

THE LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

THE LORD'S SUPPER

NINE AND ELEVEN O'CLOCK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 10, 2021

"Let us show gratitude, by which we may offer to God an acceptable service, with reverence and awe." Hebrews 12:28

The Silent Prayer Upon Entering the Sanctuary

Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and earth; Mercifully hear the supplications of Your people; and so rule and guide us, that we may do our duties faithfully in our several places and relations; constantly abhorring that which is evil, and cleaving to that which is good; being fervent in spirit, serving the Lord, rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, and continuing instant in prayer; so that we may enjoy Your peace all the days of our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Prelude - "Chorale Prelude on St. Anne"

C. H. H. Parry

+ **The Welcome and Announcements**

The Call to Worship

+* **The Hymnal** - #30 "Our God, Our Help in Ages Past"

St. Anne

The Invocation and 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.

* **The Nicene Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds; God of God; Light of Light; Very God of Very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; Who for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven; And was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; And ascended into heaven; And sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; The Lord and Giver of Life; Who proceeds from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; Who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead; And the life of the world to come. Amen.

* **The Gloria Patri**

(Hymnal, #735)

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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.

* **The Reading of the Law**

Minister: God spoke all these words saying, I am the Lord thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

- All:
1. Thou shalt have no other gods before me.
 2. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image.
 3. Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain.
 4. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.
 5. Honor thy father and thy mother.
 6. Thou shalt not kill.*
 7. Thou shalt not commit adultery.
 8. Thou shalt not steal.
 9. Thou shalt not bear false witness.
 10. Thou shalt not covet. [Exodus 20:1-17]
- Hear also the words of our Lord Jesus, how he saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

[Matthew 22:37-40]

* The 6th Commandment forbids not all forms of killing, but specifically unjust killing, that is, *murder*.

The Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

* **The Psalter - Psalm 8** Amsterdam

* **The Prayer of Thanksgiving**

* **The Doxology** Germany
 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, the God whom earth and heaven adore, Be glory, as it was of old, is now, and shall be evermore. Amen.

The Prayers of Illumination

The Scripture Reading - 1 Corinthians 11:23–26

The Sermon Mr. Johnson

“THE MEANING OF THE MEAL”

²³ For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, ²⁴ and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, “This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” ²⁵ In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.” ²⁶ For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.

The Prayer of Intercession

The Invitation to and Fencing of the Table

* **The Hymnal - #252 “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”** Hamburg

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

You may partake of the elements as you receive them.

* **The Hymnal - #469 “How Sweet and Awful Is the Place”** St. Columba

The Benediction

The Postlude - “Canzona” Girolamo Frescobaldi

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

Lord, you have been our dwelling place throughout all generations. Ps. 90:1

1. Our God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,
 2. Un - der the shad - ow of your throne your saints have dwelt se - cure;
 3. Be - fore the hills in or - der stood, or earth re - ceived her frame,
 4. A thou - sand a - ges in your sight are like an eve - ning gone;

our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home:
 suf - fi - cient is your arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.
 from ev - er - last - ing you are God, to end - less years the same.
 short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.

5. The busy tribes of flesh and blood,
with all their lives and cares,
are carried downward by your flood,
and lost in foll'wing years.
6. Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
bears all its sons away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream
dies at the op'ning day.
7. Our God, our help in ages past,
our hope for years to come:
O be our guard while troubles last,
and our eternal home.

From Psalm 90
Isaac Watts, 1719
Alt. 1990, mod.

ST. ANNE C.M.
Attr. to William Croft, 1678-1727
Tate and Brady's Supplement to the New Version, 1708

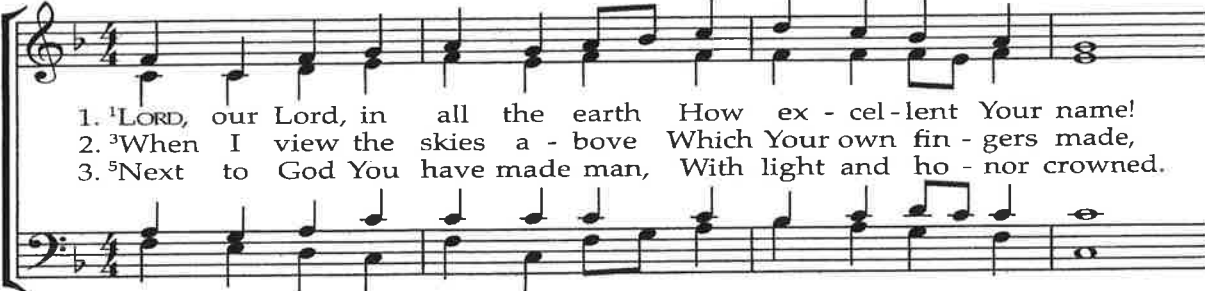
ON-LINE FRIENDSHIP CARD

We extend a warm welcome and express our delight that you have chosen to visit the historic Independent Presbyterian Church. In order to have a record of your visit and to become better acquainted with you, we would ask you to use the QR code attached to fill out our on-line friendship card.

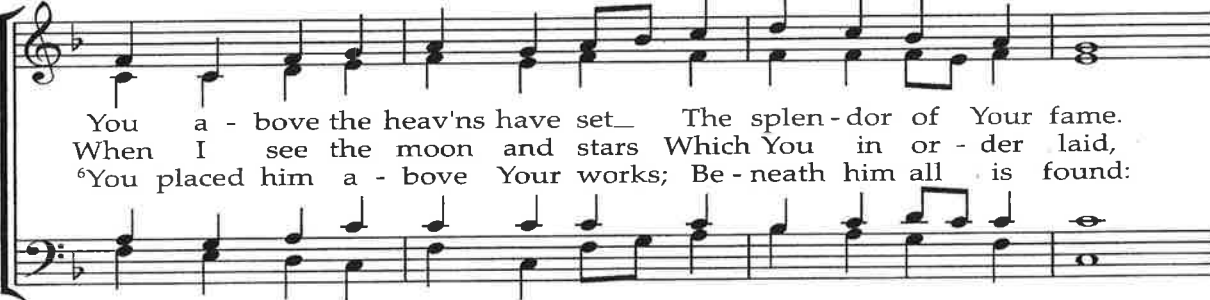
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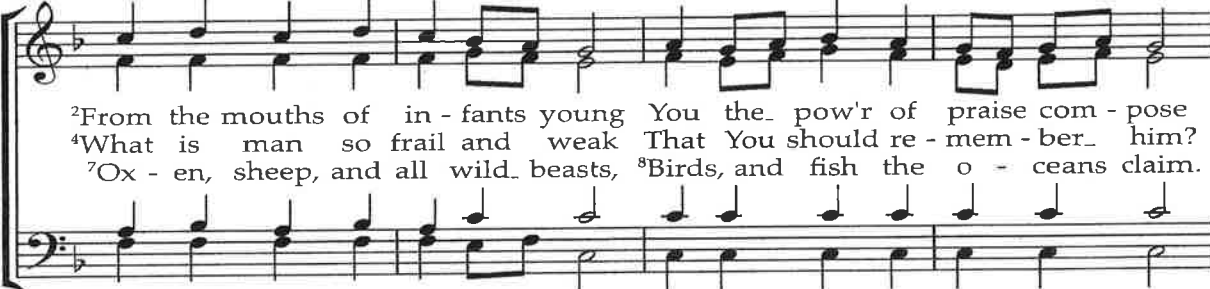
Psalm 8



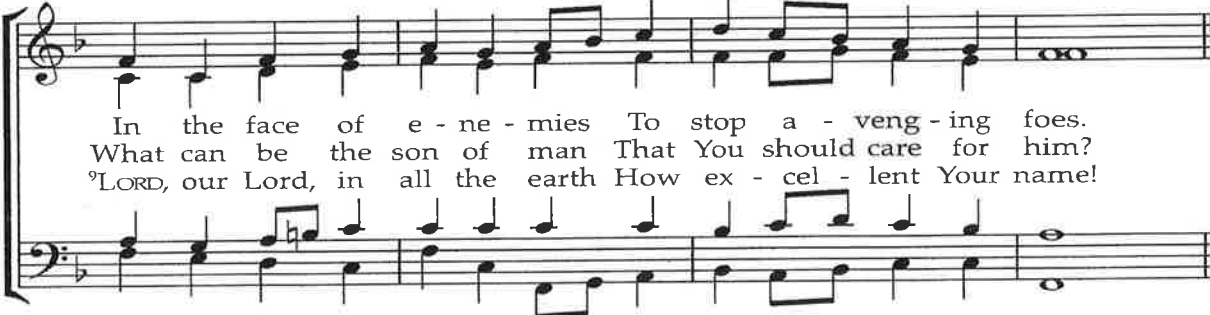
1. ¹LORD, our Lord, in all the earth How ex - cel - lent Your name!
2. ³When I view the skies a - bove Which Your own fin - gers made,
3. ⁵Next to God You have made man, With light and ho - nor crowned.



You a - bove the heav'ns have set_ The splen - dor of Your fame.
When I see the moon and stars Which You in or - der laid,
⁶You placed him a - bove Your works; Be - neath him all is found:



²From the mouths of in - fants young You the_ pow'r of praise com - pose
⁴What is man so frail and weak That You should re - mem - ber_ him?
⁷Ox - en, sheep, and all wild_ beasts, ⁸Birds, and fish the o - ceans claim.



In the face of e - ne - mies To stop a - veng - ing foes.
What can be the son of man That You should care for him?
⁹LORD, our Lord, in all the earth How ex - cel - lent Your name!

MEDITATION FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER

We offer the following for your meditation in preparing your heart for the morning message and the receiving of the sacrament of The Lord's Supper today.

Q.: May any who profess the faith, and desire to come to the Lord's supper, be kept from it?

A.: Such as are found to be ignorant or scandalous, notwithstanding their profession of the faith, and desire to come to the Lord's Supper, may and ought to be kept from that sacrament by the power which Christ has left His church, until they receive instruction, and manifest their reformation.

(Larger Catechism Question #173).

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

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May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. Gal. 6:14

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of three systems of music, each with a treble and bass staff. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff.

System 1: Chords: F, F, C, F, Gm, D, Gm, F, C, F, F. Lyrics: 1. When I sur - vey the won - drous cross on which the; 2. For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the; 3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sor - row and; 4. Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, that were a

System 2: Chords: Bb, F, C7, F, C7, F, C, F, C, F, Gm, D. Lyrics: Prince of glo - ry died, my rich - est gain I; death of Christ my God: all the vain things that; love flow min - gled down: did e'er such love and; pres - ent far too small; love so a - maz - ing,

System 3: Chords: Gm, F, C, F, F, C7, Dm, Gm, C7, F. Lyrics: count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.
charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.
sor - row meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
so di - vine, de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

How Sweet and Awful Is the Place

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A certain man was preparing a great banquet and invited many guests. Luke 14:16

1. How sweet and awe - some is the place
 2. While all our hearts and all our songs
 3. "Why was I made to hear your voice,
 4. 'Twas the same love that spread the feast

with Christ with - in the doors, while ev - er - last - ing
 join to ad - mire the feast, each of us cries, with
 and en - ter while there's room, when thou - sands make a
 that sweet - ly drew us in; else we had still re -

love dis - plays the choic - est of her stores.
 thank - ful tongue, "Lord, why was I a guest?
 wretch - ed choice, and rath - er starve than come?"
 fused to taste, and per - ished in our sin.

5. Pity the nations, O our God,
 constrain the earth to come;
 send your victorious Word abroad,
 and bring the strangers home.
6. We long to see your churches full,
 that all the chosen race
 may, with one voice and heart and soul,
 sing your redeeming grace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR MINISTRY TODAY

A.M. Sunday School

Adult Sunday School taught by Mr. Foster is accessible at SermonAudio.com/ipcsav. The title of the class is *Encounters With Jesus*. This week we will study "The Triumphal Entry" (Mark 11:1-11).

Children (Pre-K – 5th Grade) – Sunday School materials provided to parents.

Middle School & High School are encouraged to participate in the Adult Sunday School taught by Mr. Foster.

9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M. – Morning Worship (On-site and live-stream).

5:30 P.M. – Evening Worship (On-site and live-stream). **No Evening meal will be served.**

Nursery – (infants through 3-year-olds) will be available at the 9:00 a.m. service and 5:30 p.m. service. Reserve nursery care when you register for services.

7:00 P.M. – Chapel Choir Rehearsal (2nd-5th Grade), Choir Room.

7:00 P.M. – We will not have Middle School/High School Activities at the present time.

7:00 P.M. – Youth Parents' Meeting in the sanctuary

Nursery – (infants through 3-year-olds) will be available at the 9:00 a.m. service and 5:30 p.m. service.

SUNDAY EVENING MEALS

After careful consideration, the church will be halting Sunday Evening Meals for the present time.

LIVE-STREAM PLATFORMS

SermonAudio ipcs.ga/sawebcast

Facebook ipcs.ga/facebooklive

YouTube ipcs.ga/YouTube

Periscope ipcs.ga/periscope

ON-LINE THIS WEEK

Adult Meetings: This week the following meetings are planned to take place on-line:

Tuesday, 6:30 a.m.

Men's Prayer Group (both on-site and ZOOM)

Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.

iPrimes Bible Study (older adults) (via ZOOM only)

Wednesday, 12:15 a.m.

Wednesday Noon Service (both on-site and ZOOM).

ON-SITE THIS WEEK

Men's Tuesday Morning Prayer Group – 6:30 a.m. in the sanctuary and also via ZOOM meeting. The breakfast meal will be halted for the present time.

Tuesday, January 12 – Training for W.O.C. Bible Study leaders

Wednesday Noon Service – Every Wednesday in the sanctuary with the Bible Study starting at 12:15 p.m. (on-site and live-stream). Mr. Foster will be preaching. Meals will be halted for the present time.

College Bible Study – Monday at 7:00 p.m. in the Carriage House.

Wednesday Evening – No Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.

Youth Choir Rehearsals – We will meet on Wednesdays at 5:45 p.m. (No meal provided.)

Middle School/High School Youth Gatherings – Wednesdays from 6:45 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Meals will not be served at the present time.)

Thursday Morning Circle – The combined Tuesday and Thursday Morning circles will meet at Point Pleasant at 10:30 a.m. on January 14. If you wish to participate in the luncheon, please bring your own sack lunch and drink.

Thursday Evening Circle – Will meet at Panera Bread in Pooler at 6:30 p.m. on January 14.

New Covenant Bible Study – Thursday at 7:00 p.m., in the Telfair Chapel.

COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS

We continue to maintain safe practices during the pandemic. Every reasonable step is taken to safeguard the well-being of all who attend our services:

- seating in every other pew
- pews wiped down between services
- alternate pews used between services
- hymnals and Bibles removed from the sanctuary
- expanded bulletins used for the entire order of worship
- Additional precautions are taken in connection with the nursery, and other gatherings.

As always, those with pre-existing conditions or other vulnerabilities have access to our services "live" on-line, and after-the-fact at SermonAudio and YouTube.

Please be informed of the most recent Chatham County Emergency Order regarding Covid-19 as it relates to religious services (www.chathamcountyga.gov).



1 PETER

A LIVING HOPE IN CHRIST

*Registration for IPC Women's Bible Study
10 Week Study • January 19/20 - March 23/24*

*Commit to a 10-week study Tuesday morning or Wednesday evening using
Jen Wilkin's study guide: 1 Peter: A Living Hope in Christ*

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

STUDY GUIDES TO BE PURCHASED FOR \$15
AVAILABLE AT CHURCH OFFICE

Register for Nursery (infant - 4 yrs) - List names & ages of each child

I will be joining the Tuesday Morning Group - 10-11:30am

I am interested in a Tuesday Morning Zoom group

(If you are not able to join in person. This group is for those who are homebound or live out of town).

I will be joining the Wednesday Evening Group - 6:30-8pm



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<http://ipcs.ga/woc1ptr>*

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
JANUARY 13, 2021
(waitlist for late registration)

QUESTIONS: LINDA DEPUE
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