April 26, 2020

Third Sunday of Easter WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude

Announcements

Call to Worship

LEADER: Blessed are those who have not seen

PEOPLE: and yet have come to believe

LEADER: O give thanks to the Lord, for the Lord is good.

ALL: God's steadfast love endures forever. *Hymn 379 "My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less"

Prayer of Confession

Lord as we all travel our own Emmaus Roads, we ask for your continued guidance and direction. We know that there are always bends and turns in our journeys and we ask that you give us the courage to speak up when we are not able to understand the answers you have for our lives. Continue to urge our spirits onward when we would want to surrender to our disappointments. Continue to be the wee small voice of encouragement when we are at loss of words or thoughts. Help us know that no matter what the circumstance or situation in our lives that we can continue to rest and believe that You are there and we know the comfort of the Comforter. Let the words of our mouths be acceptable in thy sight.... We pray... Amen

Declaration of Pardon *Gloria Patri #579

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

The Epistle 1 Peter 1:17-23

*Hymn #383 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

Sermon – "Obedience To the Truth"

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People

Offering (Continue where possible to either send your pledges and offerings by mail to the church address of donation button on our website:www.calvarypresbychurch.org)

*Doxology #592

*Prayer of Dedication

You have given us the greatest gift of all, Jesus Christ your son, our Savior. In gratitude we return to you a portion of what you have given us to serve you here and, around this world. Amen.

^{*}Hymn "AMAZING GRACE"

^{*}Charge and Benediction

Postlude

MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS

My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness I dare not trust the sweetest frame But wholly lean on Jesus name

On Christ the solid rock I stand All other ground is sinking sand All other ground is sinking sand

When darkness veils his lovely face I rest on His unchanging grace In every high and stormy gale My anchor holds within the veil

His oath, his covenant, his blood Supports me in the 'whelming flood When all around my soul gives way He then is all my hope and stay

On Christ the solid rock I stand All other ground is sinking sand All other ground is sinking sand

When he shall come with trumpet sound Oh may I then in him be found Dressed in his righteousness alone Faultless to stand before the throne

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My Faith Looks Up to Thee

My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior Divine; Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away; Oh, let me from this day Be wholly Thine.

2

May Thy rich grace impart
Strength to my fainting heart,
My zeal inspire;
As Thou hast died for me,
Oh, may my love to Thee
Pure, warm, and changeless be,
A living fire.

3

While life's dark maze I tread, And griefs around me spread, Be Thou my Guide; Bid darkness turn to day, Wipe sorrow's tears away, Nor let me ever stray From Thee aside.

4

All thru life's transient dream, Until death's sullen stream Shall o'er me roll, Blest Savior, with Thy love, Fear and distrust remove; Make me Thy grace to prove Transform my soul.

Amazing Grace

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

Was Grace that taught my heart to fear And Grace, my fears relieved How precious did that Grace appear The hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils and snares
We have already come
T'was Grace that brought us safe thus far
And Grace will lead us home
And Grace will lead us home

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