

**November 21, 2021**

**9:30 AM**

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## **GOD CALLS US**

**\*Gathering Song**

*Glory to God*

Vasile

Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,  
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,  
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.  
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**Welcome and Announcements**

**Silent Preparation**

**Scripture for Meditation: 1 Chronicles 16:34**

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

**\*Prayer of Invocation**

**\*Hymn of Praise**

*Now Thank We All Our God (TH #98)*

Crüger

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things hath done, in whom his world rejoices;  
who from our mothers' arms, hath blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,  
with ever-joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;  
and keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed,  
and free us from all ills in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,  
the Son, and him who reigns with them in highest heaven –  
the one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore;  
for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.

## **GOD CLEANSSES US**

### **Responsive Prayer of Confession and Thanksgiving**

*adapted from "The Way to an Overflowing Heart"*

ALL: Thank you, Heavenly Father, for loving us and sending  
your Son to die in our place; and for forgiving all our sins  
by your Son's blood shed on the cross;

MEN: **and for writing our names in heaven; and for making  
your Son to be all our righteousness and holiness;**

WOMEN: and for freeing us in your Son from all condemnation;

MEN: **and for being fully pleased with your Son who lives in  
us;**

WOMEN: and for promising that not one of those who comes to  
your Son will be cast out;

MEN: **and for making us worthy to partake in the  
inheritance of the saints in the light;**

WOMEN: and for delivering us from the power of darkness and  
translating us into the kingdom of your dear Son;

MEN: **and for making us to sit together with the saints in the  
heavenly places in your Son at your right hand above  
all rule, power, might, and dominion;**

WOMEN: and for promising to bring to completion the work you  
began in us;

ALL: **and for making tribulation, affliction and weakness to  
be the place of comfort, pure joy, strength, pleasure,  
and glory. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.**

## **Worship Through Giving**

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Online giving: text any dollar amount to 84321

*Children's Church may dismiss at this time.*

## **Testimonies of Thanksgiving**

So that all may hear our testimonies, we ask that you make use of a microphone.

### **\*Song of Praise**

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# GOD SPEAKS TO US

## \*Scripture Reading

Ephesians 6:10-20

<sup>10</sup> Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might. <sup>11</sup> Put on the full armor of God, so that you will be able to stand firm against the schemes of the devil. <sup>12</sup> For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the powers, against the world forces of this darkness, against the spiritual forces of wickedness in the heavenly places. <sup>13</sup> Therefore, take up the full armor of God, so that you will be able to resist in the evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. <sup>14</sup> Stand firm therefore, having girded your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, <sup>15</sup> and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace; <sup>16</sup> in addition to all, taking up the shield of faith with which you will be able to extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. <sup>17</sup> And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

<sup>18</sup> With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be on the alert with all perseverance and petition for all the saints, <sup>19</sup> and pray on my behalf, that utterance may be given to me in the opening of my mouth, to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, <sup>20</sup> for which I am an ambassador in chains; that in proclaiming it I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak. **NASB '95**

**LEADER:** The Word of the Lord.

**ALL:** **Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon** *Praying in Jesus' Name: Spiritual Warfare and Prayer*

Rev. Joe Mullen

# **GOD STRENGTHENS US**

## **Celebration of the Lord's Supper**

### **Communion Song (CUP)**

*There Is a Redeemer*  
Sievright-Green

There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son.  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

*Refrain:*

*Thank you, O my Father, for giving us your Son,  
and leaving your Spirit till the work on earth is done.*

Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names.  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,  
hope for sinners slain.

*Refrain*

When I stand in glory I will see His face.  
There I'll serve my King forever,  
in that holy place.

*Refrain x 2*

# **GOD SENDS US**

## **\*God's Promise of His Presence and Blessing**

