



GOOD SHEPHERD

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

JULY 3, 2022

Welcome to Good Shepherd

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If this is your first time with us, we are especially glad you are here. Please don't hesitate to ask one of our greeters regarding the location of the nursery, restrooms, or just a cup of coffee!

We realize that the flow and order of our worship may be unfamiliar, so there are notes in the margins that will offer some explanations and hopefully help you participate. Our service is designed to be both biblical and Christ centered as we cycle through the wonderful truths of the Gospel each week. We gather not for a lecture, conference, or concert, but for an encounter and covenant renewal with God. Therefore, our service follows the pattern God gave his people thousands of years ago: God speaks and we respond.

We also hope that you will join us after the service. Downstairs in the fellowship hall you will find plenty of refreshments and snacks as well as a warm welcome from our church family. If you have any questions from the sermon you can return to the sanctuary about 15 minutes after the service for our *Ask the Pastor* time. This is a great place to process the wonderful truths of the Gospel that we proclaim.

Lastly, we would love to know that you were here this morning. In the backs of the pews there is an info sheet that you can fill out and put in the offering basket during the service. Don't worry, we won't bombard you with endless emails. We just want an opportunity to say hello. If there is any way that we can pray for you, or if you have questions about the church, you can write those on the back as well.

Wherever you are this morning, our hope is that God would attend to the ministry of His Word, and that you would know the love of your blessed Savior.

A Word to Parents with Young Children

First, we want you to know that we are delighted to have your children in worship with us this morning. There is nothing better that we can give our children than the opportunity to know and worship their Heavenly Father. Any noises that they may make are not an embarrassing distraction, but a beautiful reminder that they are participating in God's means of grace.

We do understand, however, that it is sometimes helpful to have other means of serving our children and families. Through the back doors of the sanctuary you will find a **cry room** if you have little ones that are getting fussy or who need to nurse. We also have an **overflow room** with a live-stream of the service in the downstairs fellowship hall.

Lastly, we have a **nursery** downstairs for children ages 0-3. Staff in the nursery are background checked and trained.



Order of Worship

Preparation

Preparatory Thought.....

“Think in every line you read [in the Bible] that God is speaking to you.” — *Thomas Watson*

Prelude.....

Welcome and Announcements.....

Praise

Call to Worship*.....*John 7:37b–38*

Leader: If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink.
Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, "Out of his
heart will flow rivers of living water."

Prayer of Adoration*.....

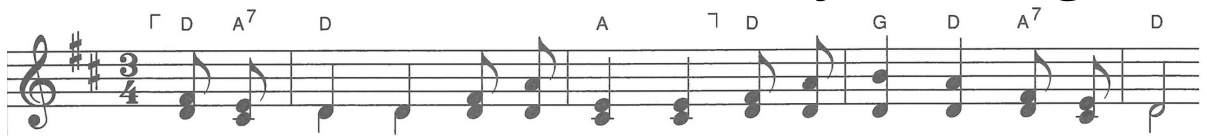
Hymn #457*.....*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

*please stand if able

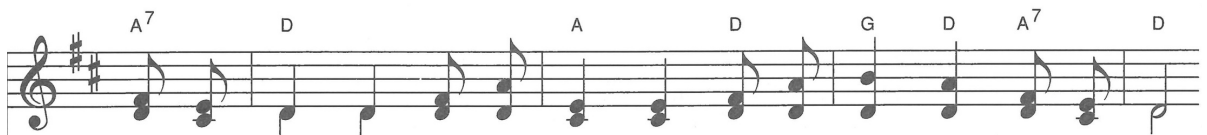
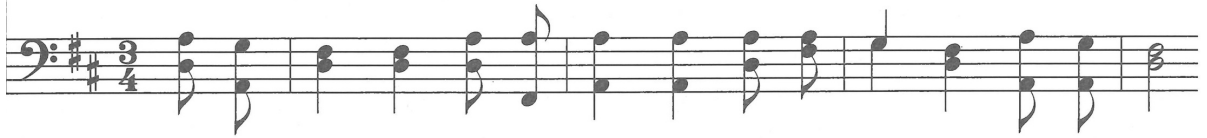
*We invite you to take a few
moments this morning to
prayerfully prepare to meet
with and worship the living
God.*

*God's people come because
he first calls them. We open
our services this way as
a reminder that it is God
himself who is calling us
into his presence this
morning.*

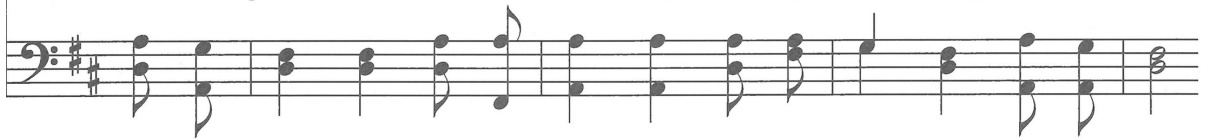
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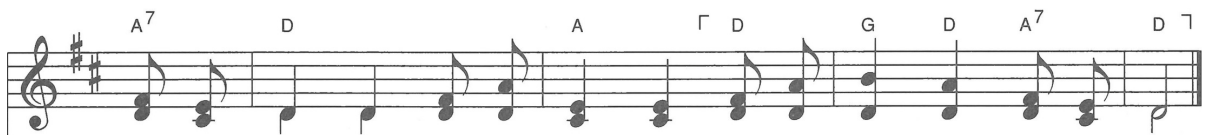
1. Come, thou fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
 2. Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer; hith - er by thy help I'm come;
 3. O to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to be;



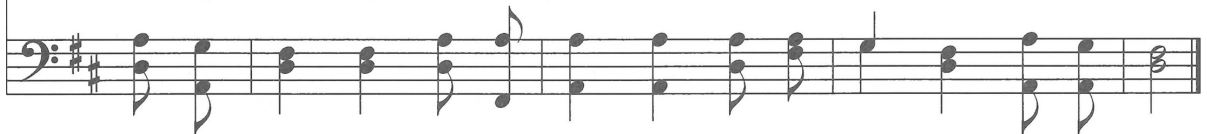
streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.
 and I hope, by thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.
 let that grace now, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - d'ring heart to thee.



Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove;
 Je - sus sought me when a strang - er, wan - d'ring from the fold of God:
 Prone to wan - der—Lord, I feel it—prone to leave the God I love:



praise the mount! I'm fixed up - on it, mount of God's un - chang - ing love.
 he, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.
 here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.



*The Word of God is always
sufficient to do the work of
God. Therefore, each week we
continue the practice of
God's people listening to the
public reading of scripture.*

*While it is right for us to
confess our sins in light of
God's holiness, our
forgiveness is not merited
through this act or the
absolution of a priest.
Rather, it is Christ who saves
and speaks through His
Word to assure us that our
sin has been pardoned.*

*If you are visiting with us
there is no expectation for
you to contribute to this
morning's offering. For those
who are giving we remember
that we are called to joyful
worship of the God who
continues to give us all that
we need in Christ.*

Renewal

Scripture Reading.....*Jonah 4:5–11*

Corporate Prayer of Confession.....

Assurance of Pardon.....*John 1:12–13*

Leader: But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name,
he gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of
blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.

Song/Offering.....*The Lord is My Salvation*

Congregational Prayer.....

Hymn #715**Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

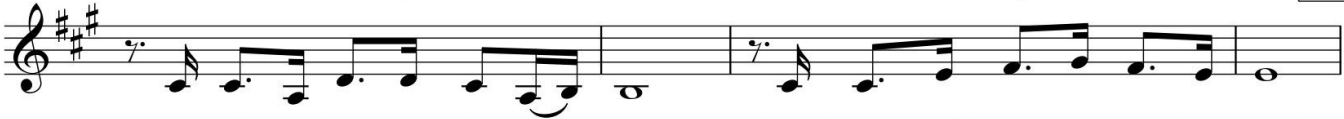
The Lord is My Salvation



1.The grace of God has reached for me, and pulled me from the rag-ing sea.
2.My hope is hid-den in the Lord, he flow'rs each pro-mise of his Word.
3.And when I reach the fi - nal day, he will not leave me in the grave.



And I am safe on the sol - id ground: The Lord is my sal - va - tion.
When win-ter fades, I know spring will come: The Lord is my sal - va - tion.
But I will rise, He will call me home: The Lord is my sal - va - tion. REF



I will not fear when dark-ness falls, his strength will help me scale these walls.
In times of wait-ing, times of need, when I know loss, when I am weak.



I'll see the dawn of the ris - ing sun: The Lord is my sal - va - tion.
I know his grace will re-new these days: The Lord is my sal - va - tion.

Refrain

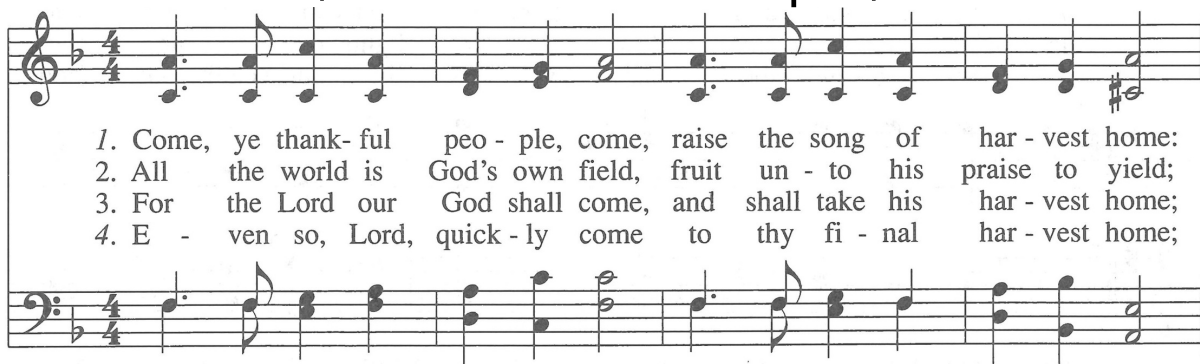


And who is like the Lord our God? Strong to save, faith - ful in love.

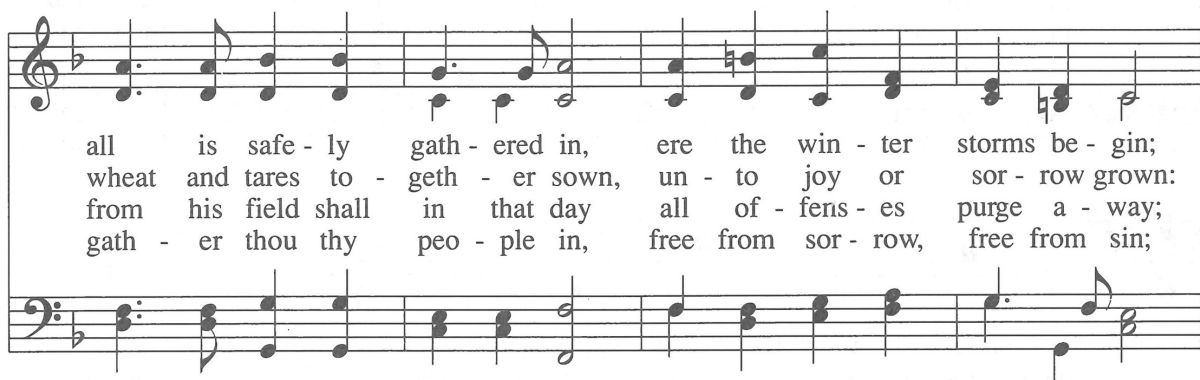


My debt is paid and the vic - t'ry won: The Lord is my sal - va - tion.

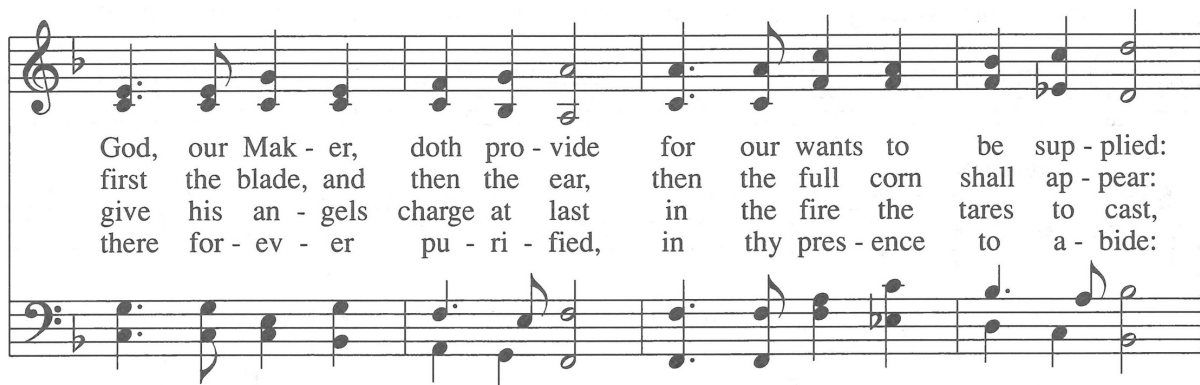
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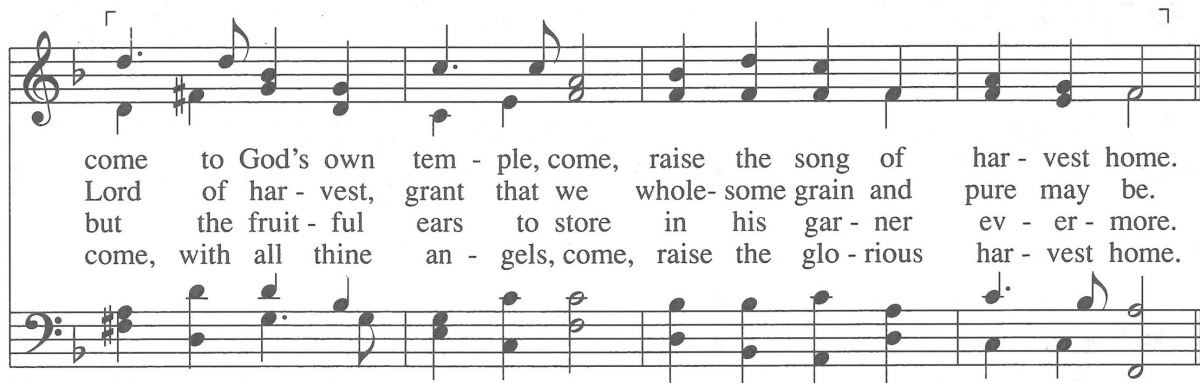
1. Come, ye thank-ful peo-ple, come, raise the song of har-vest home:
 2. All the world is God's own field, fruit un-to his praise to yield;
 3. For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take his har-vest home;
 4. E - ven so, Lord, quick-ly come to thy fi-nal har-vest home;



all is safe-ly gath-ered in, ere the win-ter storms be-gin;
 wheat and tares to- geth-er sown, un-to joy or sor-row grown:
 from his field shall in that day all of-fens-es purge a-way;
 gath-er thou thy peo-ple in, free from sor-row, free from sin;



God, our Mak-er, doth pro-vide for our wants to be sup-plied:
 first the blade, and then the ear, then the full corn shall ap-pear:
 give his an-gels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast,
 there for-ev-er pu-ri-fied, in thy pres-ence to a-bide:



come to God's own tem-ple, come, raise the song of har-vest home.
 Lord of har-vest, grant that we whole-some grain and pure may be.
 but the fruit-ful ears to store in his gar-ner ev-er-more.
 come, with all thine an-gels, come, raise the glo-rious har-vest home.

*Each week, we preach, verse by
verse through books of the
Bible so that we are instructed
by the full counsel of God,
rather than whatever the
preacher deems most
important.*

*We celebrate the Lord's Supper
every week trusting that our
Lord is truly, spiritually
present nourishing His people.
If you are a member of a local
church, have been baptized,
and believe that you are saved
by grace through faith, then
we welcome you to participate
with us.*

Proclamation

Prayer for Illumination.....

Sermon.....Rev. Neil Quinn
"The Year of the Lord's Favor" – *Daniel 9:24–27*

Response

Celebration of the Lord's Supper.....

Hymn #701*.....*Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!*

Benediction*

Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!

Unison Capo 1: (D) (Bm) (F#m) (Bm) (Em) (A')

1. Re-deemed, how I love to pro-claim it! Re-deemed by the
2. Re-deemed and so hap-py in Je-sus, no lan-guage my
3. I think of my bless-ed Re-deem-er, I think of him

(D) (G) (D) (Bm) (F#m) (D⁷)

blood of the Lamb; re-deemed thro' his in-fi-nite mer-cy, his
rap-ture can tell; I know that the light of his pres-ence with
all the day long; I sing, for I can-not be si-lent; his

(Em⁷) (D) REFRAIN (G) (F#m) (D)

child, and for-ev-er, I am.
me doth con-tin-ual-ly dwell. Re-deemed, re-deemed,
love is the theme of my song.

(Bm) (E⁷) (A) (A⁷) (D) (Bm)

re-deemed by the blood of the Lamb; re-deemed thro' his

(F#m) (D') (Em') (D)

in-fi-nite mer-cy, his child, and for-ev-er, I am.

Sermon Outline

"The Year of the Lord's Favor"

Daniel 9:24-27

Big Idea—Jesus Christ is the end of sin and the beginning of everlasting righteousness. We therefore live in the year of the Lord's favor.

Introduction: The Year of Jubilee

God's Answer to Daniel's Prayer

Seventy Sevens

The First Sixty-Nine Sevens

The Seventieth Seven

Conclusion: The Coming of Christ and the Year of the Lord's Favor

Sermon Notes

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Announcements

- Our first **women's retreat** is scheduled for October 28-29 at Maranatha Bible Camp.

Financials

- Total Giving through May (\$92,399)
- Total Expenses through May (\$99,309)
- Welcome Home Contributions (\$29,270)

Get Involved

- Join us after the service for our ***Ask the Pastor*** time where you can follow up on the sermon or ask other Bible and faith questions you may have.
- **Senior and Junior High** students are invited to attend our weekly catechism class after service in the upstairs classrooms.
- **Young Adults** meet every Wednesday for fellowship and a sermon discussion.
- **Women's Bible Study** meets every other Thursday at 7:30pm.
- **Men's Bible Study** groups meet weekly in the morning and evening time slots.
- We have **fellowship groups** that meet throughout the week in the greater Kalamazoo area.
- **The choir** meets for practice every Tuesday at 7:00pm.

