

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP | THE LORD’S DAY | OCTOBER 19, 2025 | 10:45 A.M.

- *The Call to Worship
- *The Psalm of Praise No. TH110“Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah” (Psalm 148)
- *The Prayer of Adoration
- *The Confession of FaithThe Heidelberg Catechism No. 70
 - Q. What does it mean to be washed with Christ’s blood and Spirit?
 - A. *To be washed with Christ’s blood means that God, by grace, has forgiven our sins because of Christ’s blood poured out for us in his sacrifice on the cross. To be washed with Christ’s Spirit means that the Holy Spirit has renewed and sanctified us to be members of Christ, so that more and more we die to sin and live holy and blameless lives.*
- The Law of God.....Exodus 20:1-17
- The Prayer of Confession
 - Have mercy upon us, O God, according to your lovingkindness: according unto the multitude of your tender mercies blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin. For we acknowledge our transgressions: and our sin is ever before us. Against you, you only, have we sinned, and done this evil in your sight: that you might be justified when you speak, and be clear when you judge. Behold, you desire truth in the inward parts. Purge us with hyssop, and we shall be clean: wash us, and we shall be whiter than snow.*
- The Silent Confession
- The Assurance of Pardon.....Jeremiah 50:20
 - In those days and in that time, declares the LORD, iniquity shall be sought in Israel, and there shall be none, and sin in Judah, and none shall be found, for I will pardon those whom I leave as a remnant.
- *The Psalm No. 138“With All My Heart My Thanks I’ll Bring” (pp. 2-3)

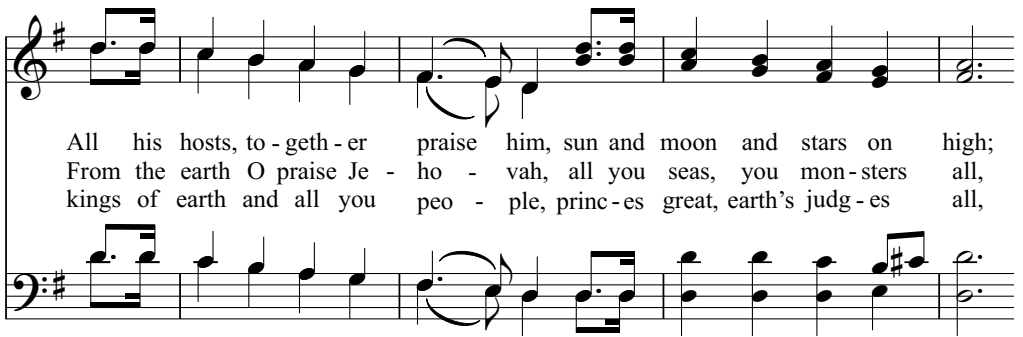
Psalm 148B



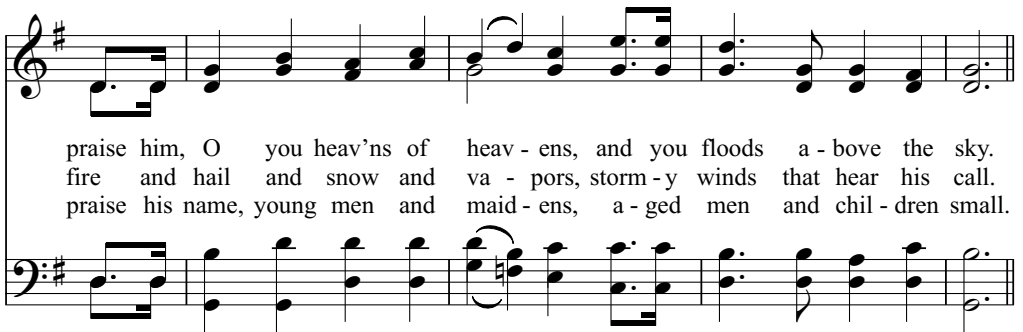
1. Hal - le - lu - jah, praise Je - ho - vah, from the heav - ens praise his name;
 2. Let them prais - es give Je - ho - vah, they were made at his com - mand;
 3. All you fruit - ful trees and ce - dars, all you hills and moun - tains high,



praise Je - ho - vah in the high - est, all his an - gels, praise pro - claim.
 them for - ev - er he es - tab - lished, his de - cree shall ev - er stand.
 creep - ing things and beasts and cat - tle, birds that in the heav - ens fly,



All his hosts, to - geth - er praise him, sun and moon and stars on high;
 From the earth O praise Je - ho - vah, all you seas, you mon - sters all,
 kings of earth and all you peo - ple, princ - es great, earth's judg - es all,

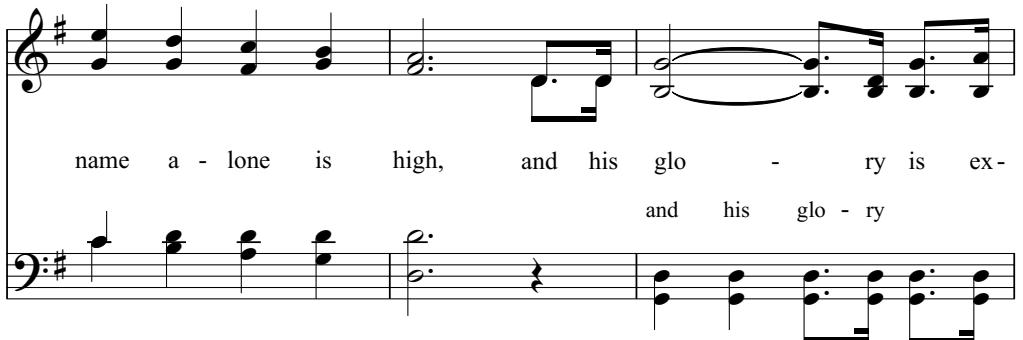


praise him, O you heav'ns of heav - ens, and you floods a - bove the sky.
 fire and hail and snow and va - pors, storm - y winds that hear his call.
 praise his name, young men and maid - ens, a - ged men and chil - dren small.

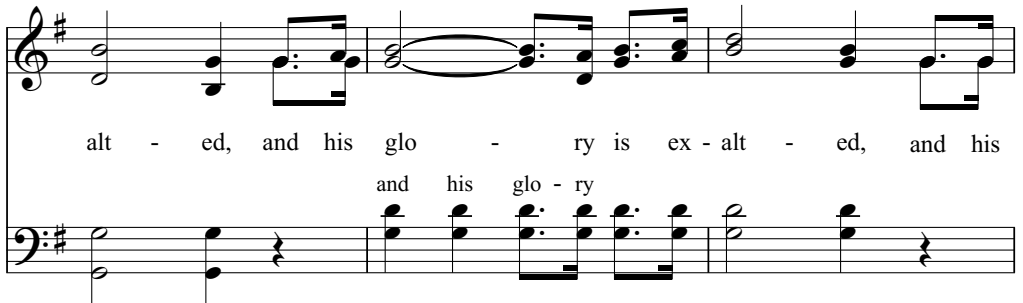
Refrain



Let them prais - es give Je - ho - vah, for his
Let them prais - es



name a - lone is high, and his glo - ry is ex -
and his glo - ry



alt - ed, and his glo - ry is ex - alt - ed, and his
and his glo - ry



glo - ry is ex - alt - ed far a - bove the earth and sky.
and his glo - ry

1. ¹ With all my heart my thanks I'll bring; Be = fore the
 2. For You have mag = ni = fied Your word; So far a =
 3. ⁴ All kings of earth will thank You; LORD; They'll sing when
 4. ⁶ The LORD, al = though ex = alt = ed high; On low = ly

gods Your praise I'll sing. ² I'll bow down toward Your
 bove Your name a = dored. ³ You an = swered me the
 they have heard Your word. ⁵ The LORD's ways they will
 ones will keep His eye; But those who proud and

ho = ly place; And praise Your name for truth and grace;
 day I called; You strength = ened me and made me bold.
 cel = e = brate; The glo = ry of the LORD is great.
 haugh = ty are; He knows them on = ly from a = far.

5. ⁷ Through trouble though my pathway be,
 My life You will preserve for me;
 With outstretched hand You will oppose
 The wrath and anger of my foes.

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6. Your right hand, LORD, will set me free
⁸ And work out what pertains to me.
Your love, O LORD, forever stands;
Leave not the works done by Your hands.

~ We Respond to God's Grace with Offerings of Ourselves and Our Needs ~
The Offering and Encouragement to Give1 Corinthians 16:2

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On the first day of every week, each of you is to put something aside and store it up, as he may prosper, so that there will be no collecting when I come.

The Old Testament ReadingExodus 23

The Great Prayer

***The Hymn No. 644“May the Mind of Christ My Savior”**

~ God Speaks to Us in His Word ~

The SermonThe Reverend Ryan Biese

“Walking Wisely” | Ephesians 5:15-21 | Pg. 919 | The Epistle to the Ephesians No. 37

SERMON NOTES

A. Circumspect (vv. 15-16)

1. Wisdom (v. 15)

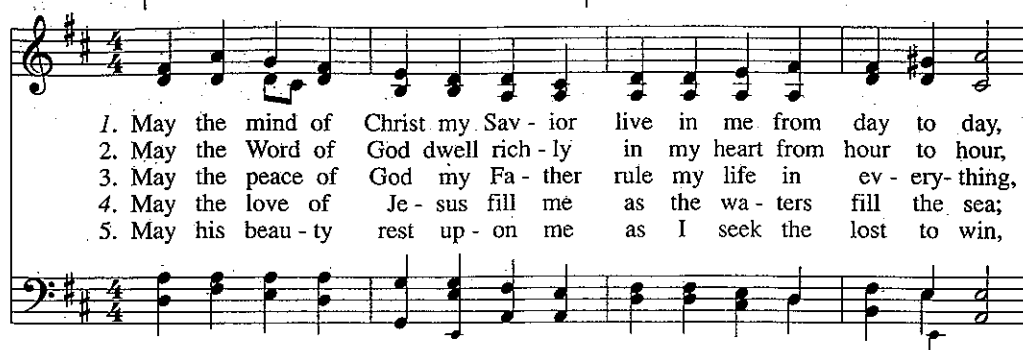
2. Redemption (v. 16)

B. Sober (vv. 17-18)

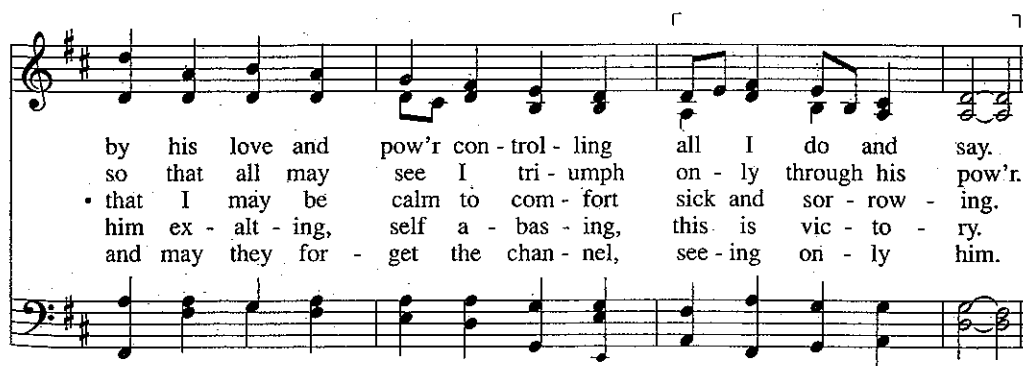
May the Mind of Christ My Savior

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Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus. Phil. 2:5



1. May the mind of Christ my Sav - ior live in me from day to day,
 2. May the Word of God dwell rich - ly in my heart from hour to hour,
 3. May the peace of God my Fa - ther rule my life in ev - ery - thing,
 4. May the love of Je - sus fill me as the wa - ters fill the sea;
 5. May his beau - ty rest up - on me as I seek the lost to win,



by his love and pow'r con - trol - ling all I do and say.
 so that all may see I tri - umph on - ly through his pow'r.
 that I may be calm to com - fort sick and sor - row - ing.
 him ex - alt - ing, self a - bas - ing, this is vic - to - ry.
 and may they for - get the chan - nel, see - ing on - ly him.

Kate B. Wilkinson, 1925

ST. LEONARDS 8.7.8.5.
 A. Cyril Barham-Gould, 1925; alt. 1990

1. Discernment (v. 17)

2. Control (v. 18)

C. Spiritual (vv. 19-21)

1. Praise (v. 19)

2. Gratitude (v. 20)

3. Submission (v. 21)

~ We Respond to God Speaking in His Word ~

*The Hymn of Commitment....."O Church, Arise" (pp.4-5)

1. O church, a - rise and put your ar - mor on; Hear the
2. Our call to war, to love the cap - tive soul, But to
3. Come, see the cross where love and mer - cy meet, As the
4. So Spir - it, come, put strength in ev - 'ry stride, Give



call of Christ our cap - tain; For now the weak can say that
rage a - gainst the cap - tor; And with the sword that makes the
Son of God is strick - en; Then see His foes lie crushed be -
grace for ev - 'ry hur - dle, That we may run with faith to



they are strong In the strength that God has giv - en. With shield of
wound - ed whole We will fight with faith and val - or. When faced with
neath His feet, For the Con - quer - or has ris - en! And as the
win the prize Of a ser - vant good and faith - ful. As saints of



faith and belt of truth We'll stand a - gainst the dev - il's lies; An arm - y
trials on ev - 'ry side, We know the out - come is se - cure, And Christ will
stone is rolled a - way, And Christ e - merg - es from the grave, This vic - t'ry
old still line the way, Re - tell - ing tri - umphs of His grace, We hear their



bold whose bat - tle cry is "Love!" Reach - ing out to those in dark - ness.
have the prize for which He died - An in - her - i - tance of na - tions.
march con - tin - ues till the day Ev - 'ry eye and heart shall see Him.
calls and hun - ger for the day When, with Christ, we stand in glo - ry.



***The Benediction**

***The Response No. 735“The Gloria Patri”**

REFORMATION HYMN FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 26 | 6:00 P.M.

First Presbyterian Church in Chattanooga

There will be no evening worship
at FPFO that Lord’s Day.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | 1 HARKER ROAD | FORT OGLETHORPE

Proverbs

Youth & Adult
Sunday School

For the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding; he stores up sound wisdom for the upright; he is a shield to those who walk in integrity (Prov. 2:6–7).

MOMS BOOK STUDY

Five
Lies of Our
Anti-Christian
Age



Rosaria
Butterfield

Foreword by Kevin P. Johnson

First Thursday of the Month 10:30 a.m. at the Church
Contact Ann Biese for more details.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OCTOBER 19, 2025

Announcements are due 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays and must be emailed to office@fpfo.org.

- ❖ Please answer God's call to worship this evening with us at 6:00 p.m. We will have our normal hymn sing to begin worship, so be ready with your requests! The Lord's Supper will be observed tonight in evening worship.
- ❖ The morning nursery rotation schedule until the end of the year is now posted in the Fellowship Hall. Please see Mary Lou with any questions. You will still receive reminder texts for AM and PM nursery.
- ❖ Operation Christmas Child packing day is coming soon. If you would like to make a monetary donation to purchase items we're short, write the check or cash with OCC in the memo line. Deadline is today.
- ❖ The next Stated Session Meeting is October 22 at 6:30 p.m. The Women in the Church planning meeting is also October 22 at 6:30 p.m. There will be no other midweek activities at that time.

Keep Up With the Worship & Work of the Church

- + Sign up for text message alerts and updates by texting *FPFO* to 84576.
- + To subscribe to the prayer list, please contact the church secretary: office@fpfo.org.
- + Contributions may be received during the offering in worship, mailing a check to the church office, or online: FPFO.org/give

To submit prayer requests, please email the church office or call 706-866-2521.

FPFO Weekly Activities Schedule

The Lord's Day

Wednesday

9:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship

5:00 p.m. Sermon Broadcast

WAAK 94.7 FM

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

(excluding First Sundays)

5:55 p.m. Covered-Dish Supper

6:30-7:15 p.m. Prayer Meeting

6:30-7:15 p.m. Children's Song Class

Children are always welcome in worship, but a nursery is also available for children 3 and under.

Nursery: Oct. 19: L. Bible & S. Wilson

Oct. 26: L. Murphy & A. Wilson