



**Covenant Presbyterian Church**  
THE LORD'S DAY ~ September 8, 2019



**Prelude**

*"At the Cross (Love Ran Red)"*

There's a place where mercy reigns and never dies,  
There's a place where streams of grace flow deep and wide;  
Where all the love I've ever found comes like a flood, comes flowing down.

*At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life. I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You.  
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white. I owe all to You, I owe all to You, Jesus.*

There's a place where sin and shame are powerless,  
Where my heart has peace with God and forgiveness;  
Where all the love I've ever found comes like a flood, comes flowing down.

Here my hope is found, here on holy ground; Here I bow down, here I bow down.  
Here, arms open wide, here You saved my life; Here I bow down, here I bow.

**Pastor's Welcome**

**Prayer of Invocation and Praise**

**\*Call to Worship**

Revelation 15:3-4

**\*Hymn Praise**

*"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"* (C321)

**\*Confession of Faith**

The Apostles' Creed (T845)

**Scripture Reading**

Hebrews 2

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

Proverbs 22:2

*"The rich and the poor meet together; the Lord is the maker of them all."*

**Offertory Hymn**

*"All for Jesus"* (T565)

**Prayer of Illumination**

Psalm 119:30

*"I have chosen the way of faithfulness; I set your rules before me."*

**Sermon**

Rev. Cory D. Colravy



**Celebration of the Lord's Supper**

**Invitation**

**Reading of the Law**

**Confession of Sin**

Father in heaven, we need to be forgiven. We have tried to heal ourselves. Instead of trusting in the death of Jesus Christ, we have tried to work off our guilt. We have tried so hard to pile up good deeds that outweigh our sins. When this doesn't work, we quickly turn to denial and distraction. Instead of trusting in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, we have tried to change through our own efforts. We have tried to change our hearts through sheer willpower. This has left some of us arrogant. This has left most of us anxious and depressed. Forgive us for trying to heal ourselves. Forgive us for neglecting your grace. Forgive us and heal us, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon**

Micah 7:18-19

**Special Offering**

Covenant Mercy Ministry

**Hymn of Meditation**

*"I Will Glory in My Redeemer"*

I will glory in my Redeemer whose priceless blood has ransomed me.  
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails and hung Him on that judgment tree.  
I will glory in my Redeemer who crushed the pow'r of sin and death.  
My only Savior before the holy Judge. The Lamb who is my righteousness,  
The Lamb who is my righteousness.

I will glory in my Redeemer. My life He bought, my love He owns.  
I have no longings for another. I'm satisfied in Him alone.  
I will glory in my Redeemer, His faithfulness my standing place.  
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me, my feet are firm, held by His grace.  
My feet are firm, held by His grace.

I will glory in my Redeemer who carries me on eagles' wings.  
He crowns my life with loving kindness. His triumph song I'll ever sing.  
I will glory in my Redeemer who waits for me at gates of gold.  
And when He calls me it will be paradise, His face forever to behold.  
His face forever to behold.

**Distribution of Elements**

(Please note that grape juice is in all the inner circles of cups  
and wine is only in the outer circle.)

**\*Charge and Benediction**

Numbers 6:24-26

**\*Hymn of Benediction**

*"The Gloria Patri"* (T734)

**\*Postlude**

\*For those who are able, please stand at these times