

Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

May 3, 2020 10:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

**indicates to stand as you are able.

Prelude

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

arr. M. Bober

"Brethren, we have met to worship and adore the Lord our God. Will you pray with all your power, while we try to preach the Word? All is vain unless the Spirit of the Holy One comes down. Brethren, pray, and holy manna will be showered all around." (words: G. Atkins, 1819; music: W. Moore, 1829) (2009 Alfred Music)

Welcome and Announcements

Passing of the Peace (L: Leader; P: People)

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

****Call to Worship**

L: Our hearts are ready, O Lord, our hearts are ready!

P: We will sing and make melody! We will awaken the dawn!

L: We will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples, we will sing praises to you among the nations. **P: For your steadfast love is great above the heavens, and your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.** L: Let us worship God!

****Hymn –** 385

All People that on Earth Do Dwell

****Silent Prayer of Confession**

****Common Prayer of Confession**

Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and crowned him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him or acknowledged his rule in our lives. We have gone along with the way of the world and failed to give him glory. Forgive us and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the world and is head of the church, his body. Amen.

****Assurance of Pardon**

L: Friends, this is the Good News of the Gospel... **P: ...in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!**

**Response – 581

Glory Be to the Father

Moment with Children

Heather and Haley Barham

Prayer for Illumination

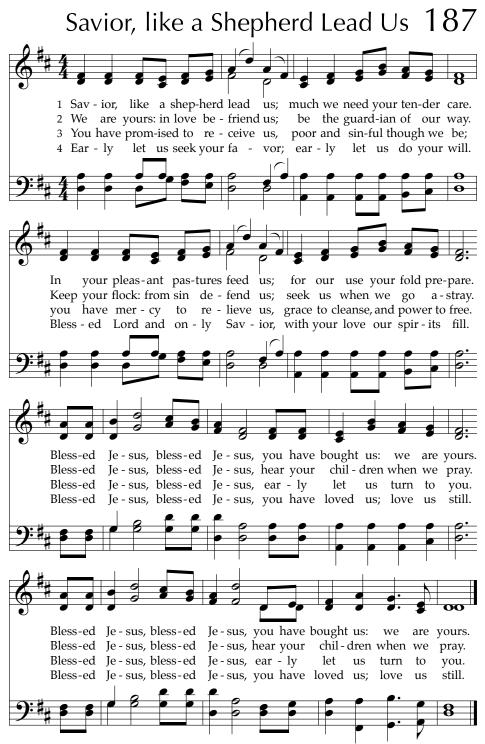
Scriptures	Psalm 23 John 10:1-10		
L: The Word (P: Thanks b	of the Lord.		
Sermon	The Lord Is My Shepherd	Rev. Scott Hoffman	
** Hymn - 187	Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us		
Offertory	Standing on the Promises	arr. M. Hayes	
(words	"Standing on the promises of Christ my king, through eternal ages let his praises ring; glory in the highest, I will shout and sing, standing on the promises of God. Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God my Savior; standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God." and music: Russell K. Kelso, 1886) (2008 Lorenz Publishing Co., a division of the Lorenz Corpo	oration)	
** Doxology - 710	We Lift Our Voices		
Prayers of Thanksgiving with The Lord's Prayer (using "debts")			
** Hymn – 720	Jesus Calls Us		
**Benediction			
Postlude	Awesome God	arr. P. Keveren	
"Our God is an awesome God, He reigns from heaven above with wisdom, power, and love; our God is an awesome God!" (words and music: Rich Mullins, 1988) (1988 BMG Sings, Inc.)			
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In a pairing that began in 1561, this paraphrase of Psalm 100 by a Scot is set to a tune that a French composer originally created for Psalm 134 in the Genevan Psalter of 1551. They have appeared together in nearly every comprehensive English-language hymnal since then.







This unattributed hymn, like many that are now meaningful to adults, was written for children and develops shepherd imagery from Psalm 23 and John 10:1–18. The tune, composed for these words, was originally named for the text but has come to be known by the composer's name.



This praise and worship song can best be understood as reflecting on and expanding 1 Chronicles 29:14b: "For all things come of you, [O Lord,] and of your own have we given you." There are also echoes of Paul's appeal for Christians to be living sacrifices (Romans 12:1).

DISCIPLESHIP AND MISSION



Like many hymns that adults have come to cherish, this text based on Jesus' calling of the disciple Andrew was written for a 19th-century collection of hymns for children. The popular tune used here was composed for these words more than a quarter of a century later.