



# SOUTH CLT PRES CHURCH

Sunday, June 28, 2026

Worship Service

## Welcome & Call to Worship

*Psalm 116:5-7*

Deacon John Triplett

**LEADER: Gracious is the LORD, and righteous; our God is merciful. The LORD preserves the simple; when I was brought low, he saved me. Return, O my soul, to your rest; for the LORD has dealt bountifully with you.**

## Worship in Song

### COME THOU FOUNT

COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING  
TUNE MY HEART TO SING THY GRACE  
STREAMS OF MERCY NEVER CEASING  
CALL FOR SONGS OF LOUDEST PRAISE  
TEACH ME SOME MELODIOUS SONNET  
SUNG BY FLAMING TONGUES ABOVE  
PRAISE THE MOUNT! I'M FIXED UPON IT  
MOUNT OF THY REDEEMING LOVE

HERE I RAISE MY EBENEZER  
HERE BY THY GREAT HELP I'VE COME  
AND I HOPE, BY THY GOOD PLEASURE  
SAFELY TO ARRIVE AT HOME  
JESUS SOUGHT ME WHEN A STRANGER  
WANDERING FROM THE FOLD OF GOD  
HE, TO RESCUE ME FROM DANGER  
INTERPOSED HIS PRECIOUS BLOOD

O TO GRACE HOW GREAT A DEBTOR  
DAILY I'M CONSTRAINED TO BE

LET THY GOODNESS, LIKE A FETTER  
BIND MY WANDERING HEART TO THEE  
PRONE TO WANDER, LORD, I FEEL IT  
PRONE TO LEAVE THE GOD I LOVE  
HERE'S MY HEART, O TAKE AND SEAL IT  
SEAL IT FOR THY COURTS ABOVE

O THAT DAY WHEN FREED FROM SINNING  
I SHALL SEE THY LOVELY FACE  
CLOTHED THEN IN BLOOD WASHED LINEN  
HOW I'LL SING THY SOVEREIGN GRACE  
COME, MY LORD, NO LONGER TARRY  
TAKE MY RANSOMED SOUL AWAY  
SEND THINE ANGELS NOW TO CARRY  
ME TO REALMS OF ENDLESS DAY

CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

WERE CREATION SUDDENLY ARTICULATE  
WITH A THOUSAND TONGUES TO LIFT ONE CRY  
THEN FROM NORTH TO SOUTH AND EAST TO WEST  
WE'D HEAR CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

WERE THE WHOLE EARTH ECHOING HIS EMINENCE  
HIS NAME WOULD BURST FROM SEA AND SKY  
FROM RIVERS TO THE MOUNTAIN TOPS  
WE'D HEAR CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

O CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED  
LET HIS PRAISE ARISE  
CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED IN ME  
O CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED  
FROM THE ALTAR OF MY LIFE  
CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED IN ME

WHEN EV'RY CREATURE FINDS ITS INMOST MELODY  
AND EV'RY HUMAN HEART ITS NATIVE CRY  
O THEN IN ONE ENRAPTURED HYMN OF PRAISE  
WE'LL SING CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

I WON'T BOW TO IDOLS  
I'LL STAND STRONG AND WORSHIP YOU  
AND IF IT PUTS ME IN THE FIRE  
I'LL REJOICE 'CAUSE YOU'RE THERE TOO

I WON'T BE FORMED BY FEELINGS  
I HOLD FAST TO WHAT IS TRUE  
IF THE CROSS BRINGS TRANSFORMATION  
THEN I'LL BE CRUCIFIED WITH YOU  
(YOU CAN HANG ME THERE WITH YOU)

'CAUSE DEATH IS JUST THE DOORWAY  
INTO RESURRECTION LIFE  
IF I JOIN YOU IN YOUR SUFF'RINGS  
THEN I'LL JOIN YOU WHEN YOU RISE

AND WHEN YOU RETURN IN GLORY  
WITH ALL THE ANGELS AND THE SAINTS  
MY HEART WILL STILL BE SINGING  
MY SONG WILL BE THE SAME

### GOOD PLANS

THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD  
AND HE IS EVERYTHING I NEED  
SO, I WILL NOT WORRY  
I WILL NOT FEAR THE ENEMY  
HE SAID THAT HE LOVES ME  
HE SAID THAT HE'S WITH ME EVEN THOUGH  
I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY  
OF SHADOW AND DEATH AND STILL I KNOW

HE HAS GOOD PLANS  
HE HAS GOOD PLANS FOR ME  
SO, I WILL TAKE HEART  
IN DESERTS AND GARDENS  
HE HAS GOOD PLANS  
HE HAS GOOD PLANS FOR ME  
IF I KNOW MY FATHER  
I KNOW MY FATHER HAS  
GOOD PLANS

NO WEAPON FORMED AGAINST ME WILL PROSPER

THE LORD IS MY SAVIOR  
SO WHY SHOULD I DOUBT MY VICTORY?  
WHY WOULD I QUESTION  
THE ROD AND THE STAFF THAT COMFORTS ME?  
HE QUIETS THE WATERS

HE QUIETS THE STORM INSIDE OF ME  
SO, WHAT COULD BE BETTER  
THAN WALKING WITH HIM WHEN I BELIEVE?

OH, OH-OH, OH  
WE SUBMIT TO YOUR PLANS  
WE SUBMIT TO YOUR PLANS

AND SURELY YOUR GOODNESS  
AND MERCY WILL FOLLOW AFTER ME  
SO, FEAR WILL NOT FIND ME  
'CAUSE I'LL BE DWELLING IN THE HOUSE OF GOD  
SURELY YOUR GOODNESS  
AND MERCY WILL FOLLOW AFTER ME  
SO, FEAR WILL NOT FIND ME (WOO!)  
'CAUSE I'LL BE DWELLING RIGHT HERE IN THE HOUSE  
(I'LL BE DWELLING RIGHT HERE IN THE HOUSE)  
SURELY YOUR GOODNESS  
AND MERCY WILL FOLLOW AFTER ME  
SO, FEAR WILL NOT FIND ME  
'CAUSE I'LL BE DWELLING IN THE HOUSE OF GOD  
SURELY YOUR GOODNESS  
AND MERCY WILL FOLLOW AFTER ME  
SO, FEAR WILL NOT FIND ME  
'CAUSE I'LL BE DWELLING IN THE HOUSE OF GOD  
YOU ARE A GOOD GOD  
YOU ARE A GOOD GOD

**Community Time**

Deacon John Triplett

**Giving**

Ruling Elder Kyle Musgrove

**Pastoral Prayer**

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**Scripture Reading**

Pastoral Intern John Griffiths

*Ruth 3:1-18*

1 Then Naomi her mother-in-law said to her, "My daughter, should I not seek rest for you, that it may be well with you? 2 Is not Boaz our relative, with whose young women you were? See, he is winnowing barley tonight at the threshing floor. 3 Wash therefore and anoint

yourself, and put on your cloak and go down to the threshing floor, but do not make yourself known to the man until he has finished eating and drinking. 4 But when he lies down, observe the place where he lies. Then go and uncover his feet and lie down, and he will tell you what to do." 5 And she replied, "All that you say I will do."

6 So she went down to the threshing floor and did just as her mother-in-law had commanded her. 7 And when Boaz had eaten and drunk, and his heart was merry, he went to lie down at the end of the heap of grain. Then she came softly and uncovered his feet and lay down. 8 At midnight the man was startled and turned over, and behold, a woman lay at his feet! 9 He said, "Who are you?" And she answered, "I am Ruth, your servant. Spread your wings<sup>1a</sup> over your servant, for you are a redeemer." 10 And he said, "May you be blessed by the Lord, my daughter. You have made this last kindness greater than the first in that you have not gone after young men, whether poor or rich. 11 And now, my daughter, do not fear. I will do for you all that you ask, for all my fellow townsmen know that you are a worthy woman. 12 And now it is true that I am a redeemer. Yet there is a redeemer nearer than I. 13 Remain tonight, and in the morning, if he will redeem you, good; let him do it. But if he is not willing to redeem you, then, as the Lord lives, I will redeem you. Lie down until the morning."

14 So she lay at his feet until the morning, but arose before one could recognize another. And he said, "Let it not be known that the woman came to the threshing floor." 15 And he said, "Bring the garment you are wearing and hold it out." So she held it, and he measured out six measures of barley and put it on her. Then she went into the city. 16 And when she came to her mother-in-law, she said, "How did you fare, my daughter?" Then she told her all that the man had done for her, 17 saying, "These six measures of barley he gave to me, for he said to me, 'You must not go back empty-handed to your mother-in-law.'" 18 She replied, "Wait, my daughter, until you learn how the matter turns out, for the man will not rest but will settle the matter today."

**Reader:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**Congregation:** Thanks be to God.

**Sermon**

Pastoral Intern John Griffiths

Redemption: From Empty to Full

## Confession of Sin & Gospel Assurance

Pastor Josh Creason

### *Confession of Sin*

**Merciful Father,**

**We confess that we often lack a loyal, selfless love for others. Instead we prioritize our own comfort. In moments of vulnerability and uncertainty, we fail to trust Your hidden providence, preferring to anxiously force outcomes rather than patiently resting at the feet of you, Lord Christ.**

**Forgive us, Father, through the blood of your son, Jesus. Cover over our sins with Your grace, and turn our hearts wholly to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, the Kinsman-Redeemer, who secures our rest.**

**\*Time of Silent Confession.**

### *Gospel Assurance*

**Romans 8:1-2**

**There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.**

## Lord's Supper

Pastor Josh Creason

### Song of Response

O PRAISE THE NAME (ANÁSTASIS)

I CAST MY MIND TO CALVARY  
WHERE JESUS BLED AND DIED FOR ME  
I SEE HIS WOUNDS HIS HANDS HIS FEET  
MY SAVIOR ON THAT CURSED TREE

HIS BODY BOUND AND DRENCHED IN TEARS  
THEY LAID HIM DOWN IN JOSEPH'S TOMB  
THE ENTRANCE SEALED BY HEAVY STONE  
MESSIAH STILL AND ALL ALONE

O PRAISE THE NAME OF THE LORD OUR GOD  
O PRAISE HIS NAME FOREVERMORE  
FOR ENDLESS DAYS WE WILL SING YOUR PRAISE  
OH LORD OH LORD OUR GOD

THEN ON THE THIRD AT BREAK OF DAWN  
THE SON OF HEAVEN ROSE AGAIN  
O TRAMPLED DEATH WHERE IS YOUR STING  
THE ANGELS ROAR FOR CHRIST THE KING

HE SHALL RETURN IN ROBES OF WHITE  
THE BLAZING SUN SHALL PIERCE THE NIGHT  
AND I WILL RISE AMONG THE SAINTS  
MY GAZE TRANSFIXED ON JESUS' FACE

**Benediction**

Pastor Josh Creason