

WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE JOINING US TODAY as we worship our great and gracious God, and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. If this is your first time with us, allow us to introduce ourselves.

**Worship Service.** Our weekly service follows a responsive pattern of worship found in Scripture, as a dialogue or conversation between the Lord and His people. Here God meets with us, speaks to us, and blesses us; we speak and respond back to Him in praise, thanksgiving, and renewed commitment.

**Communion.** Each week at RCC we celebrate the Lord's Supper, receiving bread and wine as covenantal tokens of Jesus' body and blood. Christians – young or old – who are baptized, and are in good standing in Christ, are invited to partake.

To facilitate Communion distribution, we encourage a representative of each household or group to come forward using the outer aisles to receive the Communion elements. Gluten-free bread is available on the pulpit side.

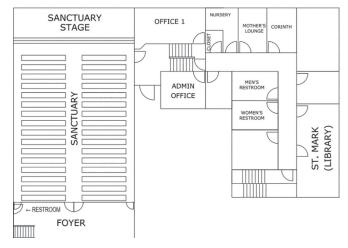
**Nursery.** We love having children involved in the whole service. Please don't worry if someone with you is wiggly – we are glad to have you all worshipping with us! During the sermon, nursery care is available for children two and under. There is a Nursing Mother's

room located adjacent to our Nursery, if you feel you need quiet or privacy. A video feed of the service can be viewed here, as well as in the Fellowship Hall below the sanctuary.

**Restrooms.** Restrooms are located down the stairs from the Foyer and in the educational wing.

**Weekly Meal.** Every week RCC hosts a weekly Agape meal after the service (served as a potluck). We always have plenty of food, and would love for you to join us for fellowship after worship!

**Contact.** If you would like us to contact you this week, please leave your name, phone number, and/or email below, and give this page to one of our Greeters, Deacons, or Elders.



## SOLI DEO GLORIA - TO GOD ALONE BE THE GLORY!

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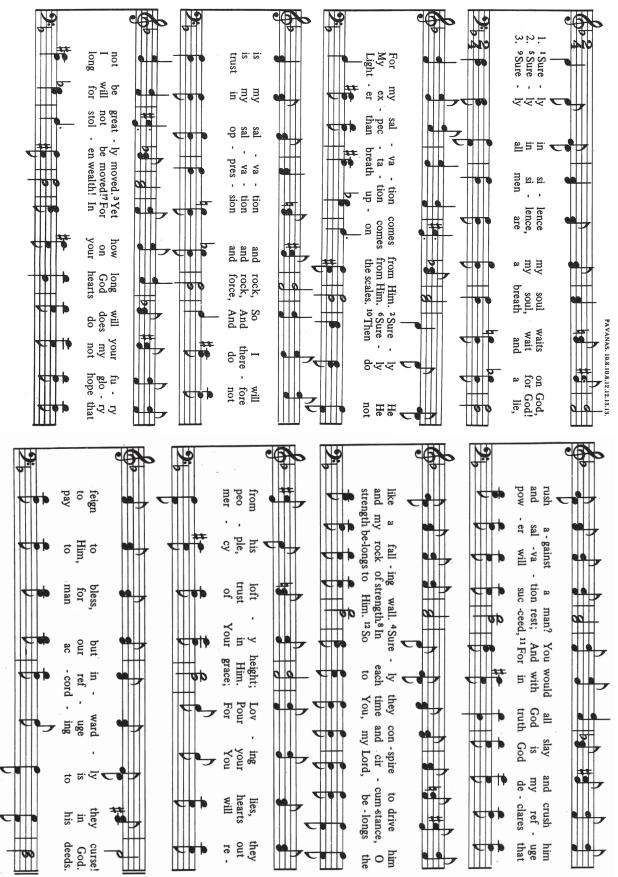
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PSALM 62





Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

Congregation: Amen!

Matthew 28:19

CONGREGATION RESPONDS

PASTOR GREETS

The LORD be with you!

Ruth 2:4

And also with you!

I will bless the LORD at all times;

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul shall make its boast in the LORD;

The humble shall hear of it, and be glad.

Oh, magnify the LORD with me,

And let us exalt His name together!

Psalm 34:1-3



purification offering, gift of glory

"Seeing then that we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a High Priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but was in all points tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need." Hebrews 4:14–16

Beloved, our Lord has invited us to draw near to him with an honest heart. He has graciously promised to receive all those who come to him with heavy burdens of guilt and shame. Therefore I exhort all who are here today to accompany me with a pure heart and a humble voice, unto the throne of heavenly grace.

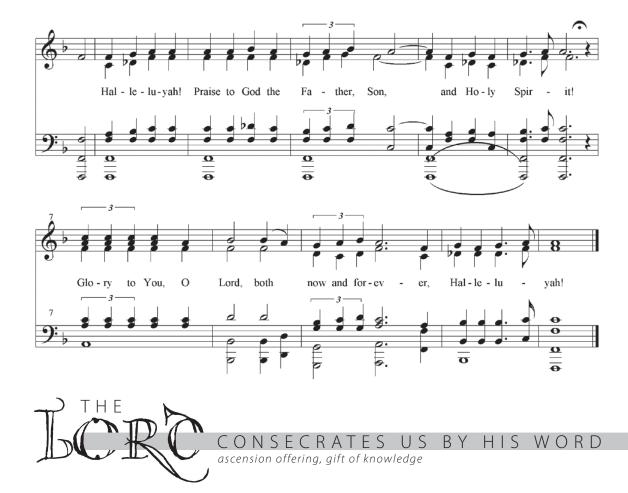
SILENT CONFESSION

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty who was and is and is to come: In your merciful presence, we confess that we have broken your law, both in what we have done and what we have left undone. We confess that these trespasses, apart from your grace, result in our impurity, and also make us liable to receive your just punishments. We confess our sins and ask you to wash us from our iniquities through the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ. We acknowledge our guilt, and beseech you to shield us from punishment through the atoning death of our Savior. From our violations of your just law, forgive us through the perfect obedience of our Lord, and empower us to love mercy, do justice and walk humbly with you. And we ask now that you will graciously receive our praise and worship, for we speak in the blessed name of Jesus. Amen.

"For if the blood of bulls and goats and the ashes of a heifer, sprinkling the unclean, sanctifies for the purifying of the flesh, how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?" Hebrews 9:13-14

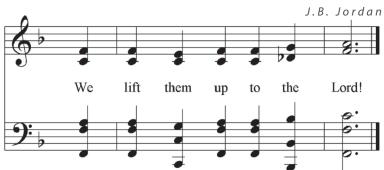
Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for your sins and to be raised for your justification; and for His sake forgives you all your sins. This I declare in the name and authority of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. 🗣 Amen

JOINT CONFESSION



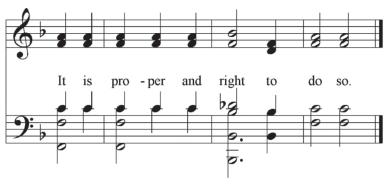
#### SURSUM CORDA—lift up your heart





PASTOR LEADS LIFTING UP OF YOUR HANDS

Let us give thanks to the LORD, our God!



It is truly proper, right, wholesome, and beneficial that we should at all times, PASTOR SPEAKS and in all places, give praise unto Thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Thy glorious Name; evermore worshipping Thee!

#### SANCTUS



### In Every Time I'll Always Bless the LORD

Psalm 34:1-10



#### JAMES 2:1-13

(selections)

My brothers, show no partiality as you hold the faith in our LORD Jesus Christ, PASTOR STARTS

The LORD of glory.

CONGREGATION RESPONDS

For if a man wearing a gold ring and fine clothing comes into your assembly,

And a poor man in shabby clothing also comes in,

And if you pay attention to the one who wears the fine clothing

And say, "You sit here in a good place,"

While you say to the poor man,

"You stand over there," or, "Sit down at my feet,"

Have you not then made distinctions among yourselves

And become judges with evil thoughts?

Listen, my beloved brothers,

Has not God chosen those who are poor in the world

To be rich in faith

And heirs of the kingdom,

Which he has promised to those who love him? If you really fulfill the royal law according to the Scripture,

"You shall love your neighbor as yourself,"

You are doing well. But if you show partiality,

We are committing sin

And are convicted by the law as transgressors.

For whoever keeps the whole law

But fails in one point

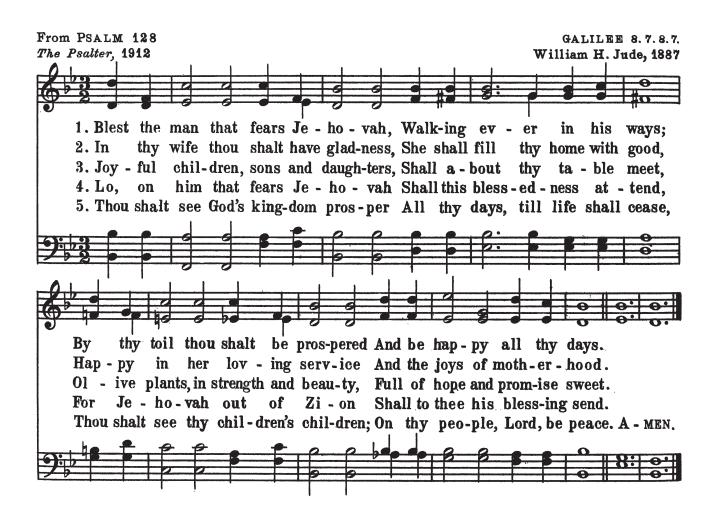
Has become guilty of all of it.

So speak and so act

As those who are to be judged under the law of liberty.

For judgment is without mercy to one who has shown no mercy.

ALL: Mercy triumphs over judgment.



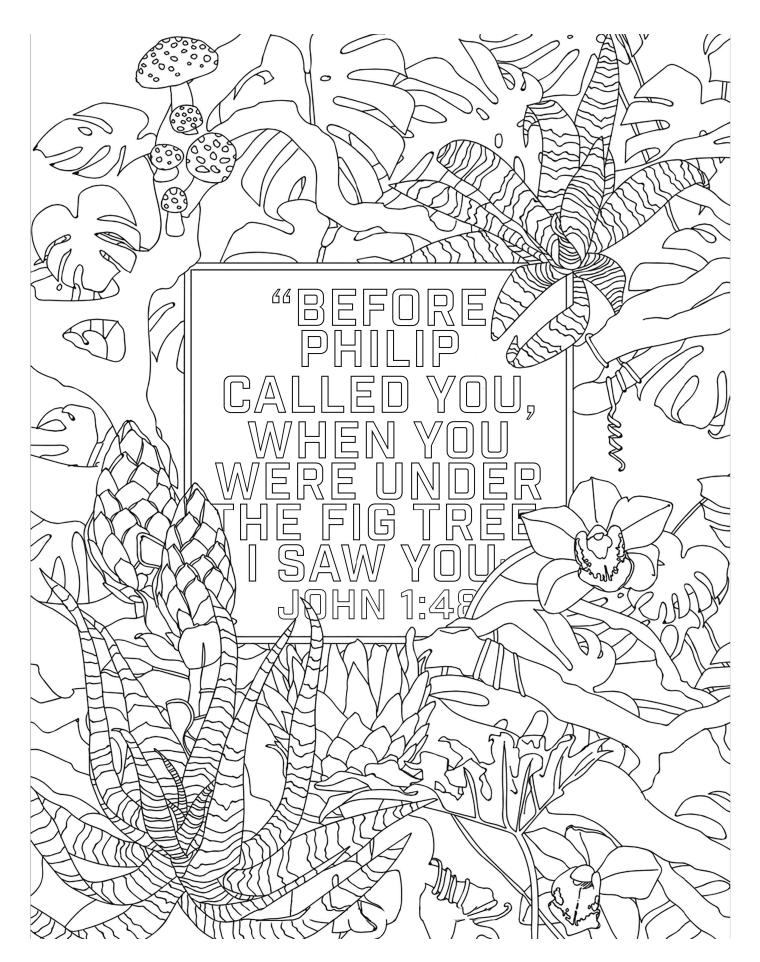
#### JOHN 1:45-51

English Standard Version (ESV)

<sup>45</sup> Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." 46 Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." 47 Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!" 48 Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." 49 Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" 50 Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these." 51 And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."

# NATHANAEL: THE GUILELESS

BO COGBILL | MARCH 1



#### RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD - TRIBUTE OFFERING

"Give to the LORD the glory due His name; bring an offering, and come into His courts. O, worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness! Tremble before Him, all the earth." Psalm 96:8–9

PLEASE BRING FORWARD YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS DURING THIS SONG



#### SONG OF SUPPLICATION

If you have a prayer request for the public prayer, please fill out a prayer FILL OUT card and pass it to the center aisle at this time. Someone will collect the cards during this song.

& SUBMIT PRAYER CARDS



#### THE GREAT PRAYER

CONCLUDING WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Matthew 6:9-13

CONGREGATION PRAYS ALONG WITH PASTOR



#### PREPARATION FOR COMMUNION

Congregation of the Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord has prepared His table for all who love and trust in Him for their salvation. All those who have repented of their sins, have been baptized and are in good standing in the Church of Jesus Christ are welcome at this table. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call.

LEADER BEGINS

CONGREGATION RESPONDS

Leader: Christian, in Whom do you believe?

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible:

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, Begotten of his Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made; Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,

And ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father; And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets.

And I believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church; I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; And I look for the resurrection of the dead, And the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Nicene Creed

#### **EUCHARIST DISTRIBUTION SONG**

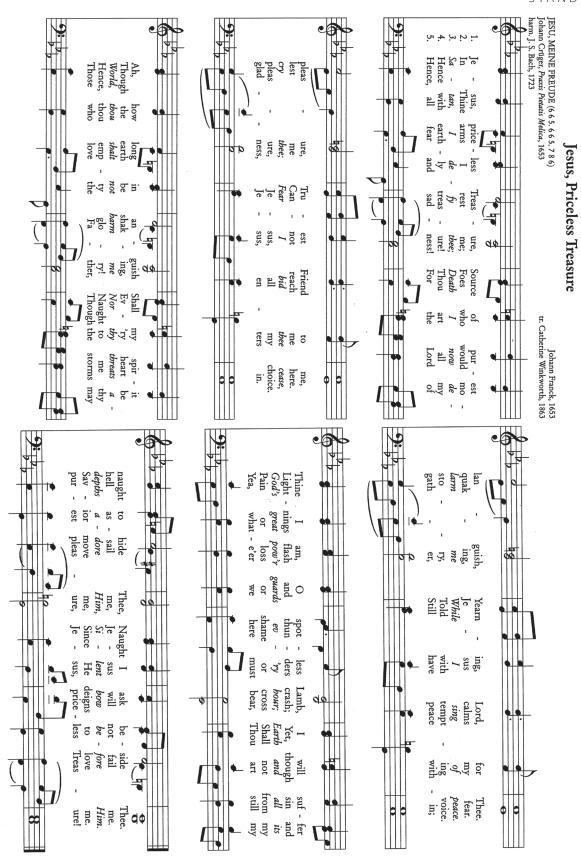
## The King of Love My Shepherd Is Psalm 23





#### FINAL SCRIPTURE READING

CONGREGATION STANDS



#### BENEDICTION

"Then Aaron lifted his hand toward the people, blessed them, and came down from offering the purification offering, the ascension offering, and peace offerings."

Leviticus 9:22

#### Now Blessed Be Jehovah, God

