

CHRIST OUR SAVIOR BAPTIST CHURCH

Therefore let those who suffer according to God's will entrust their souls to a faithful Creator while doing good.

1 Peter 4:19

We gather this morning to praise our faithful God.

Welcome

Scriptural Call to Worship

Psalm 31:1-5

Prayer of Invocation

(pew Bible pp. 461-462)

Hymn

"How Firm a Foundation"

Old Testament Scripture Reading

Malachi 2:17-3:18

Leader: This is God's Word

(pew Bible p. 802)

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Prayer of Adoration

Hymn

"I Asked the Lord that I Might Grow"

New Testament Scripture Reading

2 Timothy 3

Leader: This is God's Word

(pew Bible p. 996)

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Hymn

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

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

"New Perspectives on Suffering"

1 Peter 4:12-19 (pew Bible p. 1,016)

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Corporate Confession of Sin

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Scriptural Assurance of Pardon

John 11:25-26

Communion Hymn

"Arise, My Soul, Arise"

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

1. How firm a foun - da - tion, you saints of the Lord, is laid for your
 2. "Fear not, I am with you, O be not dis-mayed; for I am your
 3. "When through the deep wa - ters I call you to go, the riv - ers of
 4. "When through fi - ery tri - als your path - way shall lie, my grace, all - suf -

faith in his ex - cel - lent Word! What more can he say than to
 God, and will still give you aid; I'll strength - en you, help you, and
 sor - row shall not o - ver - flow; for I will be with you, your
 fi - cient, shall be your sup - ply; the flame shall not hurt you; I

you he has said, to you who for ref - uge to Je - sus have fled?
 cause you to stand, up - held by my righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand.
 trou - bles to bless, and sanc - ti - fy to you your deep - est dis - tress.
 on - ly de - sign your dross to con - sume and your gold to re - fine.

5. "The soul that on Jesus has leaned for repose,
 I will not, I will not desert to his foes;
 that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
 I'll never, no never, no never forsake."

Rippon's Selection of Hymns, 1787; alt. Mod. Music: Traditional American Melody, 1832

1. I asked the Lord that I might grow in faith and
 2. 'Twas He who taught me thus to pray, and He I
 3. I hoped that in some fa - vored hour at once He'd
 4. In - stead of this He made me feel the hid - den
 5. Yea more with His own hand He seemed in - tent to
 6. "Lord, why is I, trem - bling, cried; "Wilt Thou pur -
 7. "These in - ward tri - als I em - ploy from self and

love and ev - 'ry grace, might more of
 trust has an - swered prayer, but it has
 an - - - - - swer my re - quest and by His
 e - - - - - vils of my heart and let the
 ag - - - - - gra - vate my woe, crossed all the
 sue Thy worm to death?" "'Tis in this
 pride to set thee free, and break Thy

His sal - va - tion know and seek more
 been in such a way as al - most
 love's con - strain - ing sub - due my
 an - - - - - gry pow'rs of Hell as - sult my
 fair de - signs I schemed, hum - bled my
 way," the Lord re - plied, "I an - swer
 schemes of earth - ly joy that thou may'st

ear - - - - - nest - ly His face.
 drove - - - - - to de - spair.
 sins and give me rest.
 soul in ev - 'ry part.
 heart, and laid me low.
 prayer for thy grace and faith."
 find thy all in Me."

Words by John Newton. Music Traditional.

Hymn

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Γ D A⁷ D A Γ D G D A⁷ D

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;

A⁷ D A D G D A⁷ D

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.

A⁷ D G D A⁷ D G D

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:

A⁷ D A Γ D G D A⁷ D Γ

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.

4. O that day when freed from sinning,
 I shall see Thy lovely face;
 Clothed then in the blood washed linen;
 How I'll sing Thy sov - 'reign grace;
 Come, my Lord, no longer tarry,
 Take my ransomed soul away;
 Send thine angels now to carry
 Me to realms of endless day

Verses 1-3 by Robert Robinson. Verse 4 by Billy Payne. Music by Asahel Nettleton.

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty, and most merciful Father,
we have done wrong, and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.
We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.
We have not kept your holy laws.
We have left undone those things which we ought to have done,
and we have done those things which we ought not to have done,
and there is no health in us.
But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable sinners.
Spare us, O God, when we confess our faults.
Restore us when we repent,
according to your promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord,
and grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake,
that we may, from now on, live a godly, righteous, and sober life,
to the glory of Your holy name, Amen.

Adapted from the Book of Common Prayer, 1662.

Communion Hymn

Arise, My Soul, Arise

1. A - rise, my soul, a - rise, shake off your guilt - y fears;
 2. He ev - er lives a - bove, for me to in - ter - cede,
 3. Five bleed - ing wounds he bears, re - ceived on Cal - va - ry;
 4. My God is rec - on - ciled; his par - d'ning voice I hear;

the bleed - ing Sac - ri - fice in my be - half ap - pears:
 his all - re - deem - ing love, his pre - cious blood to plead;
 they pour ef - fec - tual prayers, they strong - ly plead for me.
 he owns me for his child, I can no lon - ger fear;

be - fore the throne my Sure - ty stands, be - fore the throne my
 his blood a - toned for ev - 'ry race, his blood a - toned for
 "For - give him, O for - give," they cry, "for - give him, O for -
 with con - fi - dence I now draw nigh, with con - fi - dence I

Sure - ty stands, my name is writ - ten on his hands.
 ev - 'ry race, and sprin - kles now the throne of grace.
 give," they cry, "nor let that ran - somed sin - ner die!"
 now draw nigh, and "Fa - ther, Ab - ba, Fa - ther!" cry.

Words by Charles Wesley. Music by Louis Edson.