



KINGDOM COME

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE



ROCKY MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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Glorifying God by making disciples who love Christ, his Church, and all people.

Welcome!

VISITOR INFORMATION

During parts of our service, the congregation is asked to stand

(indicated by a * in the bulletin). We understand that some are not able to stand for various reasons, please feel free to remain seated.

Please fill out a contact card with your contact information and/or prayer requests. Place the card in the offering bag or give it to one of the ushers. If you have an urgent prayer request, you can email it to admin@rmpca.org.

We love children and believe that God calls us to help them grow in the faith. Children's activity bags are available at the back of the sanctuary, along with a Cry Room. You are welcome to keep your children with you throughout the service.

NURSERY: downstairs is a nursery available during the entire worship service for infants and toddlers up to 3 years old.

Rocky Mountain Presbyterian Church is a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

* Give Me Thy Heart

Lyrics by Eliza E. Hewitt; Music by Blayne Chastain.

1. "Give Me thy heart," says the Father above;
No gift so precious to Him as our love.
Softly He whispers, wherever thou art,
"Gratefully trust Me, and give Me thy heart."

REFRAIN

**"Give Me thy heart, give me thy heart" —
Hear the soft whisper, wherever thou art.
From this dark world, He would draw thee apart,
Speaking so tenderly, "Give Me thy heart."**

2. "Give Me thy heart," says the Savior of men,
Calling in mercy again and again.
"Trust in Me only, I'll never depart;
Have I not died for thee? Give Me thy heart."

REFRAIN

3. "Give Me thy heart," says the Spirit divine;
"All that thou hast to My keeping resign;
Grace more abounding is Mine to impart;
Make full surrender and give Me thy heart."

REFRAIN (x2)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Worship Leader: Praise the Lord.

People: Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens.

Worship Leader: Praise him for his acts of power; praise him for his surpassing greatness.

People: Praise him with the sounding of the trumpet, praise him with the harp and lyre.

Worship Leader: Praise him with tambourine and dancing, praise him with the strings and flute.

People: Praise him with the clash of cymbals, praise him with resounding cymbals.

Worship Leader: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

People: Praise the Lord.

Psalm 150

* **O For A Thousand Tongues**

Music and lyrics by Charles Wesley 1739; alt. 1961.

Refrain music Greg Upton.

1. O for a thousand tongues to sing
My great Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of His grace!
2. My gracious Master and my God,
Assist me to proclaim,
To spread through all the earth abroad
The honors of Thy name.
3. Jesus, the name that charms our fears,
That bids our sorrows cease;
'Tis music in the sinner's ear,
'Tis life, and health, and peace.

REFRAIN

**O for a thousand tongues to sing,
My great Redeemer I'll sing Your praise;
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of His grace!**

4. He breaks the power of reigning sin,
He sets the prisoner free;
His blood can make the foulest clean,
His blood availed for me.

5. Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb,
Your loosened tongues employ;
Ye blind, behold your Savior come,
And leap, ye lame, for joy.

REFRAIN (x2)

*** I Saw the Light**

Music and lyrics by Hank Williams.

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1. I wandered so aimless life, filled with sin;
I wouldn't let my dear savior in.
Then Jesus came like a stranger in the night;
Praise the Lord I saw the light.

CHORUS

**I saw the light, I saw the light,
No more darkness, no more night.
Now I'm so happy, no sorrow in sight;
Praise the Lord I saw the light.**

2. Just like a blind man, I wandered alone;
Worries and fears I claimed for my own.
Then like the blind man that God gave back his sight,
Praise the Lord I saw the light.

CHORUS

3. I was a fool to wander and stray;
Straight is the gate and narrow's the way.
Through Jesus I've traded, wrong for the right,
Praise the Lord I saw the light.

CHORUS (x2)

*** Confession of Sin**

Worship Leader: You shall have no other gods before me.

People: But I often place other things on the throne of my heart above you.

Worship Leader: You shall not make for yourself a carved image...You shall not bow down to them or serve them.

People: But I make you into who I want you to be.

Worship Leader: You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain.

People: But I treat your name lightly, and do not bring honor to you.

Worship Leader: Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work.

People: But I make excuses for spending the day pursuing my own pleasures, with little thought on how I can set apart the Sabbath to you.

Worship Leader: Honor your father and your mother.

People: But I spurn authority and set my own rules.

Worship Leader: You shall not murder.

People: But I often hate my brother in my heart.

Worship Leader: You shall not commit adultery.

People: But my thought life is often x-rated, and my heart is filled with lust.

Worship Leader: You shall not steal.

People: But I devote my life to pursue convenience and consumption.

Worship Leader: You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

People: But I often speak against my neighbors, and run them down to others.

Worship Leader: You shall not covet.

People: But I desire and chase after far more than I need, and I am not content with what I have.

All: Forgive us, O God. Put to death our sinful desires and actions through the power of your Holy Spirit. Renew us in the image of your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Adapted from the Ten Commandments

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

Worship Leader: Lift up your heads, you who have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of your trespasses, and hear these words of grace.

Words of Grace

For this reason he had to be made like his brothers in every way, in order that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in service to God, and that he might make atonement for the sins of the people. Because he himself suffered when he was tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

Hebrews 2:17-18

* Bread of the World, In Mercy Broken

Music by Zac Hicks, 2006.

Lyrics by Reginald Heber, 1827 (verses);

©2009 Unbudding Fig Music (ASCAP).

1. Bread of the world, in mercy broken;
Wine of the soul, in mercy shed;
By Whom the words of life were spoken,
And in Whose death our sins are dead.

2. Look on the heart, by sorrow broken;
Look on the tears, by sinners shed;
And be Thy feast to us the token
That by Thy grace our souls are fed.

Have mercy, have mercy, Have mercy on us.
Have mercy, have mercy, Have mercy on us.

REFRAIN

**So let us come to the feast of Jesus;
Let us eat of the Bread of Life;
Let us drink of the wine, His blood,
To talk and dine with Jesus Christ.**

3. Bread of the world, in mercy broken
Wine of the soul, in mercy shed
By Whom the words of life were spoken And
in Whose death our sins are dead

Have mercy, have mercy, Have mercy on us
Have mercy, have mercy, Have mercy on us

REFRAIN (x2)

OFFERING

Fill out an online welcome card at <https://rmpca.org/nextsteps>

Our offering box is on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

You can also give online at <https://rmpca.org/giving/>

PASTORAL PRAYER

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MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT: DEACONS

The Lord's Supper: An Antidote to Spiritual Amnesia

Luke 22:14-20

Kingdom Come: The Gospel According to Luke

¹⁴And when the hour came, he reclined at table, and the apostles with him. ¹⁵And he said to them, "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer. ¹⁶For I tell you I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God." ¹⁷And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said, "Take this, and divide it among yourselves. ¹⁸For I tell you that from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes." ¹⁹And he took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." ²⁰And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, "This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood."

Sermon Outline

Main Idea: This passage gives three ways that the Lord's Supper is an antidote to our spiritual amnesia.

I. A Reminder of Redemption

II. A Sign of Sacrifice

A. The Bread

B. The Wine

Exodus 24:8

And Moses took the blood and threw it on the people and said, "Behold the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you in accordance with all these words."

III. A Feast of Fellowship

The Lord's Supper

Minister: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come buy and eat!

People: Let us come, and buy wine and milk without money and without price.

Minister: Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?

People: Let us listen diligently, and eat what is good, and delight ourselves in rich food.

Minister: Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

Isaiah 55:1-3

All who trust Christ for salvation and desire to live for him are invited to participate. If that doesn't describe you, feel free to sit and reflect on what God may be saying to you through His Word.

Please come forward down the center aisle and return to your seat via the side aisles. Select either grape juice (in the clear cups) or wine (in the red cups). Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. After receiving the elements, we return to our seats to partake together.

Children who have not yet made a profession of faith are invited to come forward for prayer at a prayer station. If your child is ready to profess their faith, please speak with our pastor or one of the Elders.

*** We Hunger and Thirst**

Music and lyrics by George Romanacce and Alex Couch.
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1. Exalted Son of glory,
Humbly came down;
Wounded for the broken,
Bore the sinner's crown.
Through the willing death You died
You became our bread of life.

CHORUS

**Jesus, we hunger and thirst
For You, Lord,
As we remember Your sacrifice.
We see the wounds
From Your hands and pierced side —
Extravagant love!
Oh how great the price!
Now our lives are Yours.**

2. The priceless blood of Jesus,
This gracious cup:
A life spring overflowing, poured out for us.
He has conquered every sin
For the ones who trust in Him.

CHORUS

BRIDGE

**The cup we drink, the bread we eat,
Reminds us You are all we need,
And makes us long
For Your wedding feast. *(Repeat)***

CHORUS

*** Benediction**

Leader: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

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NEW VISITOR'S LUNCH

If you're new to RMPC, please join us on **today, after the 11:00am worship service** to enjoy a meal with Pastor Shane and learn about the church: it's history, mission, values, and ministry.

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

Genesis 2:24

OUTREACH PRAYER FOCUS — Elevate Hope Centennial

Please pray for God's continued blessing over their weekly Sunday worship and that they would continue to develop relationships with the families in their neighborhood, especially in these unique circumstances. Please pray that God would continue to bless them with the finances, resources, and leaders they need and that God would give Pastor Brett Weston wisdom in knowing how to shepherd the congregation during this season.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

From December 2019 through November 2020

Budget: \$335,352

Giving: \$364,667

Difference: + \$29,315



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