YRICS FOR HIS LIFE Praying the Psalms

with Jesus

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9 am



GATHERING TO PRAISE

Assisting with Worship: Jaime Carnaggio

*Welcome and Call to Worship

From Psalm 24

The earth is the LORD's and the fullness thereof, the world and those who dwell therein,

For he has founded it upon the seas and established it upon the rivers.

Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD? And who shall stand in his holy place?

He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false and does not swear deceitfully.

Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

Who is this King of glory?

The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle! Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

Who is this King of glory?

The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!

*Songs of Praise

"Come Thou Fount, Come Thou King"

"Behold Our God"

*Blessing God

Infant Baptism

Matthew Harvey Jenkins Parents are Rebecca and Allen Jenkins Siblings are CeCe and William Jenkins Sponsoring Elder is Brett Furr

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,
And born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
And is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, The holy catholic Church, The communion of saints, The forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body, And the life everlasting. Amen.

*Greeting and Announcements

Children ages three through kindergarten are invited to Children's Church.

Song of Preparation

"The Table"

Gardere Student Choir



PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Time with God's Word

Prayer for the Holy Spirit *Psalm 24*

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Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD?

And who shall stand in his holy place?

He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false and does not swear deceitfully.

He will receive blessing from the LORD and righteousness from the God of his salvation.

Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob. *Selah*

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For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction,

That through endurance and the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.

Sermon

Colton Underwood "Who Shall Ascend?"



RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Time of Reflection

*Song of Response

"Behold Your God"

Please bring your offerings and prayer requests forward.



Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer



BENEDICTION

*Song of Response

"Amen"

*Response

Blessed be the LORD I AM, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit, amen!



ANNOUNCEMENTS (continue on back panel)

Be Part of the Plan! Take the Survey! The elders have begun a process for writing a long-range vision and strategic plan. Our church turns 200 in 2027! In preparation for our bicentennial, we want to celebrate how Christ has led us, and pursue the path he is showing. We want your voice to be heard in our discernments. The brief congregational survey goes live on our app and website April 18.

Gardere Art Show Today! Gardere students have prepared a special art show that is displayed in the Reception Room today. As a thank you for your support, you may select one piece of art to take home with you.

Youth Luau Tonight at 5 pm! All high school students are invited to celebrate the Class of 2024 at our Spring Luau. Come to Tiki Jeff's (5741 Menlo) at 5 pm dressed in your best (or worst) tropical attire!

GriefShare® Begins Tomorrow. A new GriefShare® group is forming on Monday evenings, 6.30-8.30, beginning tomorrow. Email Scott Graham (*scott@fpcbr.org*) or Laura Shaw (*laura@fpcbr.org*) if interested.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

International Friendship Partners Game Night, This Friday. IFP Game Night is this Friday, April 19 from 6 to 8 pm in the Gym. There will be many games with food and fellowship. It's fun for the whole family! Please join us.

Gardere Share Your Heart Lunch-N-Learn. Join our GCCS Eagles on their journey toward academic success, spiritual growth, and community and family stability at a luncheon Friday, April 19, 12–1 pm. Scan the code for details and tickets.



"Man Up!" Men's Conference, April 25-26. Abounding Love Ministries presents the "Man Up!" Conference Thursday, April 25 and Friday, April 26. Come worship and attend workshops on health and finance. Scan the code for details.



"Art of the Heart" Lunch May 3. Celebrate, connect and engage in community support for educating the hearts of young learners at the Manners of the Heart "Art for the Heart" lunch featuring artwork by Louisiana artists and music by Magnolia Strings. Visit mannersoftheheart. org for details and tickets.

"Here at the End of All Things: How to Deal with Change" Endings come but when we trust that the world's true end is the day of Christ Jesus, we live in hope. We live for his mission. Copies of Gerrit's latest article for desiringgod.org are available at the Connection Center.

Chapel and Sanctuary Flowers: Today's flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Munson by Sarah Ann & Kip Creed.

Scripture for Next Week: Psalm 96:1–6, 10–13
Sanctuary services are recorded and livestreamed.
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