

HOME BULLETIN - Sunday – November 8, 2020
Orphan Sunday

CALL TO WORSHIP

“Grace and peace to you who were dead in your sins,
For God has made you alive with Christ and forgiven
all your sins. Rejoice in the LORD and be glad, you
righteous; sing, all you who are now upright in heart!”
– Colossians 2:13,14, Psalm 32:11

SONG OF WORSHIP

“How Firm a Foundation”

Robert Keene, 1787

Verse 1

How firm a foundation ye saints of the Lord
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word
What more can He say than to you He hath said
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

Verse 2

Fear not I am with thee O be not dismayed
For I am thy God and will still give thee aid
I'll strengthen thee help thee
And cause thee to stand
Upheld by My righteous omnipotent hand

Verse 3

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie
My grace all-sufficient shall be thy supply
The flame shall not hurt thee, I only design
Thy dross to consume and thy gold to refine

Verse 4

The soul that on Jesus hath 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

SONG OF CONFESSION

“Come Ye Sinners Poor and Needy

Joseph Hart, 1759

Verse 1

Come ye sinners poor and needy
Weak and wounded sick and sore
Jesus ready stands to save you
Full of pity love and power

Verse 2

Come ye thirsty come and welcome
God's free bounty glorify
True belief and true repentance
Every grace that brings you nigh

Chorus

I will arise and go to Jesus
He will embrace me in His arms
In the arms of my dear Savior
O there are ten thousand charms

Verse 3

Come ye weary heavy laden
Lost and ruined by the fall
If you tarry till you're better
You will never come at all

Chorus

Verse 4

Let not conscience make you linger
Nor of fitness fondly dream
All the fitness He requireth
Is to feel your need of Him

Chorus

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

“The peace of God, which passes all understanding,
keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and
love of God, and of God's Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord;
and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son,
and the Holy Spirit, remain with you always.”

— based on Philippians 4:7

SCRIPTURE READING – Isaiah 1:11-18

PASTORAL PRAYER – Decatur 9:15 – Bruce
Ellsworth, Worship Pastor; **Madison 10:45** – Andy
Wisner, Pastor of Biblical Counseling
Missionary of the Week

SONG OF WORSHIP

“How Deep the Father's Love for Us”

Stuart Townend, 1995

Verse 1

How deep the Father's love for us
How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
The Father turns His face away

As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory

Verse 2

Behold the Man upon a cross
My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that it is finished

Verse 3

I will not boast in anything
No gifts no pow'r no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

SERMON OUTLINE

“Welcome the Fatherless”

James 1:19-27

(outline on next page)

BAPTISM (Madison Campus)

Mike DiNardo, Coston Korotky, Wilson Korotky

SONG OF RESPONSE

“Be Thou My Vision”

Ancient Irish; Tr. Mary E. Byrne; Versified Eleanor Hull, 1905

Verse 1

Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me save that thou art
Thou my best thought by day or by night
Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

Verse 2

Be thou my Wisdom and Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one

Verse 3

Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance now and always
Thou and Thou only first in my heart
High King of heaven my treasure thou art

Verse 4

High King of heaven my victory won
May I reach heaven's joys O bright heav'n's Sun
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

BENEDICTION

“Finally, brothers, rejoice. Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.”
– 2 Corinthians 13:11

Decatur Campus Worship Team (9:15 Livestream):

Marci Annett, Piano; Nathan Cameron, Drum; Bruce Ellsworth, Acoustic Guitar & Vocals; Glenn Hill, Bass Guitar; Matt Jared, Vocals; Mary Jett, Vocals; Frank Roberts, Lead Guitar.

Madison Campus Worship Team (10:45 Livestream):

Taylor Acker, Lead Guitar; Drew Atchley, Bass Guitar; Marty Baugh, Drums; Jayme Gabriel, Piano; Jeff Hodge, Acoustic Guitar & Vocals; Melissa West, Vocals.

Field House Worship Team: Sherri Johnson, Vocals; Karen Keith, Vocals; David Linderman, Lead Guitar; Lee Prestwood, Acoustic Guitar; Jonathan Schuster, Piano & Vocals; Scott Sullivan, Drums & Vocals; Lance Voorhees, Bass Guitar.

The Welcoming Church
Welcome the Fatherless
James 1:19-27
The Lord's Day Morning
November 1, 2020

Q: What is a welcoming church?

A: A welcoming church is a community of believers who love each other with such great commitment that the world identifies them as disciples of Jesus (Jn. 13:34–35). Because they love Jesus and their neighbors, they obey his command to make disciples (Jn. 14:21; Mt. 28:18–20). The welcoming church is outward-focused, putting the needs of others ahead of their own (Phil. 2:4) in an effort to remove all unnecessary barriers to the gospel (1 Cor. 9:19–23). Therefore, members are alert to every opportunity God gives them to show uncommon kindness, courtesy, and hospitality to all people in their path, serving their needs, and inviting them to consider the claims of Christ (Heb. 13:2; Jas. 1:22–27; Mt. 25:40). In the age of “cancel culture,” the welcoming church provides a safe place for people to hear the transforming truth and ask the hard questions about the Christian faith (Ro. 14:1–3). The responsibility of the welcoming church does not rest only on a few, but on every member of the church (Ro.15:7; Eph. 4:11–16).

1. Welcome the Word that rules on _____.
2. Welcome the woman who feels _____.
3. Welcome the orphan who needs _____.

MY SERMON NOTES

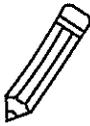
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Today's Date: _____

Message Title: _____

Speaker: _____

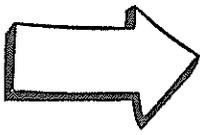
Bible verses in today's message:



The Welcoming Church

1. Welcome the Word that rules on _____.
2. Welcome the woman who feels _____.
3. Welcome the orphan who needs a _____.

Words I didn't understand from today's message:



Questions I have from today's message:

Make a tally mark every time you hear one of the words below:

God

Jesus

Love

Pray