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## The Lord's Day

September 20, 2020

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### Welcome & Announcements

### Prelude

### Call to Worship

(From Psalm 45)

**Leader:** In your majesty ride out victoriously for the cause of truth and meekness and righteousness;

**All: Your throne, O God, is forever and ever.**

**The scepter of your kingdom is a scepter of uprightness;**

**Leader:** Since he is your lord, bow to him.

**All: With joy and gladness they are led along as they enter the palace of the king.**

### \*Hymn of Praise

#### Hymn # 499

*Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*

1. Rock of Ages, cleft for me let me hide myself in thee;  
let the water and the blood, from thy riven side which flowed,  
be of sin the double cure, cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.
2. Not the labors of my hands can fulfil thy law's demands;  
could my zeal no respite know, could my tears for ever flow,  
all for sin could not atone; thou must save, and thou alone.
3. Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to thy cross I cling;  
naked, come to thee for dress; helpless, look to thee for grace;  
foul, I to the Fountain fly; wash me, Savior, or I die.
4. While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyelids close in death,  
when I soar to worlds unknown, see thee on thy judgment throne,  
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee.

### \*Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

**\*Confessing Our Faith Together: The Apostles' Creed**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost; Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate; Was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven; And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; The Holy catholic Church; The communion of Saints; The forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Sacrament of Baptism (8:30am service only)**

**Daughter of Nathaniel and Leah Sheetz**

**Minute for Missions (11am service only)**

**Tithes and Offerings**

**Leviticus 27:30**

"Every tithe of the land, whether of the seed of the land or of the fruit of the trees, is the Lord's; it is holy to the Lord."

*Please use the offering plate in the narthex after the service,  
mail your gift to the office, or give online at <https://www.gospelfellowshipcca.org/give>*

**Offertory**

**\*Hymn of Response**

**Hymn # 734**

***Gloria Patri***

1. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

**\*Offertory Prayer**

**Verse of the Month**

***(recite in unison)***

**Psalm 42:1-2 "As a deer pants for flowing streams, so pants my soul for you,  
O God. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God."**

**Hymn of Preparation**

**Psalter # 40C (vs. 5-8)**

***Psalm 40:5-10***

5. O Lord my God, how many are the wonders thou hast done! How many are the gracious thoughts which thou toward us hast shown! No one can sort and set them out; none can compare to thee! If I would tell and speak of them, they could not numbered be.
6. No sacrifice of blood or meal is what thou hast desired; My ears thou hast prepared to hear, No offering hast required. Then in response these were my words, "I come! Behold and see! Within the volume of the book it written is of me:



7. "To do thy will I take delight, O thou my God that art; because that holy law of thine is deep within my heart." Within the congregation great I righteousness did preach; behold, Jehovah, thou dost know, I'll not restrain my speech.
8. I never have within my heart concealed thy righteousness; I thy salvation have declared and shown thy faithfulness. Thy mercy great, thy steadfast love, I ever have revealed, and from the congregation great thy truth have not concealed.

**Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer**

*Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

**\*Sermon Text**

**Mark 14:43-65**

**Sermon**

**"What is Your Decision?"**

**Rev. Dr. Matthew Everhard**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Threefold Amen #740**

1. Amen, Amen, Amen

**Postlude**

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*Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Matthew Everhard*

*Associate Pastor: Rev. David T. O'Leary*

*Organist: Mr. John Cannon*

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