

Service for the Lord's Day

Pre-Service Music Allegretto Charles V. Stanford
Thomas Heidenreich, Allegro non troppo
Organist Andante tranquillo
from Six Short Preludes and Postludes, Op. 101

Concerns of the Congregation Lisa Allgood

Call to Worship From Psalm 95 Lisa Allgood
One: Oh come, let us sing to the Lord!
All: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving!
One: Oh come, let us worship!
All: Let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!
One: Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!
All: For he is our God, and we are his people!

Prelude Vivace *from Concerto in G Major, BWV 592* J.S. Bach
Thomas Heidenreich, Organist

Ringing of the Revere Tower Bell
Let the ringing of the bell call our attention away from ourselves and
onto the living Triune God: Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

***Hymn #26** Praise My Soul the King of Heaven

***Invocation** Lisa Allgood

***Prayer of Confession** Margaret Heidenreich
All: Gracious and loving God, though you have called us each by name and given us unique roles and gifts we still become divided and distracted turning from you to speechless idols. Forgive us when we do not use our gifts or do not honor you with our work. Guide us through your Holy Spirit that we will use our gifts for the building of the kingdom. Guide us through your Holy Spirit so that we will be firm in our faith and faithful in the work you have called us to do. Amen.

***Moments of Silent Confession**

***Assurance of Pardon** From 2 Corinthians 5:17

One: Friends, hear this good news! In Christ, we are a new creation. The old has gone, the new has come! The Holy Spirit is working in our lives even in our distractions!
This is our Good News!

All: Thanks be to God!

***Gloria Patri #575** Glory Be to the Father

Anthem Here I am Lord Dan Schutte and Craig Courtney

Covenant Choir

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry,
All who dwell in deepest sin, my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain,
I have wept for them, they turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone,
I will speak my word to them, whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them, my hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide, till their hearts be satisfied,
I will give my life to them, whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

All: 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.

Offertory

The Gift of Love

Hal Hopson

Covenant Choir

Though I may speak with bravest fire, and have the gift to all inspire,
And have not love; my words are vain, as sounding brass, and hopeless gain.

Though I may give all I possess, and striving so my love profess,
But have not giv'n by love within, the profit soon turns strangely thin.

Come, spirit come, our hearts control, our spirits long to be made whole.
Let inward love guide ev'ry deed, By this we worship, we are freed. Amen

***Doxology #572** Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn #349** My the Mind of Christ my Savior

Scripture Lesson

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Margaret Heidenreich

Pew Bible Page 813, Large Print Bible Page 1785

One: This is God's Word for God's People.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

An Introduction to Spiritual Gifts

Margaret Heidenreich

***Hymn #200** The Church's One Foundation

***Benediction**

Postlude

Improvisation on *Here I am Lord*

Hayden Glasgow, Organ Scholar

*Those who are able, please stand.

The flowers on the communion table are given to the glory of God by
Yolanda Parker in gratitude for the gift of our musicians.

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven 26

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits. Psa. 103:2

Psalm 103
Henry F. Lyte, 1834

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John Goss, 1869

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en, To His feet your
 2. Praise Him for His grace and fa - vor To our fa - thers
 3. Fa - ther - like, He tends and spares us; Well our fee - ble
 4. An - gels in the height, a - dore Him, You be - hold Him

trib - ute bring; Ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en,
 in dis - tress; Praise Him, still the same as ev - er,
 frame He knows, In His hands He gen - tly bears us,
 face to face; Saints tri - um - phant, bow be - fore Him;

Ev - er - more His prais - es sing. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Slow to chide and swift to bless. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Re - cues us from all our foes. Al - le - lu - ia!
 Gath - ered in from ev - ery race. Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia! Praise the ev - er - last - ing King!
 Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - rious in His faith - ful - ness!
 Al - le - lu - ia! Wide - ly yet His mer - cy flows!
 Al - le - lu - ia! Praise with us the God of grace! A - men.

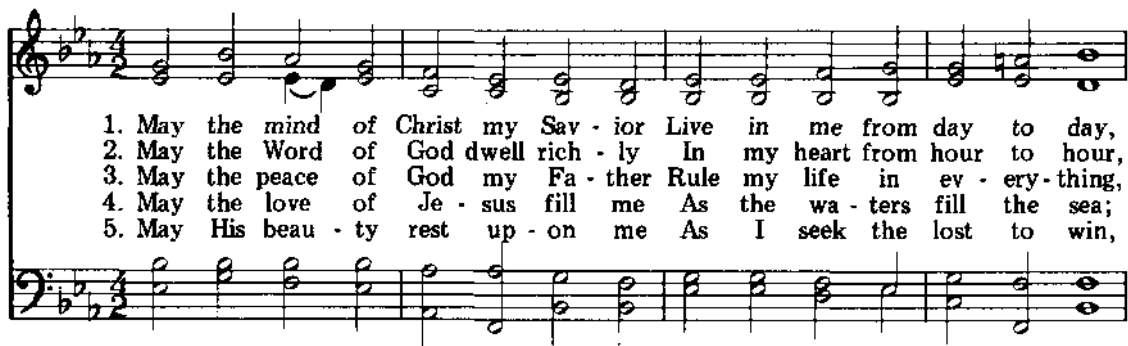
HIS PRAISE

349 May the Mind of Christ My Savior

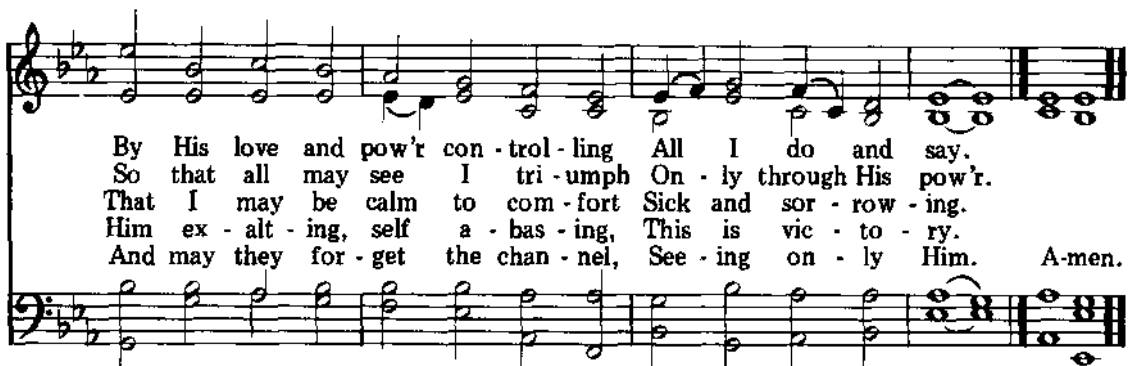
Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus . . . Phil. 2:5

Kate B. Wilkinson, 1925

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A. Cyril Barham-Gould, 1925



1. May the mind of Christ my Sav - ior Live in me from day to day,
2. May the Word of God dwell rich - ly In my heart from hour to hour,
3. May the peace of God my Fa - ther Rule my life in ev - ery - thing,
4. May the love of Je - sus fill me As the wa - ters fill the sea;
5. May His beau - ty rest up - on me As I seek the lost to win,



By His love and pow'r con - trol - ling All I do and say,
So that all may see I tri - umph On - ly through His pow'r.
That I may be calm to com - fort Sick and sor - row - ing.
Him ex - alt - ing, self a - bas - ing, This is vic - to - ry.
And may they for - get the chan - nel, See - ing on - ly Him. A-men.


The Church's One Foundation 200

Other foundation can no man lay than that is laid . . . Jesus Christ. 1 Cor. 3:11



AURELIA 7676 D.

Samuel J. Stone, 1868



Samuel S. Wesley, 1864





1. The Church's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus Christ her Lord;
 2. E - lect from ev - ery na - tion, Yet one o'er all the earth,
 3. Though with a scorn - ful won - der Men see her sore op - pressed,
 4. Mid toil and trib - u - la - tion, And tu - mult of her war,
 5. Yet she on earth hath un - ion With God, the Three in One,


She is His new cre - a - tion, By wa - ter and the word:
 Her char - ter of sal - va - tion, One Lord, one faith, one birth;
 By schisms rent a - sun - der, By her - e - sies dis - tressed:
 She waits the con - sum - ma - tion Of peace for - ev - er - more;
 And mys - tic sweet com - mun - ion With those whose rest is won:

From heav'n He came and sought her To be His ho - ly bride;
 One ho - ly name she bless - es, Par - takes one ho - ly food,
 Yet saints their watch are keep - ing, Their cry goes up, "How long?"
 Till with the vi - sion glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are blest,
 O hap - py ones and ho - ly! Lord, give us grace that we,

With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.
 And to one hope she press - es, With ev - ery grace en - dued.
 And soon the night of weep - ing Shall be the morn of song.
 And the great Church vic - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest.
 Like them, the meek and low - ly, On high may dwell with Thee. A - men.



This tune in a lower key, No. 560

ITS NATURE AND FELLOWSHIP

This Week at CFPC

Sunday, August 21

- 9:15 AM — Choir Rehearsal
- 9:15 AM — Adult Sunday School
- 10:30 AM — Worship — Lisa Allgood and Margaret Heidenreich leading in worship
- 11:30 AM — Fellowship Time in Metzger Hall

Wednesday, August 24

- 12 PM — No Brown Bag Bible Study — Pastor Bob on Vacation

Saturday, August 27

- 7:30 AM — Men’s Bible Study in the Chapel

Planning Ahead at CFPC

Sunday, August 28

- 9:15 AM — Choir Rehearsal
- 9:15 AM — Adult Sunday School
- 10:30 AM — Worship — Rev. Dr. David Fisher leading in worship
- 11:30 AM — Fellowship Time in Metzger Hall

Wednesday, August 31

- 12 PM — No Brown Bag Bible Study — Pastor Bob on Vacation

Saturday, September 3

- 7:30 AM — Men’s Bible Study in the Chapel

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Preaching Today — Margaret Heidenreich

Margaret Heidenreich will be a third year student beginning next week at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, where she is working toward a Master of Divinity degree. She is an Inquirer under care of the Presbytery of Cincinnati and Covenant-First’s Session, for eventual ordination as a Minister of Word and Sacrament. Margaret is a member of Covenant-First, where she and her family have been active since she was two years old.

Thank you also to CFPC member Lisa Allgood, Executive Presbyter of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, for also assisting in worship today.