

Sand Harbor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP



September 2nd, 2018



*Send out your light and your truth; let them guide me;
let them bring me to your holy mountain and to the place where you dwell!
Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy
Psalm 43:3-4*

WORSHIP *through* ADORATION† **RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP***Psalms 111:1-4*

Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them.

Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

**He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered;
the Lord is gracious and merciful.**

† **SONGS OF ADORATION** (*see p. 2*)*Joyful, Joyful We Adore You**Great Is Thy Faithfulness*† **PRAYER OF ADORATION****WORSHIP *through* CONFESSION and THANKSGIVING****CALL TO CONFESSION***Exodus 20:3; Matthew 6:24*

You shall have no other gods before me...No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION*Matt. 6:25-34; 1 Peter 5:6-7; Prov. 12:25*

Our Heavenly Father,

Forgive us for we have not loved you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength.

We have not thirsted after you as the deer thirsts for streams of water.

We have worshipped and served the creation rather than the Creator. We have crafted idols in our heart.

Help us to remember that there is no one holy like the LORD; there is no one besides you; there is no Rock like our God.

Keep us from idols and bind our wandering hearts to Thee.

In the Name of Christ we pray, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE IN CHRIST*1 Corinthians 6:9-11*

Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived...idolaters...will not inherit the kingdom of God. And such were some of you. But you were *washed*, you were *sanctified*, you were *justified* in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.

† **SONG OF THANKSGIVING***He Will Hold Me Fast* (*see p. 4*)† *signifies congregational standing if you're able*

JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE YOU

Joyful, joyful, we adore You,
 God of glory, Lord of love;
 Hearts unfold like flow'rs before You,
 Op'ning to the sun above.
 Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
 Drive the dark of doubt away;
 Giver of immortal gladness,
 Fill us with the light of day!

All Your works with joy surround You,
 Earth and heav'n reflect Your rays,
 Stars and angels sing around You,
 Center of unbroken praise;
 Field and forest, vale and mountain,
 Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,
 Singing bird and flowing fountain
 Call us to give praise to Thee!

Always giving and forgiving,
 Ever blessing, ever blest,
 Well-spring of the joy of living,
 Ocean-depth of happy rest!
 Loving Father, Christ our Savior,
 Let Your light upon us shine;
 Teach us how to love each other,
 Lift us to the joy divine.

Mortals, join the joyful chorus,
 Which the morning stars began;
 God's own love is reigning o'er us,
 Joining people hand in hand.
 Ever singing, march we onward,
 Victors in the midst of strife;
 Joyful music leads us onward
 In the triumph song of life.

Henry Van Dyke, 1907

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

Great is thy faithfulness,
 O God my Father;
 there is no shadow
 of turning with thee;
 thou changest not;
 thy compassions, they fail not.
 as thou hast been
 thou forever wilt be.

REFRAIN:

*Great is thy faithfulness!
 Great is thy faithfulness!
 Morning by morning
 new mercies I see;
 all I have needed
 thy hand hath provided.
 Great is thy faithfulness,
 Lord unto me!*

Summer and winter and
 springtime and harvest,
 sun, moon, and stars
 in their courses above
 join with all nature
 in manifold witness
 to thy great faithfulness,
 mercy, and love. (*Refrain*)

Pardon for sin and a
 peace that endureth,
 Thy own dear presence
 to cheer and to guide,
 strength for today
 and bright hope for tomorrow -
 blessings all mine,
 with ten thousand beside! (*Refrain*)

Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923

WORSHIP through PREACHING and HEARING† **READING OF GOD'S WORD***Psalm 46 (p. 471-472 in the pew Bible)**¹God is our refuge and strength,***a very present help in trouble.***²Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way,***though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,***³though its waters roar and foam,***though the mountains tremble at its swelling.***⁴There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God,***the holy habitation of the Most High.***⁵God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved;***God will help her when morning dawns.***⁶The nations rage, the kingdoms totter;***he utters his voice, the earth melts.***⁷The Lord of hosts is with us;***the God of Jacob is our fortress.***⁸Come, behold the works of the Lord,***how he has brought desolations on the earth.***⁹He makes wars cease to the end of the earth;***he breaks the bow and shatters the spear;****he burns the chariots with fire.***¹⁰“Be still, and know that I am God.***I will be exalted among the nations,****I will be exalted in the earth!”***¹¹The Lord of hosts is with us;***the God of Jacob is our fortress.****PREACHING OF GOD'S WORD***Pastor Andrew Jacobson***“A Mighty Fortress is Our God”**† **SONG OF RESPONSE***A Mighty Fortress is Our God (see p. 4)***WORSHIP through TASTING and SEEING****EXPLANATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER****DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS****Please hold the elements until everyone has been served**The bread in the center dish is gluten free.**The clear cups on the outer ring are wine and the purple cups on the inner rings are grape juice.***GIVING OF OFFERING**† **DEPARTING SONG***All Glory Be to Christ (see p. 5)***BLESSED and COMMISSIONED for WORSHIP**† **BENEDICTION***† signifies congregational standing if you're able*

When I fear my faith will fail
 Christ will hold me fast
 When the tempter would prevail
 He will hold me fast
 I could never keep my hold
 Through life's fearful path
 For my love is often cold
 He must hold me fast

CHORUS:

*He will hold me fast
 He will hold me fast
 For my Savior loves me so
 He will hold me fast*

Those He saves are His delight
 Christ will hold me fast
 Precious in His holy sight
 He will hold me fast
 He'll not let my soul be lost
 His promises shall last
 Bought by Him at such a cost
 He will hold me fast (*Chorus*)

For my life He bled and died
 Christ will hold me fast
 Justice has been satisfied
 He will hold me fast
 Raised with Him to endless life
 He will hold me fast
 Till our faith is turned to sight
 When he comes at last (*Chorus*)

A mighty fortress is our God,
 a bulwark never failing
 Our Helper He, amid the flood
 of mortal ills prevailing
 For still our ancient foe
 doth seek to work us woe
 His craft and pow'r are great,
 and, armed with cruel hate
 On earth is not his equal

Did we in our own strength confide,
 our striving would be losing
 Were not the right Man on our side,
 the Man of God's own choosing
 Dost ask who that may be?
 Christ Jesus, it is He
 The Lord of Hosts His name,
 from age to age the same
 And He must win the battle

And though this world with devils filled
 should threaten to undo us
 We will not fear, for God hath willed
 His truth to triumph through us
 The Prince of Darkness grim,
 we tremble not for him
 His rage we can endure,
 for lo, his doom is sure
 One little word shall fell him

That word above all earthly pow'rs,
 no thanks to them, abideth
 The Spirit and the gifts are ours
 through Him who with us sideth
 Let goods and kindred go,
 this mortal life also
 The body they may kill;
 God's truth abideth still
 His kingdom is forever

ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST

Should nothing of our efforts stand
 No legacy survive
 Unless the Lord does raise the house
 In vain its builders strive
 To you who boast tomorrow's gain
 Tell me what is your life
 A mist that vanishes at dawn
 All glory be to Christ!

All glory be to Christ our king!
All glory be to Christ!
His rule and reign we'll ever sing,
All glory be to Christ!

His will be done
 His kingdom come
 On earth as is above
 Who is Himself our daily bread
 Praise Him the Lord of love
 Let living water satisfy
 The thirsty without price
 We'll take a cup of kindness yet
 All glory be to Christ! (*Chorus*)

When on the day the great I Am
 The faithful and the true
 The Lamb who was for sinners slain
 Is making all things new.
 Behold our God shall live with us
 And be our steadfast light
 And we shall ere his people be
 All glory be to Christ! (*Chorus*)

Sermon Summary & Outline

We can have an unshakable confidence in God, because He is our ever-present fortress of protection.

1. Confidence in the face of Chaos
2. Confidence in the face of Opposition
3. Confidence in the face of the Future

UPCOMING EVENTS *at SAND HARBOR*



First Sunday Feast

Join us for a fellowship lunch immediately following our Worship service.



Corporate Prayer

Join us as we gather to pray together as a church family before corporate worship every 2nd Sunday of the month.

Time: 10:00-10:20 am, every 2nd Sunday



Adult Bible Study

If you are interested in being a part of a mid-week Adult Bible Study, Rich and Sandy Thompson are seeking to start one. An “interested parties” meeting will be held on Wed. the 19th at the Thompson’s.

RSVP to Sandy Thompson: sandrat3076@yahoo.com

FALL SUNDAY SCHOOL: Starting the 23rd from 9:15-10:15 am



Adult Sunday School

Mark Raisis will teach a 6 week class on the book of Ezekiel (*part 2*).

Youth Sunday School

Andrew Jacobson will teach a 6 week class on *The Chronicles of Church History: The Ancient Church*.

Nursery for Infants and Toddlers

We gladly welcome children of all ages into corporate worship. We are also sensitive to the varying needs and ability of children to be able to sit through a service and so we have nursery provided. The nursery is located on the south side of the building. Our nursery is always staffed with two workers to ensure safety and accountability.

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Monthly Volunteer Schedule

Date	Monthly Volunteer Schedule	
	Set-Up	Nursery
9/2	Micah Smith	Peggy Bruce Sandra Rimes
9/9	Tom Flowers	Tori Holsinger Elicia Flowers
9/16	Matt Belger	Jill Howard Angie Smith
9/23	Matthew Toren	Amanda Bruce Liz Schultz
9/30	tbd	Ashley Jacobson Missy Raisis

Our Leadership

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Elders	Andrew Jacobson Rick Howard Mark Raisis
Deacons	Daniel Bruce Tom Flowers Micah Smith Matthew Toren