

WE EXIST TO... GROW IN CHRIST, LOVE LIKE CHRIST, LIVE FOR CHRIST

# SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 2021

WELCOME / PRAYER OF INVOCATION

### **COME, BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY**

Verse 1

Come, behold the wondrous myst'ry, In the dawning of the King; He the theme of heaven's praises, Robed in frail humanity. In our longing, in our darkness, Now the light of life has come; Look to Christ, who condescended, Took on flesh to ransom us.

#### Verse 2

Come, behold the wondrous myst'ry, He the perfect Son of Man; In His living, in His suff'ring Never trace nor stain of sin. See the true and better Adam, Come to save the hell-bound man; Christ, the great and sure fulfillment Of the law, in Him we stand.

Verse 3

Come, behold the wondrous myst'ry, Christ the Lord upon the tree, In the stead of ruined sinners, Hangs the Lamb in victory. See the price of our redemption, See the Father's plan unfold; Bringing many sons to glory, Grace unmeasured, love untold.

#### Verse 4

Come, behold the wondrous myst'ry, Slain by death the God of life; But no grave could e'er restrain Him, Praise the Lord, He is alive! What a foretaste of deliv'rance, How unwavering our hope; Christ in power resurrected, As we will be, when He comes.

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### **CORPORATE PRAYER**

SERMON: SUPERIOR REDEMPTION IN CHRIST HEBREWS 9:11–22

### COMMUNION

## NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD

Verse 1 What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus; What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Chorus Oh! precious is the flow That makes me white as snow; No other fount I know, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Verse 2 For my pardon this I see, Nothing but the blood of Jesus; For my cleansing, this my plea, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Verse 3 Nothing can for sin atone, Nothing but the blood of Jesus; Naught of good that I have done, Nothing but the blood of Jesus. Verse 4 This is all my hope and peace, Nothing but the blood of Jesus; This is all my righteousness, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

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## **AMAZING GRACE! HOW SWEET THE SOUND**

Verse 1 Amazing grace! how sweet the sound. That saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but now am found, Was blind, but now I see

Verse 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved; How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed!

Verse 3 Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come; 'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.

Verse 4 The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures; He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures.

Verse 5 When we've been there ten thousand years, Bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first begun.

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#### BENEDICTION

Giving: If you feel led to give to the ministry of TVC, there is an offering box in the back of the sanctuary or online giving is available Apr 27: Sermon Application Team meets from 3-430 PM Apr 28: Foundations class American Gospel: Christ Crucified – classes will be held in the morning from 930–11 & in the evening from 6– 730 classes this week Fellowship breakfast from 9-945 May 2: AM - please bring a dish to share Rooted for children ages 4 years old – 3rd grade from 9–930 AM in the Northeast Nook Thrive for children in 4th & up from 9–930 AM in East Hall

Read Ahead: Hebrews 9:23–28

## **Memory Verse:**

Hebrews 9:14

...how much more will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without blemish to God, purify our conscience from dead works to serve the living God.

# **General Info:**

<u>TVC Kids:</u> Backpacks filled with a note sheet, a coloring page, and snacks are available for

children Pre-K - 5th grade. Note sheets are available for children in 5th - 8th grade.

We strive for family integrated worship and want to encourage parents to keep their children in the sanctuary or East Hall for worship. However, we understand that children can get restless & squirmy, so if you have to leave the service with your child, please feel free to do so. There is a kid friendly area in the Fellowship Hall, geared for children ages 0–4 years old, that can be used by families who have children that may need to get some wiggles out. Please know that you are welcome to rejoin the service at any time.

<u>Face Coverings</u>: We are asking that masks be worn at all times regardless of whether you can adequately distance physically. The masking requirement would include while you are inside or outside the building. This is just one tangible way we can love one another and our neighbors during this season.

<u>Gospel Growth Communities (GGCs)</u>: GGCs are just one way you can purposefully & intentionally invest in your church family. If you are interested in joining a GGC, please contact one of the elders. The Holladay GGC meets Thursday evenings. The Nicewonger GGC meets Thursday evenings. The Sorterup GGC meets Monday evenings.

# Notes:

- 1. Who is God (what does this passage tell me about God's character)?
- 2. What has God done (how do I see God's character in action)?
- 3. Who am I (how does God's character and action shape how I see myself)?
- 4. What do I do (if I believe 1–3 how would I respond and relate to others)?

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