



# GOOD SHEPHERD

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

AUGUST 7, 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

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

Preparatory Thought.....

“Though we are commanded to ‘wash ourselves’, to ‘cleanse ourselves from sins’, to ‘purge ourselves from all our iniquities’, yet to imagine that we can do these things by our own efforts is to trample on the cross and grace of Jesus Christ.” — *John Owen*

Prelude.....

Welcome and Announcements.....

## Praise

*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.*

Call to Worship\* .....*Psalm 57:7-11*

**Leader:** My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast! I will sing and make melody! Awake, my glory! Awake, O harp and lyre! I will awake the dawn! I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to you among the nations. For your steadfast love is great to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds. Be exalted, O God, above the heavens! Let your glory be over all the earth!

Prayer of Adoration\* .....

Song\* .....*Behold Our God*

\*please stand if able

# Behold Our God

♩ = 73

**VERSE**

C Em C Em

1. Who has held the oceans in His hands? Who has numbered every grain of sand?  
2. Who has given counsel to the Lord? Who can question any of His words?  
3. Who has felt the nails upon His hands, bearing all the guilt of sinful man?

5

C Em C

Kings and nations tremble at His voice. All creation  
Who can teach the One who knows all things? Who can fathom  
God eternal, humbled to the grave. Jesus, Savior,

8

Em<sup>7</sup> G **CHORUS** C G/B Am F

ris-es to re-joice. Be-hold our God, seat-ed on His throne. Come, let us a-  
all His won-drous deeds? ris-en now to reign!

13

C G C G/B Am F C G C

dore Him. Be-hold our King, noth-ing can com-pare. Come, let us a-dore Him!

19

C **BRIDGE** F/C C

*Pt. 2* Let Your glo-ry fill the earth. Let Your  
*Pt. 1* You will reign for-ev-er. You will reign for -

*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

Corporate Reading of Scripture.....*John 13:21-30 (p.900)*

Corporate Prayer of Confession.....

Assurance of Pardon.....*Romans 8:33-34*

**Leader:** Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

Song/Offering.....*How Deep the Father's Love for Us*

Congregational Prayer.....

# How Deep the Father's Love for Us

1

D Em7 D/F# G2 D/F# Bm7 A7sus4 A7

10/4

1 How deep the Fa - ther's love for us! How vast be - yond all mea - sure!  
 2 Be - hold the man up - on a cross, My sin up - on His shoul - ders;  
 3 I will not boast in an - y - thing, No gifts, no pow'r, no wis - dom;

4

D Em7 D/F# G2 D/A A7sus4 A7 D

That he should give his on - ly Son to make a wretch his tres - ure! How  
 A - shamed, I hear my mock - ing voice Call out a - mong the scoff - ers. It  
 But I will boast in Je - sus Christ, His death and res - ur - rec - tion. Why

8

D/F# G/B D/A G2 D/F# Bm A7sus4 A7

great the pain of sear - in loss! The Fa - ther turned his face a - way;  
 was my sin that held Him there Un - til it was ac - com - plished;  
 should I gain from His re - ward? I can - not give an an - swer;

10

D Em7 D/F# G2 D/A A7sus4 A7 D

as wounds which mar the Cho - sen One bring ma - ny sons to glo - ry.  
 His dy - ing breath has brought me life; I know that it is fin - ished.  
 But this I know with all my heart; His wounds have paid my ran - som.

# Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

What gift of grace is Je - sus my re - deem - er. There is no  
The night is dark but I am not for - sak - en. For by my  
No fate I dread, I know I am for - giv - en. The fu - ture  
With ev - ery breath I long to fol - low Je - sus For He has

3

more for heav - en now to give. He is my joy, my right - eous - ness, and  
side, the Sav - iour He will stay. I la - bor on in weak - ness and re -  
sure, the price it has been paid. For Je - sus bled and suf - fered for my  
said that He will bring me home And day by day I know He will re -

6

free - dom. My stead - fast love, my deep and bound - less peace. To this I  
joic - ing For in my need, His pow - er is dis - played, To this I  
par - don, And He was raised to o - ver - throw the grave. To this I  
new me Un - til I stand with joy be - fore the throne To this I

9

hold, my hope is on - ly Je - sus, For my life is whol - ly bound to His. Oh how  
hold, my Shep - herd will de - fend - me Through the deep - est val - ley He will lead. Oh the  
hold, my sin has been de - feat - ed. Je - sus now and e - ver is my plea. Oh the  
hold, my hope is on - ly Je - sus All the glo - ry ev - er - more to Him When the

strange and di - vine, I can sing: all is mine! Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
night has been won, and I shall o - ver - come! Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
chains are re - leased, I can sing: I am free! Yet not I, but through Christ in me.  
race is com - plete, still my lips shall re - peat Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

*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

Song\* .....*Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me*

Prayer for Illumination.....

Sermon.....Rev. Neil Quinn  
*"God's Supreme Revelation in His Son" – Hebrews 1:1-2a (p.1001)*

## Response

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

Song\* .....*How Great Thou Art*

Benediction\*.....

# Sermon Outline

"God's Supreme Revelation in His Son"

*Hebrews 1:1-2a (p.1001)*

**Big Idea:** *God speaks through his Son, and you hear his Son in the Scriptures.*

**Introduction: Like a Ship in Danger at Sea**

**A Sermon on Christ's Supremacy**

**God's Spoken Word**

1. *God's Progressive and Preparatory Word Through Prophets.*

2. *God's Complete and Comprehensive Word Through Christ.*

**Conclusion: God Speaks By His Son in the Scriptures**

# How Great Thou Art

♩ = 80

1. O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won-der Con-sid-er  
2. When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der And hear the  
3. And when I think that God, his Son not spar-ing, Sent him to  
4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac-cla-ma-tion And take me

4

all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the  
birds sing sweet-ly in the trees, When I look  
die, I scarce can take it in, That on the  
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall

6

stars, I hear the roll-ing thun-der, Thy power through-  
down from loft-y mount-ain grand-eur, And hear the  
cross, my bur-den glad-ly bear-ing, He bled and  
bow in hum-ble a-dor-a-tion, And there pro-

8

Refrain

out the un-i-verse dis-played:  
brook and feel the gen-tle breeze: Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to  
died to take a-way my sin:  
claim, "My God, how great thou art!"

12

thee: How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to

This musical system covers measures 12 through 15. It features a vocal line in the treble clef and a piano accompaniment in the bass clef. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The vocal line begins with a half note 'thee:' followed by two measures of 'How great thou art!' and then 'Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to'. The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines.

16

thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!

This musical system covers measures 16 through 19. The vocal line in the treble clef continues with 'thee: How great thou art! How great thou art!'. The piano accompaniment in the bass clef features sustained chords and melodic fragments. The system concludes with a double bar line.

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## Announcements

- Our first **women's retreat** is scheduled for 10/28-29 at Maranatha Bible Camp.
- Please don't forget to update **giving information** on our website.

## Financials

- Total Giving through June (\$125,037)
- Total Expenses through June (\$121,869)
- Welcome Home Contributions (\$30,345)

## 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.

