



Covenant Presbyterian Church

THE LORD'S DAY, March 21, 2021



Prelude
 Pastor's Welcome
 Prayer of Invocation and Praise
 *Call to Worship
 *Hymn of Praise

His Mercy is More

Psalm 95: 1-3
 Psalm 16 (Tune: Crown Him with Many Crowns)

Preserve me, O my God; I put my trust in You.
 Lord, I confess, You are my Lord; no good have I but You.
 The godly ones on earth, those holy in Your sight,
 The noble and majestic ones, fill me with great delight.

Their sorrows multiply who after idols seek.
 To them I'll no blood offerings make; their names I'll never speak.
 The Lord the portion is of my inheritance.
 He fills my cup, my lot prepares, secures to me His grants.

The lines that fell to me enclose a pleasant site.
 The heritage that I received to me is a delight.
 I bless the Lord Who guides with counsel that is right.
 My heart within me He directs to teach me in the night.

I always keep the Lord before me, Him to see.
 Because He is at my right hand I never moved shall be.
 Thus gladness fill my soul; my joy must be expressed
 With my whole being, for my flesh securely finds its rest.

My soul You will not leave in death's dark pit to be.
 Corruption You will not permit You Holy One to see.
 The path of life You'll show; of joy You hold great store.
 Before Your face, at Your right hand, are pleasures evermore

*Confession of Faith Westminster Shorter Catechism #13-14

Leader: Did our first parents remain as they were created?
 People: Left to the freedom of their own wills, our first parents sinned against God and fell from their original condition.

*For those who are able, please stand during these times.

Leader: What is sin?
 People: Sin is disobeying or not conforming to God's law in any way.

*Hymn of Confession

In the Valley

When You lead me to the valley of vision,
 I can see You in the heights.
 And though my humbling wouldn't be my decision,
 It's here Your glory shines so bright.
 So let me learn that the cross precedes the crown,
 To be low is to be high,
 That the valley's where You make me more like Christ.

Let me find Your grace in the valley.
 Let me find Your life in my death.
 Let me find Your joy in my sorrow,
 Your wealth in my need,
 That You're near with every breath
 In the valley.

In the daytime there are stars in the heavens,
 But they only shine at night.
 And the deeper that I go into darkness,
 The more I see their radiant light.
 So let me learn that my losses are my gain,
 To be broken is to heal.
 That the valley's where Your power is revealed.

Confession of Sin

Lord God and Heavenly Father, we confess our failure to be true even to our own accepted standards, our unwillingness to apply to ourselves the standards of conduct we demand of others, our complacency towards wrongs that do not touch our own lives, our slowness to see the good in others and the evil in ourselves, our hardness of heart toward the faults of our neighbors, and our readiness to make allowances for our own. O Lord, please forgive and grant us your pardon through Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon
 Scripture Reading
 Covenant Baptism
 Presentation of Tithes and Offerings
 *Offertory Hymn
 Prayer of Illumination
 Sermon

1 Peter 2:24
 John 20:21-31
 El eanor Joy Cleveland
 Rock of Ages (T500)
 Psalm 119:144
 Malachi 1:1-4:6

"Overview of Malachi"
 The God Restores Series
 Rev. Cory D. Colravy

*Hymn of Response
 *Benediction
 *Hymn of Benediction
 Postlude

O Love that Will not Let Me Go
 2 Corinthians 13:14
 The Gloria Patri (T735)