

GOOD HOPE

Presbyterian Church

June 16, 2019

Lord's Day Morning

PRELUDE

GREETINGS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lamentations 3:22–26

Leader: “The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness. ‘The Lord is my portion,’ says my soul, ‘therefore I will hope in Him.’

People: The Lord is good to those who wait for Him, to the soul who seeks Him. It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the Lord.”

HYMN 469

How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place

HYMN

Mercies Anew

Every morning that breaks, there are mercies anew;
Every breath that I take is Your faithfulness proved.
And at the end of each day, when my labors are through,
I will sing of Your mercies anew.

When I've fallen and strayed, there were mercies anew;
For You sought me in love and my heart You pursued.
In the face of my sin, Lord, You never withdrew,
So I sing of Your mercies anew.

And Your mercies they will never end;
For ten thousand years they remain.
And when this world's beauty has passed away,
Your mercies will be unchanged.

And when the storms swirl and rage, there are mercies anew;
In affliction and pain, You will carry me through.
And at the end of my days, when Your throne fills my view,
I will sing of Your mercies anew,
I will sing of Your mercies anew.

PRAYER OF PRAISE

CHILDREN'S STORY

(Children ages 3 and under may be dismissed to the nursery).

RESPONSIVE READING

Luke 13:10–17

Leader: “Now He was teaching in one of the synagogues on the Sabbath. And behold, there was a woman who had a disabling spirit for eighteen years. She was bent over and could not fully straighten herself. When Jesus saw her, He called her over and said to her, ‘Woman, you are freed from your disability.’ And He laid His hands on her, and immediately she was made straight, and she glorified God.

People: But the ruler of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, said to the people, “There are six days in which work ought to be done. Come on those days and be healed, and not on the Sabbath day.”

Leader: Then the Lord answered him, ‘You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the Sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger and lead it away to water it? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the Sabbath day?’

People: As He said these things, all His adversaries were put to shame, and all the people rejoiced at all the glorious things that were done by Him.”

HYMN

As Pants the Hart for Cooling Streams

As pants the hart for cooling streams when heated in the chase,
So longs my soul, O God, for Thee, and Thy refreshing grace.
For Thee, my God, O Lord, my thirsty soul does pine;
O when shall I behold Thy face, Thou Majesty divine!
Aa-, aa-, aa-, amen.

My tears have fed me day and night, while others always say,
“Where is thy God?” but I recall the crowd along the way
To God's house with glad shouts, I led the festive throng.
So hope in God, His saving help I'll praise with joyful song.
Aa-, aa-, aa-, amen.

With roaring of Thy cataracts, the deep calls unto deep.
Thy billows all pass over me, Thy waves upon me sweep.
By day Lord Thou command'st Thine everlasting love.
At night Thy song is in my heart in prayer to Thee above.
Aa-, aa-, aa-, amen.

I say to God, "Why do I mourn when enemies oppress?
Oh, why hast Thou forgotten me? My soul is in distress."
As with a deadly wound, my enemies taunt me.
They mock and say, "Where is thy God?" But I will hope in Thee.
Aa-, aa-, aa-, amen.

Why restless, why cast down, my soul? Trust God and He'll
employ
His aid for thee and change these sighs to thankful hymns of joy.
Why restless, why cast down? Hope still and thou shalt sing
The praise of Him who is thy God, thy health's eternal spring.
Aa-, aa-, aa-, amen.

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Jesus Lifted Me* Arr. Edwin T. Childs

1. I'm so glad Jesus lifted me (3x)

Refrain:

Singing glory, hallelujah! Jesus lifted me.

2. Satan had me bound; Jesus lifted me (3x),

3. When I was in trouble, Jesus lifted me (3x)

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

HYMN *Compassion Hymn*

There is an everlasting kindness You lavished on us
When the Radiance of heaven came to rescue the lost;
You called the sheep without a shepherd to leave their distress
For Your streams of forgiveness and the shade of Your rest.

And with compassion for the hurting, You reached out Your
hand
As the lame ran to meet You and the dead breathed again;
You saw behind the eyes of sorrow and shared in our tears,
Heard the sigh of the weary, let the children draw near.

Chorus:

What boundless love, what fathomless grace

You have shown us, O God of compassion!

Each day we live an offering of praise

As we show to the world Your compassion.

We stood beneath the cross of Calvary and gazed on Your face
At the thorns of oppression and the wounds of disgrace,
For surely You have borne our suffering and carried our grief
As You pardoned the scoffer and showed grace to the thief.

Chorus

How beautiful the feet that carry this gospel of peace
To the fields of injustice and the valleys of need—
To be a voice of hope and healing, to answer the cries
Of the hungry and helpless with the mercy of Christ.

Chorus

(Children ages 4 to 8 may be dismissed to Children's Church).

SERMON PASSAGE

Jonah 3:1–4:11
(page 983, blue Bible)

SERMON

Where Is Your Pity?

Mr. Waller

HYMN 341

O Breath of Life, Come Sweeping through Us

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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