

Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian Church
Sunday February 21, 2021

Prelude

Welcome

Pastor Mark

Announcements

Lynn

Preparation for Worship— “Jesu, Joy of Our Desiring”, arr. Linda R. Lamb

Call to Worship

Lynn

People of the covenant: God does not remember us according to our sins and transgressions.

God remembers us according to God’s own steadfast love!

The God of our salvation teaches us right paths and leads us in truth.

All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness.

We put our trust in God.

Let us worship God!

Opening Prayer

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Hymn #405

“My Hope is Built on Nothing Less”

*Invitation to Confession and Repentance

*Unison Prayer of Confession -Psalm 51: 1

Have mercy on me, O God,

according to your unfailing love;

according to your great compassion

blot out my transgressions.

(A time of silent prayer will be kept).

*Unison Assurance of Forgiveness 1 John 1: 9

**If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins
and purify us from all unrighteousness.**

Scripture Lesson - Mark 19: 9-15

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Responsive Scripture Lesson Psalm 25: 1-10

Pastor Mark

In you, Lord my God,

I put my trust.

**I trust in you;
do not let me be put to shame,
nor let my enemies triumph over me.**

No one who hopes in you
will ever be put to shame,
but shame will come on those
who are treacherous without cause.

**Show me your ways, Lord,
teach me your paths.**

Guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my Savior,
and my hope is in you all day long.

**Remember, Lord, your great mercy and love,
for they are from of old.**

Do not remember the sins of my youth
and my rebellious ways;
according to your love remember me,
for you, Lord, are good.

**Good and upright is the Lord;
therefore he instructs sinners in his ways.**

He guides the humble in what is right
and teaches them his way.

**All the ways of the Lord are loving and faithful
toward those who keep the demands of his covenant.**

Key Verse: "In you, Lord my God, I put my trust."

Sermon – Spiritual Practice: Trust

*Affirmation of Faith: Psalm 23 (King James Version)

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of

death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. Amen!

Musical Offering – “On Eagle's Wings“, arr. Michael Ryan

Bells of Faith

Offering

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Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

(During the season of Lent our Pastoral Prayer will be led by one of our active Elders.)

Hymn #443

“Trust and Obey”

*Benediction

Closing Song 11:00 “Closing Prayer”

The time has come, O Lord, for us to leave this place.

Guide us and protect us, and lead us in Thy grace.

Wherever life may take us, as we go our separate ways,

Help us share with others the things we've shared today.

May the Peace of God the Father, and the love of Christ,

His Son,

Guide us in the days ahead and strengthen us, each one.

May the blessing of the Spirit fill us from within.

God bless us and return us to this fellowship once again.

Postlude

Leading Worship:

Rev. Dr. Mark Englund-Krieger, Pastor

Linda Clark, Organist

Lynn Miller, Duty Elder

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less 405

F $\frac{F}{C}$ C F B \flat $\frac{Gm}{Bb}$

1 My hope is built on noth - ing less than Je - sus' blood and
 2 When dark - ness veils his love - ly face, I rest on his un -
 3 His oath, his cov - e - nant, his blood, sup - port me in the
 4 When he shall come with trum - pet sound, O may I then in

$\frac{F}{C}$ C F $\frac{F}{C}$ C F

right - eous - ness; I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but
 chang - ing grace; in ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my
 whelm - ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, he
 him be found: dressed in his right - eous - ness a - lone, fault -

B \flat $\frac{Gm}{Bb}$ $\frac{F}{C}$ C F *Refrain* $\frac{C7}{G}$ $\frac{F}{A}$ F B \flat

whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
 an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id Rock, I stand: all
 then is all my hope and stay. less to stand be - fore the throne.

F $\frac{F}{A}$ C $\frac{C}{Bb}$ $\frac{F}{A}$ F B \flat F Csus C7 F

oth - er ground is sink - ing sand; all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

Trust and Obey

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F C7 F C C7 F

1 When we walk with the Lord in the light of his Word, what a
 2 Not a bur - den we bear, not a sor - row we share, but our
 3 But we nev - er can prove the de - lights of his love un - til
 4 Then in fel - low-ship sweet we will sit at his feet, or we'll

Bb F C F C7 F C C7

glo - ry he sheds on our way! While we do his good will, he a - bides with us
 toil he will rich - ly re - pay; not a grief nor a loss, not a frown nor a
 all on the al - tar we lay; for the fa - vor he shows and the joy he be -
 walk by his side in the way; what he says we will do, where he sends we will

F Bb $\frac{F}{C}$ C7 F C F

Refrain

still, and with all who will trust and o - bey.
 cross, but is blest if we trust and o - bey. Trust and o - bey, for there's
 stows are for them who will trust and o - bey.
 go - nev - er fear, on - ly trust and o - bey.

D Gm C7 $\frac{F}{C}$ C7 F $\frac{F}{A}$ Bb6 $\frac{F}{C}$ C7 F

no oth - er way to be hap - py in Je - sus, but to trust and o - bey.