

Growing True Disciples

ORDER OF WORSHIP

April 18, 2021

"Come, let us worship and bow down, Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker. For He is our God, And we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand." - Psalm 95: 6, 7

WORSHIP IN SONG To God Be The Glory

WELCOME—ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP—Psalm 67—INVOCATION

LEADER: God be gracious to us and bless us, and cause His face to shine upon us— CONGREGATION: That Your way may be known on the earth, Your salvation among all nations. LEADER: May the peoples praise You, God; may all the peoples praise You. CONGREGATION: May the nations be glad and sing for joy; for You will judge the peoples with fairness and guide the nations on the earth. LEADER: May the peoples praise You, God; may all the peoples praise You. CONGREGATION: The earth has yielded its produce; God, our God, blesses us. ALL: God blesses us, so that all the ends of the earth may fear Him.

WORSHIP IN SONG Open The Eyes Of My Heart, Lord Here I Am, Lord (I, The Lord Of Sea And Sky)

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIP IN SONG My Worth Is Not In What I Own

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 8:1-9

Sermon: "The Joy of Partnering with God" - Tom Musselman

WORSHIP IN SONG By Faith

BENEDICTION

We do not take up an offering at Crossgate! But we do encourage all of our members and regular attenders to give as an expression of your love and devotion to the Lord. You may mail your gifts to <u>Crossgate Church, P.O. Box 365, Seneca, SC 29679</u>. You may give online by going to <u>www.crossgatepca.org/give</u>. You can also give from your smart phone by texting <u>864-207-7026</u> and typing in the word "give". "God loves a cheerful giver." (Cf... 2 Corinthians 9:7)

SONG LYRICS

<u>To God Be The Glory</u>

To God be the glory- great things He has done! So loved He the world that He gave us His Son, Who yielded His life an atonement for sin and opened the lifegate that all may go in.

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice! Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice! O come to the Father through Jesus, the Son, and give Him the glory- great things He has done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of bloodto every believer, the promise of God. The vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Great things He has taught us; great things He has done, and great our rejoicing through Jesus, the Son. But purer and higher and greater will be our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

Open The Eyes Of My Heart, Lord

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord, open the eyes of my heart; By faith we see the hand of God I want to see You, I want to see You. By faith we see the hand of God

To see You high and lifted up, shining in the light of Your glory. Pour out Your power and love; as we sing holy, holy, holy.

Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy, I want to see You.

Here I Am, Lord (I, The Lord Of Sea And Sky)

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard My people cry. All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save. I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright. Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord, Is it I, Lord? I have heard You calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if You lead me. I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne My people's pain. I have wept for love of them. They turn away. I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone. I will speak My word to them. Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied. I will give My life to them. Whom shall I send?

<u>My Worth Is Not In What I Own</u>

My worth is not in what I own; Not in the strength of flesh and bone. But in the costly wounds of love at the cross. My worth is not in skill or name; in win or lose, in pride or shame. But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the cross.

I rejoice in my Redeemer. Greatest treasure, Wellspring of my soul. I will trust in Him, no other; my soul is satisfied in Him alone.

As summer flowers we fade and die; fame, youth and beauty hurry by. But life eternal calls to us at the cross. I will not boast in wealth or might, or human wisdom's fleeting light. But I will boast in knowing Christ at the cross.

Two wonders here that I confess: my worth and my unworthiness. My value fixed, my ransom paid at the cross.

<u>By Faith</u>

By faith we see the hand of God in the light of creation's grand design, in the lives of those who prove His faithfulness, who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth with the pow'r of His promise in their hearts of a holy city built by God's own hand, a place where peace and justice reign.

We will stand as children of the promise; We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul's reward. Till the race is finished and the work is done, we'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day when the longed-for Messiah would appear with the power to break the chains of sin and death, and rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith the church was called to go in the power of the Spirit to the lost, to deliver captives and to preach good news in every corner of the earth.

By faith the mountain shall be moved and the pow'r of the gospel shall prevail, for we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon His name.