



The Lord's Day, June 21, 2020

I tell you this, brothers: flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed. For this perishable body must put on the imperishable, and this mortal body must put on immortality. When the perishable puts on the imperishable, and the mortal puts on immortality, then shall come to pass the saying that is written:

“Death is swallowed up in victory.”

“O death, where is your victory?

O death, where is your sting?”

The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Therefore, my beloved brothers, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.

(1 Corinthians 15:50–58)

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# Order for Engaging with God in Worship

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Welcome

Announcements

**\*Call to Worship: Psalm 100**

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!  
Serve the Lord with gladness!  
Come into his presence with singing!

**Know that the Lord, he is God!**

**It is he who made us, and we are his;[a]  
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.**

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,  
and his courts with praise!  
Give thanks to him; bless his name!

**For the Lord is good;**

**his steadfast love endures forever,  
and his faithfulness to all generations.**

**\*Prayer of Invocation**

**\*Hymn: And Can it Be**

*(Indelible Grace)*

And can it be that I should gain An interest in the Savior's  
blood?  
Died He for me who caused His pain! For me who Him to  
death pursued?  
Amazing love! How can it be That Thou, my God, should die  
for me?

*Chorus:*

*Amazing love! How can it be That Thou, my God, should  
die for me! [2x]*

He left His Father's throne above, So free, so infinite His grace!  
Humbled Himself so great His love, And bled for all His  
chosen race.  
'Tis mercy all, immense and free, For O my God, it found out  
me!

*Chorus*

Long my imprisoned spirit lay, Fast bound in sin and nature's  
night;  
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray; I woke, the dungeon  
flamed with light;  
My chains fell off, my heart was free, I rose, went forth, and  
followed Thee.

*Chorus*

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in Him, is mine;  
Alive in Him, my living Head, And clothed in righteousness  
divine,  
Bold I approach the eternal throne, And claim the crown,  
through Christ my own

**\*Hymn: There Is a Redeemer**

*(Keith Green)*

There is a redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son,  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One

*Chorus:*

*Thank you oh my Father, for giving us Your Son,  
And leaving Your Spirit, 'til the work on Earth is done.*

Jesus my redeemer, name above all names,  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, hope for sinners slain.

*Chorus*

When I stand in Glory, I will see His face,  
And there I'll serve my King forever, in that Holy Place.

*Chorus (2x)*

**Corporate Confession of Sin:**

**Our most merciful Father, we confess and repent that  
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart or loved our  
neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son Jesus  
Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us that we may delight  
in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your  
Name. Amen.**

### Assurance of Pardon: 1 Peter 1:17-21

And if you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one's deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for the sake of you who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

### Scripture Reading: Isaiah 25:1-9

### Confession of Faith: The Westminster Shorter Catechism, Question #38:

Q: What benefits do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection?

**A: At the resurrection, believers being raised up in glory, shall be openly acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment, and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God, to all eternity.**

### \*Hymn: Trinity Psalter: Psalm 23

The LORD's my shepherd, I'll not want; He makes me down to lie  
In pastures green; He leadeth me the quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again; and me to walk doth make  
Within the paths of righteousness, ev'n for his own names sake.

Yea, though i walk in deaths dark vale, yet will i fear no ill;  
For Thou art with me, and thy and staff me comfort still.

A table thou has furnished me in presence of my foes;  
My head Thou dost with oil anoint, and my cup overflows

Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me;  
And in God's house forevermore my dwelling place shall be.

### Pastoral Prayer

### Sermon: The Resurrection of Believers

1 Corinthians 15:35-58

Rev. Job Dolomba

### \*Hymn #420: At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

At the Lamb's high feast we sing  
praise to our victorious King,  
who has washed us in the tide  
flowing from his pierced side;  
praise we him whose love divine  
gives his sacred blood for wine,  
gives his body for the feast,  
Christ the victim, Christ the priest.

Where the paschal blood is poured,  
death's dark angel sheathes his sword;  
Israel's hosts triumphant go  
through the wave that drowns the foe.  
Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed,  
paschal victim, paschal bread;  
with sincerity and love  
eat we manna from above.

Mighty victim from the sky,  
pow'rs of hell beneath thee lie;  
death is conquered in the fight,  
thou hast brought us life and light:  
hymns of glory and of praise,  
risen Lord, to thee we raise;  
holy Father, praise to thee,  
with the Spirit, ever be.

### \*Benediction

### \*Gloria Patri

### \*Three-fold Amen

*Words to hymns and choruses printed in the bulletin and live streamed, using license CCLI #440621*

## Directions for Worship and Considerations Concerning the Corona Virus:

1. Please situate your couple or family group as efficiently as possible as the chairs and rows have been arranged (i.e. individuals and couples, as well as couples with one child ought to use the center row of 3 chairs until all of those locations are filled)
2. Please refrain from shaking hands, embracing, or otherwise physically contacted persons not in your family.
3. Please maintain the 6 foot social distancing guidelines and the spacing established in our sanctuary's rows of chairs.
4. You may wear masks or not wear masks as you and your family prefer.
5. We request that one person at a time use the bathroom areas.
6. You may place your offering in the offering plate located in the back of the sanctuary.

## Announcements

### Christ Covenant: VBS Is Coming Soon!

- Need a teacher for 4th & 5th graders.
- Registration begins Sunday, June 14th.
- Teens who are sixth grade and older will be great helpers again this year.
- Looking for help with set-up and decorating.
- Donations of craft supplies will be collected in a box through June 28th.

### Christ Covenant: Craft Items Needed

- Bright colored fabric remnants
- Cereal boxes (10)
- Shoe boxes—even small ones (10)
- Old crayons
- Clean, label-free soup or vegetable cans (15?) (Note: please only bring these if you have the kind of can opener that leaves a safe, smooth top. The kids will be handling these!)
- Old (even broken) dishes or glass pieces (colorful)
- Large, deep, plastic jar lids (mayo or PB or bigger)
- YARN!!!
- Smooth rocks (4"-5")
- Wooden clothespins (clamp style) (25?)
- Narrow ribbon, any colors
- Waxed paper (2 rolls)
- Colorful plastic beads (mostly transparent colors)

### Hope: Lake Day—Save the Date

The annual lake day picnic at the Freemyer's lake house is scheduled for July 18th. More details to come.

## Our Welcome Guests for May and June



Behold, how good and pleasant it is  
when brothers dwell in unity!  
It is like the precious oil on the head,  
running down on the beard,  
on the beard of Aaron,  
running down on the collar of his robes!  
It is like the dew of Hermon,  
which falls on the mountains of Zion!  
For there the Lord has commanded the blessing,  
life forevermore.  
(Psalm 133)

We take great joy in sharing our worship space and our Lord's Day services of worship in May and June with our daughter congregation, Christ Covenant Presbyterian of Woodstock, Georgia.

Christ Covenant began meeting on Sunday evenings in June 2009, then on Sunday mornings in February 2010 as a mission or church plant of Hope. After growing sufficiently, in July 2013 they were formally organized as a church by the Northwest Georgia Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

The church's founding pastor was our own Rev. Ted Lester, who had previously founded Cherokee Presbyterian Church, and who also served for several years as an assistant pastor at Hope. Brother Ted recently took honorable retirement through the Northwest Georgia Presbytery.

Christ Covenant Presbyterian is now pastored by the Rev. Job Dalomba. Job was raised in North Mississippi, and recently relocated to Woodstock. He is a graduate of Ole Miss in 2006 with a B.A. in Liberal Arts. He then graduated Mid-America Baptist Theological Seminary in 2009. Before coming to Christ Covenant Presbyterian, he spent almost 9 years in pastoral ministry. Job has been married to Brittany for 13 years and they have four children: Reid, Grace, Sam and Mary Kate.

# AND CAN IT BE

Words by Charles Wesley  
Music by Scott Roley

**Real Key**

1. And can it be that I should gain in -  
 2. He left His throne a - bove, free,  
 3. Long my pri - na - tion Bb some - lay, bound  
 4. No con - dem - tion Bb dread, Je - sus,

5. terest in the Sav - ior's blood! He  
 in sin and in His grace! Thine  
 and in in na - ture's is A - live  
 in Him, Bb

6. for Him - self who caused death pur - sue?  
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# Lead Sheet

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## There is a Redeemer

Words and Music by  
Melody Green-Stevright

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[VERSE]

[CHORUS]