



SOUTH CLT PRES CHURCH

Sunday, March 30, 2025

Worship Service

Welcome & Call to Worship

Psalm 110:1-3- 5-7

Pastoral Intern Felipe Heringer

Leader: The Lord says to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand, until I make your enemies your footstool." The Lord sends forth from Zion your mighty scepter. Rule in the midst of your enemies!

People: Your people will offer themselves freely on the day of your power, in holy garments; from the womb of the morning, the dew of your youth will be yours.

Leader: The Lord is at your right hand; he will shatter kings on the day of his wrath. He will execute judgment among the nations, filling them with corpses; he will shatter chiefs over the wide earth.

All: He will drink from the brook by the way; therefore he will lift up his head.

Worship in Song

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS, THE LAMB UPON HIS THRONE
HARK! HOW THE HEAVENLY ANTHEM DROWNS, ALL MUSIC BUT ITS OWN
AWAKE, MY SOUL AND SING, OF HIM WHO DIED FOR THEE
AND HAIL HIM AS THY MATCHLESS KING, THROUGH ALL ETERNITY

CROWN HIM THE LORD OF LOVE, BEHOLD HIS HANDS AND SIDE
RICH WOUNDS, YET VISIBLE ABOVE, IN BEAUTY GLORIFIED
NO ANGEL IN THE SKY, CAN FULLY BEAR THAT SIGHT
BUT DOWNWARD BENDS HIS BURNING EYE, AT MYSTERIES SO BRIGHT

CROWN HIM THE LORD OF LIFE, WHO TRIUMPHED O'ER THE GRAVE
AND ROSE VICTORIOUS IN THE STRIFE, FOR THOSE HE CAME TO SAVE

HIS GLORIES NOW WE SING, WHO DIED, AND ROSE ON HIGH,
WHO DIED ETERNAL LIFE TO BRING, AND LIVES THAT DEATH MAY DIE

CROWN HIM THE LORD OF PEACE, WHOSE POWER A SCEPTER SWAYS
FROM POLE TO POLE, THAT WARS MAY CEASE
ABSORBED IN PRAYER AND PRAISE
HIS REIGN SHALL HAVE NO END, AND ROUND HIS PIERCED FEET
FAIR FLOWERS OF PARADISE EXTEND, THEIR FRAGRANCE EVER SWEET

HOW GREAT THOU ART

O LORD MY GOD WHEN I IN AWESOME WONDER
CONSIDER ALL THE WORLDS THY HANDS HAVE MADE
I SEE THE STARS I HEAR THE ROLLING THUNDER
THY POW'R THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSE DISPLAYED

THEN SINGS MY SOUL MY SAVIOR GOD TO THEE
HOW GREAT THOU ART HOW GREAT THOU ART
THEN SINGS MY SOUL MY SAVIOR GOD TO THEE
HOW GREAT THOU ART HOW GREAT THOU ART

AND WHEN I THINK THAT GOD HIS SON NOT SPARING
SENT HIM TO DIE I SCARCE CAN TAKE IT IN
THAT ON THE CROSS MY BURDEN GLADLY BEARING
HE BLED AND DIED TO TAKE AWAY MY SIN

WHEN CHRIST SHALL COME WITH SHOUT OF ACCLAMATION
AND TAKE ME HOME WHAT JOY SHALL FILL MY HEART
THEN I SHALL BOW IN HUMBLE ADORATION
AND THERE PROCLAIM MY GOD HOW GREAT THOU ART

CHRIST IS MINE FOREVERMORE

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!

AND MINE ARE KEYS TO ZION CITY
WHERE BESIDE THE KING I WALK
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Community Time

Pastor Dean Faulkner

Giving

Pastoral Intern Felipe Heringer

Pastoral Prayer

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Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your 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 yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Pastor Dean Faulkner

Revelation 2:8-17

"To the angel of the church in Sardis write:

These are the words of him who holds the seven spirits of God and the seven stars. I know your deeds; you have a reputation of being alive, but you are dead. Wake up! Strengthen what remains and is about to die, for I have found your deeds unfinished in the sight of my God. Remember, therefore, what you have received and heard; hold it fast, and repent. But if you do not wake up, I will come like a thief, and you will not know at what time I will come to you.

Yet you have a few people in Sardis who have not soiled their clothes. They will walk with me, dressed in white, for they are worthy. The one who is victorious will, like them, be dressed in white. I will never blot out the name of that person from the book of life, but will acknowledge that name before my Father and his angels. Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches.

"To the angel of the church in Philadelphia write:

These are the words of him who is holy and true, who holds the key of David. What he opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can open. I know your deeds. See, I have placed before you an open door that no one can shut. I know that you have little strength, yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name. I will make those who are of the synagogue of Satan, who claim to be Jews though they are not, but are liars—I will make them come and fall down at your feet and acknowledge that I have loved you. Since you have kept my command to endure patiently, I will also keep you from the hour of trial that is going to come on the whole world to test the inhabitants of the earth.

I am coming soon. Hold on to what you have, so that no one will take your crown. The one who is victorious I will make a pillar in the temple of my God. Never again will they leave it. I will write on them the name of my God and the name of the city of my God, the new Jerusalem, which is coming down out of heaven from my God; and I will also write on them my new name. Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Pastor Dean Faulkner

Wake Up and Hold Fast

Overcome

Revelation 3:1-13

1. Wake Up (vv. 1-4)
2. Hold Fast (vv. 7-11)
3. Honor Awaits (vv. 5, 12) When Jesus Returns (vv. 3b, 10)

Song of Response

CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

WERE CREATION SUDDENLY ARTICULATE
WITH A THOUSAND TONGUES TO LIFT ONE CRY
THEN FROM NORTH TO SOUTH AND EAST TO WEST
WE'D HEAR CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

WERE THE WHOLE EARTH ECHOING HIS EMINENCE
HIS NAME WOULD BURST FROM SEA AND SKY
FROM RIVERS TO THE MOUNTAIN TOPS
WE'D HEAR CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

O CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED
LET HIS PRAISE ARISE
CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED IN ME
O CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED
FROM THE ALTAR OF MY LIFE
CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED IN ME

WHEN EV'RY CREATURE FINDS ITS INMOST MELODY
AND EV'RY HUMAN HEART ITS NATIVE CRY
O THEN IN ONE ENRAPTURED HYMN OF PRAISE
WE'LL SING CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

I WON'T BOW TO IDOLS
I'LL STAND STRONG AND WORSHIP YOU
AND IF IT PUTS ME IN THE FIRE
I'LL REJOICE 'CAUSE YOU'RE THERE TOO
I WON'T BE FORMED BY FEELINGS
I HOLD FAST TO WHAT IS TRUE

IF THE CROSS BRINGS TRANSFORMATION
THEN I'LL BE CRUCIFIED WITH YOU
(YOU CAN HANG ME THERE WITH YOU)

'CAUSE DEATH IS JUST THE DOORWAY
INTO RESURRECTION LIFE
IF I JOIN YOU IN YOUR SUFF'RINGS
THEN I'LL JOIN YOU WHEN YOU RISE

AND WHEN YOU RETURN IN GLORY
WITH ALL THE ANGELS AND THE SAINTS
MY HEART WILL STILL BE SINGING
MY SONG WILL BE THE SAME

Benediction

Pastor Dean Faulkner