



October 24, 2021—11:00 am
Fellowship Hall

Community Life

*Gathering Song

All of creation, all of the earth
Make straight a highway,
a path for the Lord,
Jesus is coming soon.

Call back the sinner, wake up the saint,
Let ev'ry nation shout of Your fame.
Jesus is coming soon.

*Like a bride waiting for her groom,
We'll be a Church ready for You.
Ev'ry heart longing for our King, we sing,
Even so come Lord Jesus come.*

There will be justice, all will be new,
Your name forever, faithful and true.
Jesus is coming soon.

So we wait, we wait for You,
God we wait, You're coming soon.

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*Call to Worship

from Philippians 2

Leader: God has exalted Christ to the highest place
People: and gave him the name that is above every name,

Leader: that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
People: in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

Leader: and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord,
People: to the glory of God the Father!

* Please stand if you are able.

*Prayer of Adoration

*Song of Worship

Come broken and weary, come battered and bruised,
My Jesus makes all things new, all things new.

Come lost and abandoned, come blown by the wind,
He'll bring you back home again, home again.

*Rise up, O you sleeper, awake!
The light of the dawn is upon you.
Rise up, O you sleeper, awake!
He makes all things new, all things new.*

Come frozen with shame, come burning with guilt,
My Jesus, he loves you still, loves you still.

Hold on to the promise, the stories are true,
That Jesus makes all things new, all things new.

The world was good, the world is fallen,
The world will be redeemed.

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Call to Confession

from Joel 2

“Yet even now,” declares the Lord, “return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; and rend your hearts and not your garments.” Return to the Lord your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love; and he relents over disaster.

Moment of Silent Confession

Song Reflection

My Shepherd will supply my need: Jehovah is His Name;
In pastures fresh he makes me feed, beside the living stream.
He brings my wandering spirit back when I forsake his ways,
And leads me, for his mercy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.

When I walk through the shades of death, thy presence is my stay;
One word of thy supporting breath drives all my fears away.
Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, doth still my table spread;
My cup with blessings overflows, thy oil anoints my head.

The sure provisions of my God attend me all my days;
O may thy house be mine abode, and all my work be praise.
There would I find a settled rest, while others go and come;
No more a stranger or a guest, but like a child at home.

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Words of Grace and Peace

from Isaiah 53

Surely he, Jesus, took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered him punished by God, stricken by him, and afflicted. But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed.

*Pulpit Song

K4-K5 may leave for Kids Church. One parent will need to escort the child to the Commons Area.

Mine are days that God has numbered, I was made to walk with Him.
Yet I look for worldly treasure, and forsake the King of kings.

*But mine is hope in my Redeemer though I fall His love is sure.
For Christ has paid for every failing, I am His forevermore.*

Mine are tears in times of sorrow, darkness not yet understood.
Through the valley I must travel where I see no earthly good.
*But mine is peace that flows from heaven and the strength in times of need
I know my pain will not be wasted, Christ completes His work in me*

Mine are days here as a stranger, pilgrim on a narrow way,
One with Christ I will encounter, harm and hatred for His name.
*But mine is armour for this battle, strong enough to last the war,
And He has said He will deliver, safely to the golden shore.*

*And mine are keys to Zion city where beside the King I walk.
For there my heart has found its treasure, Christ is mine forevermore.*

Come rejoice now O my soul, for His love is my reward.
Fear is gone and hope is sure, Christ is mine forevermore.
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Series: Life or Death—Killing Our Sin Before It Kills Us

Prayers of the People

Journey Through Scripture Testimony

Scripture Reading

James 1

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

How Does Sin Work?

Andy Lewis

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*Parting Song

I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene,
And wonder how He could love me a sinner condemned unclean.

*How marvelous how wonderful and my song shall ever be.
How marvelous how wonderful is my Savior's love for me!*

He took my sins and my sorrows He made them His very own,
He bore the burden to Calvary and suffered and died alone.

And when I'm ransomed in glory His face I at last shall see,
'Twill be my joy through the ages to sing of His love for me.

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*Benediction

To give visit give.mitchellroad.org. Tithes and Offerings may be placed in the offering boxes at the exits of the Fellowship Hall as you leave.

Spiritual Retreat - Rescheduled

Our Spiritual retreat scheduled for November 6 will be rescheduled in the New Year due to a schedule conflict. Look for dates in upcoming communications and plan to join us!

Choir Updates (all ensembles rehearse Wednesday, 6:30-7:45pm)

The Covenant Singers (2nd-5th grade choir) will begin rehearsals on Wednesday, 10/27, in preparation for the Christmas season! Register at mitchellroad.org/events. Email Trevor with questions at tmanor@mitchellroad.org. High School students are welcome to sing with the adult choir this season, as we prepare for our Christmas Celebration with orchestra on December 12.

October Sunday Morning Elective - 10:10 am in Sanctuary
"Clear Focus: How to Become an Effective Disciple Maker" - Dr. Stephen Reel