

CHEROKEE

Presbyterian Church PCA



May 6, 2018

Worship 10:30 AM



THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO
MARK

APPROACHING GOD

Prelude *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us (Wood)*

Dr. Rod Kirby

Welcome

Troy Snyder

*Call to Worship

Psalm 95:6–7 ESV

Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!
For he is our God,
**and we are the people of his pasture,
and the sheep of his hand.**

*Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn #302 “Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

*Song of Praise “My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness”

Confession of Sin

*Assurance of Pardon

Hebrews 10:19–22 ESV

Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.

*Gloria Patri

**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.**

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Visitor information/Prayer cards are available in the back of the pew for visitors and members.

**Please stand as able*

“My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness”

Verse 1

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who bore my pain
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace
And gave me life again
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness
And clothed me with His light
And wrote His law of righteousness
With pow'r upon my heart

Verse 2

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who walks beside
Who floods my weaknesses with strength
And causes fears to fly
Whose every promise is enough
For every step I take
Sustaining me with arms of love
And crowning me with grace

Verse 3

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who reigns above
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace
Whose every thought is love
For every day I have on earth
Is given by the King
So I will give my life my all
To love and follow Him

CONFESSING OUR FAITH

*Old Testament Reading

Pastor Ross Ritter

Malachi 4:1–5 ESV (p. 802)

Confession of Faith

Heidelberg Catechism

Q 52. *How does Christ's return "to judge the living and the dead" comfort you?*

- A. **In all distress and persecution,
with uplifted head,
I confidently await the very judge
who has already offered himself to the judgment of God
in my place and removed the whole curse from me.
Christ will cast all his enemies and mine
into everlasting condemnation,
but will take me and all his chosen ones
to himself into the joy and glory of heaven.**

Prayer of Intercession

Pastor Ross Ritter

*Hymn #679 " 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

G O D ' S W O R D

***Sermon Text**

Mark 10:23–31 ESV (*p. 846*)

Sermon

Pastor Ross Ritter

“Kingdom Reversal”

***Hymn #230** “Thou Who Wast Rich beyond All Splendor”

Sermon Notes

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Words of Institution

1 Corinthians 11:23–26 ESV

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, “This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.

Distribution of the Elements

The trays hold both wine (outer rings) and grape juice (center).

We eat the bread when we receive it, but hold the cup until all have been served.

Prayer

BLESSING

***Hymn #468** “My Faith Has Found a Resting Place”

***Benediction**

Hebrews 13:20–21

***Congregational Response**

Amen. Amen. Amen.

Postlude *Prelude, Fugue, and Chaconne (Buxtehude)*

Dr. Rod Kirby

CPC Weekly Events

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Today

- **Fellowship Meal:** 12:00 PM
Visitors welcome!
- **Praise Team Practice:** 1:00 PM
- **Elderly Outreach Ministry:** 2:00 PM
(Jimmy Friday, Romans 1:18–3:20)
- **Youth Group:** 5:00 PM at CPC

May 13th

Community Groups:

- Holly Springs, 5:00 PM
- Woodstock, 5:30 PM, (*not meeting due to Mother's Day*)
- Canton, 6:00 PM at CPC

THIS WEEK

Tuesday

Men's Bible Study: 6:00 AM at Bojangles on Ball Ground Hwy
Contact: Troy Snyder, 404-915-6231 or tbsnyder@gmail.com

Wednesday

Women's Bible Study: temporarily on break until further notice due to a death in the family. *Contact:* Ann Bailey, 404-402-1382 or aachie@bellsouth.net

Prayer & Study Group: 6:00 PM at CPC
Contact: Jim Friday, 404-375-1197 or jimfriday1949@gmail.com

Saturday

Men's Bible Study: 8:00 AM at Bojangles, Hickory Flat, East Cherokee
Contact: Ray Bobo, 770-213-8866

Nursery

Today: Margie Burt and Lydia Arnold
May 13th: Catherine Bailey and Alexis Hanenburg

Greeters

Today: John Broomall and Jason Brewer
May 13th: Casey and Jennifer Hudson



Worship Well | Love One Another | Engage the Community



ABOUT THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Lord's Supper is a meal Jesus gives his church as a perpetual reminder that our salvation came at a great cost, but that he has paid that cost in full through his own body and blood. As we eat it by faith in Christ, this meal is also a tool he uses to strengthen our faith, to subdue our sin, and to give us a foretaste of the wedding banquet to come.

Jesus gives this meal to all who trust in him alone for salvation, who have professed faith in him to a gospel-proclaiming church, and who seek to submit their lives to him. As the plates are passed, please spend a moment in prayer to examine yourself and to meditate on the salvation Jesus has purchased with his body and his blood.

OUR CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

At Cherokee, we believe that our children are just as much a part of the church body as the adults. This means that we encourage children to participate in the worship service as much as they reasonably can.

For children up to age 4, a nursery is provided in the lobby.



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