

*Song of Response: "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" LUYH 369

*We Profess Our Faith: "The Apostles' Creed" LUYH 783A

Goodness and Mercy Shall Follow Me

Offertory Prayer and Offering of our Gifts

Each week at Covenant we receive a monetary offering to support the mission and ministry of the church. This morning's offering will support the Christian Education Fund, which provides funds for the education of our children at one of our local Christian schools to help keep tuition down to a level that is affordable for most of our families.

We Share Our Joys & Concerns and Pray for Each Other

Words of Sending: Colossians 3:12-14 p.1834

*Benediction

*Closing Song: "God, the Father of Your People" LUYH 927:1

Eastertide

May 12, 2019



John 10:27-28

My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand.

Worship Participants

Pastor: Pastor Joel Kok ♦ Piano: Ryan Smit ♦ Guitar: Jaren Brue ♦ Violin: Amie Smit
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The Lord Is My Shepherd

Welcome

*Call to Worship: Psalm 100 p.937

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth.

**Worship the Lord with gladness;
come before him with joyful songs.**

Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us and we are his;

we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise;

give thanks to him and praise his name.

**For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;
his faithfulness continues through all generations.**

*Opening Song: "Better Is One Day" LUYH 506

*God Greet Us, We Greet One Another

*Song of Praise: "Jesus, Priceless Treasure"

**1. Jesus, priceless treasure, source of purest pleasure,
friend most sure and true: long my heart was burning,
fainting much and yearning, thirsting, Lord, for you.
Yours I am, O spotless Lamb, so will I let nothing hide you,
seek no joy beside you!**

**3. Throw off worldly treasure! Jesus is my pleasure; Jesus is my choice.
Throw off empty glory, what to me your story told with tempting voice?
Pain or loss or shame or cross shall not from my Savior move me,
since he chose to love me.**

Words: Johann Franck, tr. Catherine Winkworth, Music: Amie Smit

*Song of Praise: "Lord, I Need You"

**1. Lord, I come, I confess. Bowing here, I find my rest.
And without You, I fall apart. You're the one that guides my heart.**

Chorus:

**Lord, I need You, oh, I need You. Every hour I need You.
My one defense, my righteousness; oh God, how I need you.**

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**2. Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more.
Where grace is found is where You are.
And where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me. (chorus)**

Bridge:

**So teach my song to rise to You when temptation comes my way.
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You.
Jesus, You're my hope and stay. (chorus)**

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He Restores My Soul

Call to Confession: Summary of the Law

Prayer of Confession with "Shepherd Me, O God" LUYH 456 (refrain)

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the good news!

Who is in a position to condemn?

Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us,

Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The old life has gone; a new life has begun.

Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

Thanks be to God!

Song of Thanksgiving: "Oh, How I Love Jesus" LUYH 676 (refrain)

He Prepares a Table Before Me

Children's Blessing: "Aleluya/Alleluia" LUYH 183:1

Children ages 3 years old through Kindergarten are invited to come to the front of the sanctuary to receive a prayer of blessing before going downstairs to the Multi-Purpose Room for a time of worship designed especially for young children. Our young guests are welcome to participate in this service.

Scripture: Psalm 23 p.862

Sermon: "Let Evening Come" Pastor Joel Kok