

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR
BAPTIST CHURCH

"I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me."

Exodus 20:2–3

We gather this morning to praise the God who sets captives free

Welcome

Scriptural Call to Worship

Psalm 119:44-48

Prayer of Invocation

(pew Bible p. 513)

Hymn

“Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder”

Old Testament Scripture Reading

Malachi 3:16-4:6

Leader: This is God’s Word

(pew Bible pp. 802-803)

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Prayer of Adoration

Confession of Faith

“Of the Harmony of the Law and the Gospel”

New Testament Scripture Reading

Colossians 3:1-17

Leader: This is God’s Word

(pew Bible p. 984)

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Hymn

“His Mercy is More”

Prayer for God’s People

Children ages 3 years old through kindergarten who would like to participate in Children’s Discipleship are dismissed to go upstairs after the Prayer for God’s People.

Message

"The Lifestyle of the Free"

Exodus 20 (pew Bible pp. 61-62)

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

Corporate Confession of Sin

Scriptural Assurance of Pardon

1 Corinthian 15:55-57

Communion Hymn

“How Sweet and Awesome is the Place”

After you are served communion, pass the tray down your row. An usher will be at the other end of the row to collect the trays. We will hold both the bread and the cup and take them together.

Silence for Reflection and Preparation: *Before the benediction, we will spend the next few minutes silently reflecting on our time together this morning.*

Benediction

Romans 15:13

Preacher: John Young

Hymn

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

1. Let us love and sing and won-der, let us praise the Sav-ior's name!
 2. Let us love the Lord who bought us, pit-ied us when en-e-mies,
 3. Let us sing, though fierce temp-ta-tion threat-en hard to bear us down!
 4. Let us won-der; grace and jus-tice join and point to mer-cy's store;
 5. Let us praise, and join the cho-rus of the saints en-throned on high;

He has hushed the law's loud thun-der, he has quenched Mount Si-nai's flame:
 called us by his grace, and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes:
 • For the Lord, our strong sal-va-tion, holds in view the con-qu'ror's crown:
 when through grace in Christ our trust is, jus-tice smiles and asks no more:
 here they trust-ed him be-fore us, now their prais-es fill the sky:

he has washed us with his blood, he has brought us nigh to God.
 he has washed us with his blood, he pre-sents our souls to God.
 • he who washed us with his blood soon will bring us home to God.
 he who washed us with his blood has se-cured our way to God.
 "You have washed us with your blood; you are wor- thy, Lamb of God!"

Words by John Newton. Music by Darmstadt Gesangbuch.

Article XIII: Of the Harmony of the Law and the Gospel

We believe that the Law of God is the eternal and unchangeable rule of His moral government; that it is holy, just, and good; and that the inability which the Scriptures ascribe to fallen men to fulfill its precepts, arises entirely from their love of sin: to deliver them from which, and to restore them through a Mediator to unfeigned obedience to the holy Law, is one great end of the Gospel, and of the Means of Grace connected with the establishment of the visible church.

Hymn

His Mercy is More

1. What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done? Om - nis - cient, all -
 2. What pat - ience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam; what Fa - ther, so
 3. What rich - es of kind - ness He lav - ished on us; His blood was the

know - ing, He counts not their sum. Thrown in - to a sea with - out
 ten - der, is cal - ling us home! He wel - comes the weak - est, the
 pay - ment, His life was the cost. We stood 'neath a debt we could

7 1.
 bot - tom or shore, our sins they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is more!
 vil - est, the poor; our sins they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is
 ne - ver af - ford; our sins they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is

11 2. 3.
 more!
 more! *Praise the Lord!* *His mer - cy is more!* *Stron - ger than dark - ness,*

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 new ev - ry morn, our sins they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is more!

Words and Music by Matt Boswell and Matt Papa

Communion Hymn How Sweet and Awesome is the Place

1. How sweet and awe - some is the place
2. While all our hearts and all our songs
3. "Why was I made to hear your voice,
4. 'Twas the same love that spread the feast

with Christ with - in the doors, while ev - er - last - ing
join to ad - mire the feast, each of us cries, with
and en - ter while there's room, when thou - sands make a
that sweet - ly drew us in; else we had still re -

love dis - plays the choic - est of her stores.
thank - ful tongue, "Lord, why was I a guest?
wretch - ed choice, and rath - er starve than come?"
fused to taste, and per - ished in our sin.

5. Pity the nations, O our God,
constrain the earth to come;
send your victorious Word abroad,
and bring the strangers home.
6. We long to see your churches full,
that all the chosen race
may, with one voice and heart and soul,
sing your redeeming grace.

Words by Samuel J. Stone. Music by Samuel S. Wesley.