

Organ Voluntary & Quiet Reflection	Refiner's Fire with Cleanse Me - Arr. Wyrzten	Pat Shroff
Call to Worship	Psalms 51:7, 15	Pastor Tim Valentino Kaye Focht
Hymn	250: Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord	Congregation
Prayer of Adoration		Pastor Tim Valentino
Scripture Readings		
The Old Testament Lesson	Isaiah 65:1-9	Shirley Long
The Response	Psalms 22:18-27	Shirley Long /Kaye Focht
The Gospel Lesson	Luke 8:26-39 (Please stand)	Shirley Long
Missions Moment		Pat Strain
Worship in Giving	2 Corinthians 8:10-11	Pastor Tim Valentino
Prayer Hymn	64: Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts (v. 4)	Congregation
Prayer Led by Pastor		Pastor Tim Valentino
Praise and Worship	His Mercy is More / Behold Our God	Congregation
Sermon	Goodness and Glory 8: God is Fierce and Forgiving (Exodus 34:7)	Pastor Tim Valentino
Response Hymn	67: The Love of God	Congregation
Benediction		Pastor Tim Valentino
Postlude	Joyous Litany - Steven Scott	Pat Shroff

Hospital Visitor This Week: Ruth Turner, 717-926-1543

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Responder	Kaye Focht	Nursery	Jennifer Heinsey
Organist	Pat Shroff	Narthex Greeters	Kaye & Dave Focht
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Guitar	Dale Brubaker	June Counters	Pat Strain, Margo Fox
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250 Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord



1. Mar - vel - ous grace of our lov - ing Lord, Grace that ex - ceeds our
 2. Sin and de - spair like the sea waves cold, Threat - en the soul with
 3. Dark is the stain that we can - not hide, What can a - vail to
 4. Mar - vel - ous, in - fi - nite, match - less grace, Free - ly be - stowed on

sin and our guilt, Yon - der on Cal - va - ry's mount out - poured,
 in - fi - nite loss; Grace that is great - er, yes, grace un - told,
 wash it a - way? Look! there is flow - ing a crim - son tide;
 all who be - lieve; All who are long - ing to see His face,

Refrain
 There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.
 Points to the ref - uge, 'the might - y cross. Grace, grace,
 Whit - er than snow you may be to - day. Mar - vel - ous grace,
 Will you this mo - ment His grace re - ceive?

God's in - fi - nite grace, Grace that will par - don and cleanse with - in; Grace, Mar - vel - ous
 grace, God's in - fi - nite grace, Grace that is great - er than all our sin.

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Call to Worship: Psalm 51:7, 15

⁷ Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.

¹⁵ Open my lips, Lord,
and my mouth will declare your praise.

The Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 65:1-9

¹ I revealed myself to those who did not ask for me;
I was found by those who did not seek me.

To a nation that did not call on my name,
I said, 'Here am I, here am I.'

² All day long I have held out my hands
to an obstinate people,
who walk in ways not good,
pursuing their own imaginations—

³ a people who continually provoke me
to my very face,
offering sacrifices in gardens
and burning incense on altars of brick;

⁴ who sit among the graves
and spend their nights keeping secret vigil;
who eat the flesh of pigs,
and whose pots hold broth of impure meat;

⁵ who say, 'Keep away; don't come near me,
for I am too sacred for you!'

Such people are smoke in my nostrils,
a fire that keeps burning all day.

⁶ "See, it stands written before me:
I will not keep silent but will pay back in full;
I will pay it back into their laps—

⁷ both your sins and the sins of your ancestors,"
says the LORD.

"Because they burned sacrifices on the mountains
and defied me on the hills,
I will measure into their laps
the full payment for their former deeds."

⁸ This is what the LORD says:

"As when juice is still found in a cluster of grapes
and people say, 'Don't destroy it,
there is still a blessing in it,'

so will I do in behalf of my servants;
I will not destroy them all.

⁹ I will bring forth descendants from Jacob,
and from Judah those who will possess my mountains;
my chosen people will inherit them,
and there will my servants live.

The Response: Psalm 22:18-27 (Responsive)

¹⁸ They divide my clothes among them
and cast lots for my garment.

¹⁹ **But you, LORD, do not be far from me.**
You are my strength; come quickly to help me.

²⁰ Deliver me from the sword,
my precious life from the power of the dogs.

²¹ **Rescue me from the mouth of the lions;**
save me from the horns of the wild oxen.

²² I will declare your name to my people;
in the assembly I will praise you.

²³ **You who fear the LORD, praise him!**
All you descendants of Jacob, honor him!
Revere him, all you descendants of Israel!

²⁴ For he has not despised or scorned
the suffering of the afflicted one;
he has not hidden his face from him
but has listened to his cry for help.

²⁵ From you comes the theme of my praise in the great assembly;
before those who fear you I will fulfill my vows.

²⁶ **The poor will eat and be satisfied;**
those who seek the LORD will praise him—
may your hearts live forever!

²⁷ All the ends of the earth
will remember and turn to the LORD,
and all the families of the nations
will bow down before him,

The Gospel Lesson: Luke 8:26-39

²⁶ They sailed to the region of the Gerasenes, which is across the lake from Galilee. ²⁷ When Jesus stepped ashore, he was met by a demon-possessed man from the town. For a long time this man had not worn clothes or lived in a house, but had lived in the tombs. ²⁸ When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell at his feet, shouting at the top of his voice, “What do you want with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, don’t torture me!” ²⁹ For Jesus had commanded the impure spirit to come out of the man. Many times it had seized him, and though he was chained hand and foot and kept under guard, he had broken his chains and had been driven by the demon into solitary places.

³⁰ Jesus asked him, “What is your name?”

“Legion,” he replied, because many demons had gone into him. ³¹ And they begged Jesus repeatedly not to order them to go into the Abyss.

³² A large herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside. The demons begged Jesus to let them go into the pigs, and he gave them permission. ³³ When the demons came out of the man, they went into the pigs, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

³⁴ When those tending the pigs saw what had happened, they ran off and reported this in the town and countryside, ³⁵ and the people went out to see what had happened. When they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone out, sitting at Jesus’ feet, dressed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. ³⁶ Those who had seen it told the people how the demon-possessed man had been cured. ³⁷ Then all the people of the region of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them, because they were overcome with fear. So he got into the boat and left.

³⁸ The man from whom the demons had gone out begged to go with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying, ³⁹ “Return home and tell how much God has done for you.” So the man went away and told all over town how much Jesus had done for him.

Worship in Giving: 2 Corinthians 8:10-11

¹⁰ And here is my judgment about what is best for you in this matter. Last year you were the first not only to give but also to have the desire to do so. ¹¹ Now finish the work, so that your eager willingness to do it may be matched by your completion of it, according to your means.

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts 64

4. Our rest - less spir - its yearn for Thee, Where - e'er our
 change - ful lot is cast; Glad, when Thy gra - cious smile we
 see, Blest, when our faith can hold Thee fast. A - men.

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His Mercy Is More

***Praise the Lord, His mercy is more
 Stronger than darkness, new every morn
 Our sins they are many, His mercy is more***

What love could remember, no wrongs we have done
 Omniscient all-knowing, He counts not their sum
 Thrown into a sea, without bottom or shore
 Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam
 What Father so tender is calling us home
 He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor
 Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

[REPEAT CHORUS]

What riches of kindness He lavished on us
 His blood was the payment, His life was the cost
 We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford
 Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

[REPEAT CHORUS 2X]

Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Behold Our God

Who has held the oceans in His hands?
 Who has numbered every grain of sand?
 King and nations tremble at His voice.
 All creation rises to rejoice.

(CHORUS)

***Behold our God seated on His throne;
 Come, let us adore Him.
 Behold our King! Nothing can compare;
 Come, let us adore Him!***

Who has given counsel to the Lord?
 Who can question any of His words?
 Who can teach the One Who knows all things?
 Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?

(REPEAT CHORUS)

Who has felt the nails upon His hands,
 Bearing all the guilt of sinful man?
 God eternal humbled to the grave;
 Jesus, Savior risen now to reign!

(REPEAT CHORUS)

You will reign forever.
 Let Your glory fill the earth.

67 The Love of God

* Sign-up Sheet in the Narthex

1. The love of God is great-er far Than tongue or pen can ev - er
 2. When years of time shall pass a - way And earth-ly thrones and king-doms
 3. Could we with ink the o - cean fill And were the skies of parch-ment

tell, It goes be - yond the high-est star And reach-es to the low-est
 fall, When men, who here re - fuse to pray, On rocks and hills and mountains
 made, Were ev - ry stalk on earth a quill And ev - ry man a scribe by

hell; The guilt-y pair, bowed down with care, God gave His Son to
 call, God's love so sure shall still en - dure, All mea - sure - less and
 trade, To write the love of God a - bove Would drain the o - cean

win: His err - ing child He rec - on - ciled And par - doned from his sin.
 strong: Re - deem - ing grace to Ad - am's race— The saints' and an - gels' song.
 dry, Nor could the scroll con - tain the whole Tho stretched from sky to sky.

Refrain
 O love of God, how rich and pure! How mea - sure - less and strong!

It shall for - ev - er - more en - dure— The saints' and an - gels' song.

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LOOKING AHEAD

June 23-28 • WEEK OF VACATION FOR PASTOR TIM AND SONYA

Wednesday, June 25 @ 7:00 p.m. MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY • Zoom

Monday, June 23 @ 5:30 p.m. Myerstown Jaycees FUN NIGHT OF A MEAL AND BINGO

Specifically for members and friends of Christ Community Church
 725 East Cumberland Street, Lebanon PA 17042

Sunday, June 29 @ after morning worship SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

This is a special church progress report held half-way through the year

Sunday, July 20 @ 10:30 a.m. OUTDOOR WORSHIP & PICNIC *

Missionary guests: Rev. B.J. & Rachel Whitaker and family from Spain
 • Pine Acres Pavilion, Lebanon

SHARING CUPBOARD NEEDS

- SPAGHETTI SAUCE • CANNED FRUIT
- Soup • Cereal • Snack Foods • Peanut Butter • Corn
- Chips & Pretzels • Cookies & Crackers
- Spaghetti • Liquid & Bar Soap • Toothpaste
- Women's Care Items

PRAYER REQUESTS:

If you have any prayer requests for distribution, please send them to Pastor Tim at pastortim@christcomm.church or (484) 269-4313.

GOOD NEWS CLUB CAMPS

June 23-27 • KIMMERLINGS • St. Jacobs Drive, Lebanon • 9:30a.m. - 3:30p.m.

July 21-25 • FONTANA • 22 Fontana Avenue, Lebanon • 9:30a.m. - 3:30p.m.

July 28-August 1 • JONESTOWN • 14 Silvertown Road, Jonestown • 9:30a.m. - 3:30p.m.

(for campers who have completed Kindergarten - 5th grades)

Registration forms on info table • Cost: \$25 • See Steph Hammer for more information

CAMP MEETINGS

July 13 - 20 • MT LEBANON CAMPMEETING • 23 Mt Lebanon Drive, Lebanon PA

More info available in the narthex

July 18-27 • HERNDON CAMP MEETING • 114 Camp Meeting Circle, Herndon PA

More info available in the narthex

Birthday Card Shower for Kolin Hummer • July 7: 11 years old.

Kolin was placed on our prayer list some time ago. He was very sick last year, this will be the 2nd year in a row Kolin has been an inpatient at CHOP preparing him for a heart transplant. Thankfully, he is doing much better than last year! God is Good!

Address: CHOP • 3401 Civic Center Blvd. • Philadelphia, PA 19104
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