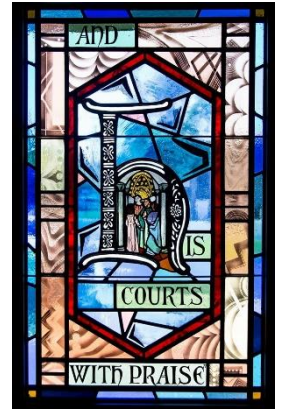


## CARMICHAEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



**July 5, 2020**

**Livestream**

**10:00 a.m.**

PRELUDE

**“Overture from ‘Fireworks Music’”**  
Randy Benfield

Handel

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Click [HERE](#) to register your attendance

Pastor Ivan N. Herman

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Davalos & Miller Family  
from Psalm 145:8-13

Leader: God is all mercy and grace—slow to anger, and overflowing with love. God is good to all; everything God does is filled with grace. Creation and creatures applaud you, God; your holy people bless you. We talk about the glories of your rule and tell the whole world of your power for good. We are excited over the splendor of your kingdom. Your kingdom is eternal; you never get voted out of office. God always does what God says, and is gracious in everything. Let us worship God!

HYMN OF PRAISE

**“God Is Here!”**

No. 461

Fred Pratt Green, 1979; rev. 1988

Cyril Vincent Taylor, 1941

1. God is here! As we Your peo - ple Meet to of - fer  
 2. Here are sym - bols to re - mind us Of our life - long  
 3. Here our chil - dren find a wel - come In the Shep - herd's  
 4. Lord of all, of church and king - dom, In an age of

praise and prayer, May we find in ful - ler mea - sure What it  
 need of grace; Here are ta - ble, font, and pul - pit; Here the  
 flock and fold, Here, as bread and wine are tak - en, Christ sus -  
 change and doubt Keep us faith - ful to the gos - pel, Help us

is in Christ we share. Here, as in the world a - round us,  
 cross has cen - tral place. Here in hon - es - ty of preach - ing,  
 tains us as of old. Here the ser - vants of the Ser - vant  
 work Your pur - pose out. Here, in this day's ded - i - ca - tion,

All our var - ied skills and arts Wait the com - ing  
 Here in si - lence, as in speech, Here, in new - ness  
 Seek in wor - ship to ex - plore What it means in  
 All we have to give, re - ceive: We, who can - not

of the Spir - it In - to o - pen minds and hearts.  
 and re - new - al, God the Spir - it comes to each.  
 dai - ly liv - ing To be - lieve and to a - dore.  
 live with - out You, We a - dore You! We be - lieve!

## CALL TO CONFESSION

The Davalos & Miller Family  
John 7:37-38

Leader: Let anyone who is thirsty come to me. Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water. Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin together in prayer.

## UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Merciful God, you reveal your will to us through the Word and by the Spirit, but we refuse to listen and follow. We do the very things we hate and then feel trapped in guilt and shame. We long to know the abundant life Jesus came to give, but neglect to take up his yoke and learn from him. Forgive us for not doing what we already know we should do. Forgive us for not being who you call and create us to be. Hear our confession and set us free again and again.**

## SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Matthew 11:28-30

Leader: Jesus said: "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." Friends, believe the good news, through Jesus Christ you are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.

### RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

**"The Gloria Patri"**

Traditional

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.

### TIME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

### SPECIAL MUSIC

**"Patriotic Medley"**  
Bob Beckert

various

### SCRIPTURE LESSON

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

<sup>16</sup> "But to what will I compare this generation? It is like children sitting in the marketplaces and calling to one another,

<sup>17</sup> 'We played the flute for you, and you did not dance; we wailed, and you did not mourn.'

<sup>18</sup> For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, 'He has a demon'; <sup>19</sup> the Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, 'Look, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!' Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds."

<sup>25</sup> At that time Jesus said, "I thank<sup>l</sup> you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; <sup>26</sup> yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. <sup>27</sup> All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

<sup>28</sup> "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

SERMON

***Rest for the Weary***

Pastor Ivan N. Herman

SONG

**“How Can I Keep from Singing”**

Lowry

My life flows on in endless song  
Above earth's lamentation  
I hear the real, though far off hymn  
That hails a new creation  
No storm can shake my inmost calm  
While to that rock I'm clinging  
Since love is Lord of heaven and earth  
How can I keep from singing?  
Through all the tumult and the strife  
I hear the music ringing  
It sounds and echoes in my soul  
How can I keep from singing?  
What though the tempest 'round me roar  
I hear the truth it liveth  
And though the darkness round me close  
Songs in the night it giveth

OFFERING

**“The Lord's Prayer”**

Malotte

Bob Beckert

THE LORD'S SUPPER

*(Place a plate with bread or crackers on a table in your home worship space. Beside it set a cup with juice, wine, water, or other common beverage in your home. With these elements we celebrate the shared presence of Christ that connects and nourishes our communion of faith.)*

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

UNISON PRAYER OF BLESSING

**God of the open hand and the gentle yoke, we await your gift and your service. Send your Spirit of life and love, of power and blessing upon your children in every “house of worship,” so that this Bread may be broken and gathered in love and this Cup poured out to give hope to all. Risen Christ, live in us, that we may live in you. Breathe in us, that we may breathe in you. Amen.**

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

*(Break the bread and dip it in the cup. If you are with others, serve one another saying, "This is the bread of heaven. This is the cup of Christ.")*

COMMUNION SONG

**“This Is My Song”**

Stone, Harkness

The Peacemaking Project Virtual Choir

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SONG

**“Even So, Come”**

Tomlin, Cates, Ingram

All of creation, all of the earth,  
Make straight a highway, a path for the Lord  
Jesus is coming soon  
Call back the sinner, wake up the saint  
Let every nation shout out Your name  
Jesus is coming soon  
Like a bride waiting for her groom,  
We'll be a Church ready for You  
Every heart longing for our King, we sing  
Even so come, Lord Jesus, come  
Even so come, Lord Jesus, come  
There will be justice, all will be new  
Your name forever, faithful and true  
Jesus is coming soon  
So we wait. We wait for You  
God, we wait. You're coming soon.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

The Lord whom we love, whom we worship and adore,  
We will serve throughout this coming week. He it is who binds us together,  
And He it is who sends us apart, to be God's people, be God's people. Amen.

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