wednesday Night Fellowship begins!



FRIDAY, 10/18

- Men's Friday Breakfast Fellowship - 7:30 a.m. at the Trailhead Store at Daniel Stowe Botanical Garden

READING PLAN FOR 10/13 - 10/20: 1 Kings 17 - 22; 2 Kings 1 - 2; Colossians 4, 1 Thess. 1 - 5, 2 Thess. 1 - 2

MISSIONS WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS: ARP Churches in Western North Carolina and Central Florida

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS:

10/30 - Ben Jordan and Lynda Mattox

SUNDAY, 10/20

- Worship at 9:30 a.m

SAVE THE DATES:

10/30 - Pumpkins and Pizza (5:00; Classes begin at 6:15)
11/15 - Serve the City Chili Kick-off Dinner (6:00 - 8:00)
11/16 - Serve the City (8 - noon)
11/27 - Thanksgiving Service (6:30 pm)

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