

CALL TO WORSHIP

Romans 11:33, 36

Leader: *Oh, how great are God's riches and wisdom and knowledge! For everything comes from Him and exists by His power and is intended for His glory. All glory to Him forever!*

✠O Worship the King

O worship the King, all glorious above,
O gratefully sing His pow'r and His love;
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.

O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold,
Almighty, Your pow'r has founded of old;
Has 'stablished it fast by a changeless decree,
And round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

Your bountiful care, what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
And sweetly distils in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In You do we trust, nor ind You to fail;
Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

O measureless Might! Ineffable Love!
While angels delight to hymn You above,
The humbler creation, though feeble their lays,
With true adoration shall lisp to Your praise.

✠INVOCATION

CONFESSION & PARDON

Proverbs 28:13

1 Peter 1:3

People: People who conceal their sins will not prosper, but if they confess and turn from them, they will receive mercy.

✠Those who are able, please stand.

Leader: *All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is by His great mercy that we have been born again, because God raised Jesus Christ from the dead.*

Living Hope

How great the chasm that lay between us,
How high the mountain I could not climb.
In desperation I turned to Heaven,
And I spoke Your name into the night.
Then, through the darkness,
Your lovingkindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul.
The work is finished, the end is written.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

*Hallelujah! Praise the One who set me free.
Hallelujah! Death has lost its grip on me.
You have broken every chain,
There's salvation in Your name.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.*

Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame.
The cross has spoken; I am forgiven.
The King of kings calls me His own.
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever.
Jesus Christ, my living hope.

Then came the morning that sealed the promise.
Your buried body began to breathe.
Out of the silence, the roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Belgic Confession Article 14

Leader: *What do you believe about the fall of man?*

People: We believe that God created man in His image and likeness; good, just, and holy, able by his own will to conform in all things to the will of God. But he subjected himself willingly to sin and consequently to death and the curse.

✠My Faith has Found a Resting Place

My faith has found a resting place
Not in device or creed:
I trust the Ever-living One
His wounds for me shall plead.

*I need no other argument,
I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died,
And that He died for me.*

Enough for me that Jesus saves
This ends my fear and doubt;
A sinful soul I come to Him
He'll never cast me out.

My heart is leaning on the Word
The written Word of God:
Salvation by my Savior's name
Salvation through His blood.

My great Physician heals the sick
The lost He came to save
For me His precious blood He shed
For me His life He gave.

✠READING OF THE WORD

John 17:6-19

EXPOSITION OF THE WORD

Rev. Bud Griffith

Jesus Prays for His Disciples, Part 3; Sanctify Them in Your Truth, John 17:13-19

✠DOXOLOGY

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

✠May Jesus Christ Be Praised

When morning guilds the skies,
My heart awakening cries,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Alike at work and prayer
To Jesus I repair.
May Jesus Christ be praised!

When sleep her balm denies,
My silent spirit sighs,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
When evil thoughts molest,
With this I shield my breast.
May Jesus Christ be praised!

Does sadness fill my mind?
A solace here I find,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Or fades my earthly bliss?
My comfort still is this,
May Jesus Christ be praised!

In Heaven's eternal bliss,
The loveliest strain is this,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
The powers of darkness fear
When this sweet chant they hear.
May Jesus Christ be praised!

Let earth's wide circle round,
In joyful notes resound,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let earth and sea and sky
From depth to height reply,
May Jesus Christ be praised!

Be this, while life is mine,
My canticle divine,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Be this the eternal song
Through all the ages on,
May Jesus Christ be praised!

✠BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Session Meeting after the morning worship service.

The Women's Bible study group on Mark is meeting: July 15 - Chapters 16 & 17 and Aug. 5 Chapter 18 and conclusion. There is no July 1 meeting. Meeting time 10 a.m. Please contact Deb Redding with questions.

The Tuesday Morning Study Group will conclude the Dr. Thomas video series, *Imprisoned: Faith in all Circumstances* in July, meeting the 2nd, 16th, and 23rd.

Wonderful Wednesday Dinner will not be meeting in June or July. We encourage Home Groups to take time in their meetings to pray for our missionaries. We'll resume the dinner on the first Wednesday of the month in August.

Sunday School We are studying the book of Revelation and our study is entitled: Blessed Hope. The book of Revelation offers a rich vision of blessing and encouragement to God's people in every generation. In this teaching series, Dr. W. Robert Godfrey guides you through the book of Revelation chapter by chapter, clears away confusion, offers practical insight, and equips you for a new and worshipful encounter with the risen and returning King.

Home Care Groups! If you are interested in being part of a Home Group for 2024 fill out the signup sheet on the back table.

Sunday Fellowship Time: Join us each Lord's Day after Sunday School and before worship for a time of refreshment. Coffee is available in the kitchen and often we will have cake provided as well. Sunday School ends at 10:10.

Tuesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. See Deon Louw for details.

Please be praying for the Dementia Care Seminar coming this July 27.

Greer Community Ministries: Our focus for 2024 is canned chicken and fish. We will of course accept other nonperishable items but that's our main focus for the year. Thank you for your generosity!

Miracle Hill Overcomers: Please remember to bring coffee and dry coffee supplies for the Overcomers. There is a marked box in the kitchen. Thank you for your generosity.

Please pray for our missionaries. Calvary Home for Children; Frontline Missions India (George); Frontline Missions China (Hansen); Miracle Hill; Peru Missions; Reformed University Fellowship; Christians Teaching Christians

Opportunities for worship, edification and fellowship:

- Sunday Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m.
- Sunday School classes meet at 9:30 a.m.
- Women's Bible Study and Fellowship, meets the first and third Monday morning of the month at the church. See Jenny Spears for details.
- Tuesday morning Bible Study and Fellowship meets on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. The last Tuesday of each month is set aside for a time of fellowship and we go to breakfast or lunch. See Doug Redding for details.
- Wonderful Wednesday Dinner meets the first Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the church.
- Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets the 2nd Saturday of each month here at the church at 8:00 a.m. See Tom Pratt for details.

The Sonorité Trio will be performing at BRPC on Friday, July 12, at 6 p.m. Along with Ms. Olivia Massey, they will be performing the *Viola Sonata in D Minor* by Mikhail Glinka, the *Sonata for Violin and Piano in A Major* by Cesar Franck, and the *Piano Trio No.1 in B-flat Major, Op.37* by Ignaz Lachner. Admission, refreshments, and fellowship are gratis.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

Season of Pentecost

June 30, 2024
10:30 a.m.

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers
and want fellowship;
to all who hunger
and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come,
this church opens wide her doors
and offers welcome in the name of the
Lord Jesus Christ.*



Online Giving

Blue Ridge Presbyterian Church
2094 Hwy 101 North, Greer, SC 29651
Mail: PO Box 893, Greer, SC 29652
www.blueridgepres.com

