

CRESTVIEW

MORNING WORSHIP

Spirit Life

April 29, 2018

9:30 AM

WELCOME *(Please pass the Fellowship pad to record your presence with us.)* Rev. Shawn Barkley

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES Alden Eckberg, acolyte

PREPARATION MUSIC ***How Deep the Father's Love*** Chancel Choir
How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure, that He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure. How great the pain of searing loss - the Father turns his face away, as wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory. Behold the man upon a cross, my sin upon his shoulders; ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers. It was my sin that held him there until it was accomplished; his dying breath has brought me life - I know that it is finished. I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no power, no wisdom; but I will boast in Jesus Christ, his death and resurrection. Why should I gain from his reward? I cannot give an answer; but this I know with all my heart - his wounds have paid my ransom.

bruce

*CALL TO WORSHIP Bruce Fairbairn

Leader: The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us;

People: We dwell in him and he in us.

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his name;

People: Make known his deeds among the peoples.

Leader: Sing to him, sing praises to him,

People: and speak of all his marvelous works.

Leader: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God almighty,

People: who was and is and is to come!

*HYMN OF PRAISE ***Holy, Holy, Holy*** Hymnal, No. 2

1

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

2

**Holy, Holy, Holy! All the saints adore Thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
which wert and art and evermore shalt be.**

3

**Holy, Holy, Holy! though the darkness hide Thee,
though the eye of sinful flesh Thy glory may not see,
only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.**

4

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity.**

*PRAYER OF ADORATION

Rev. Shawn Barkley

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Third Grade Bible Presentation

Rev. Shawn Barkley and Debbie Shepard

Children: May the Lord bless you as you worship him...

People: and may the Lord bless you as you learn to follow him.

Confessing Sin

CALL TO CONFESSION

Bruce Fairbairn, elder

Leader: Almighty God, you sent the promised power of the Holy Spirit to fill disciples with willing faith.

People: **We confess that we have failed to recognize and accept your most precious gift and power you offer us through the Holy Spirit. We have been satisfied with ordinary things, suspicious of unfamiliar things and blind to spiritual things.**

Leader: Cleanse us, Lord, with your Holy Spirit. Open us in faith to receive the renewing touch of your hand.

People: God have mercy on us, by your Spirit draw us together. In flame us with a desire to do your will and be your faithful people for the sake of your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ.

SILENT CONFESSION *(Use this time for your personal confession as the Holy Spirit leads you.)*

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

People: May the God of mercy, who forgives all our sins, strengthen us in all goodness and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life!

*SHARING THE LOVE & PEACE OF CHRIST

Telling Truth

SCRIPTURE

Luke 11:11-13

SERMON

Power Surge
(God empowers us by and through the Spirit)

Rev. Shawn Barkley

Responding to God

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

On Eagle's Wings

Rodney Barbour

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, Who abide in His shadow for life, Say to the Lord, "My Refuge, My Rock in Whom I trust." And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, Bear you on the breath of dawn, Make you to shine like the sun, And hold you in the palm of His Hand. The snare of the fowler will never capture you, And famine will bring you no fear; Under His Wings your refuge, His faithfulness your shield. And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, Bear you on the breath of dawn, Make you to shine like the sun, And hold you in the palm of His Hand.

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Rev. Shawn Barkley

Going into the World

*SONG OF RESPONSE

God Has Spoken by His Prophets

Hymnal, No. 311

1

**God has spoken by His prophets, spoken his unchanging Word,
Each from age to age proclaiming God, the one, the righteous Lord.
In the world's despair and turmoil, One firm anchor holds us fast;
God is King, His throne eternal, God the first, and God the last.**

2

**God has spoken by Christ Jesus, Christ, the everlasting Son,
Brightness of the Father's glory, with the Father ever one;
Spoken by the Word incarnate, God of God, ere time was born,
Light of light, to earth descending, Christ as God in human form.**

3

**God is speaking by his Spirit, speaking to our hearts again;
In the ageless Word expounding God's own message, now as then;
Through the rise and fall of nations one sure faith yet standing fast,
God abides his Word unchanging, God the first, and God the last.**

*CHARGE & BLESSING

Rev. Shawn Barkley

*POSTLUDE

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**** Congregation standing for those who are able***