

Fifth Sunday of Easter
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God Gathers — We Prepare

Preparation for Worship

“When thou sayest, ‘Saviour,’ remember there is a Trinity in that word — the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, this Saviour being three persons under one name. Thou canst not be saved by the Son without the Father, nor by the Father without the Son, nor by Father and Son without the Spirit. But as they are one in creation, so are they one in salvation working together in one God for our salvation, and unto that God be glory everlasting, world without end, Amen.”

Charles Spurgeon

God Calls — We Praise

Call to Worship (Standing)

Psalm 22:19, 21, 27

- Leader** You, O Lord, do not be far off!
O you my help, come quickly to my aid!
You have rescued me, therefore
I will tell of your name to my brothers;
In the midst of the congregation I will praise you...
- All** All the ends of the earth shall remember
and turn to the Lord,
And all the families of the nations
shall worship before you!

Song of Praise

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

All O for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace.
My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
To spread through all the earth abroad
the honors of thy name.

Jesus, the name that charms our fears,
that bids our sorrows cease;
'Tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life, and health, and peace.
He breaks the power of reigning sin,
He sets the prisoner free;
His blood can make the foulest clean,
His blood availed for me.

He speaks and, listening to His voice,
new life the dead receive;
The mournful, broken hearts rejoice,
The humble poor believe.
Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye dumb,
your loosened tongues employ;
Ye blind, behold your Savior come;
and leap, ye lame, for joy.

Glory to God, and praise and love,
be ever, ever giv'n,
By saints below and saints above,
the Church in earth and heaven!
O for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace!

Song of Praise

"Before the Throne of God Above"

All Before the throne of God above,
I have a strong, a perfect plea,

A great High Priest whose name is "Love,"
Who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands,
My name is written on His heart;

I know that while in heav'n He stands,
No tongue can bid me thence depart.
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair,
And tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look and see Him there,
Who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died,
My sinful soul is counted free;
For God, the Just, is satisfied
To look on him and pardon me.
To look on him and pardon me.

Behold him there! the risen Lamb,
My perfect, spotless Righteousness,
The great unchangeable I AM,
The King of glory and of grace!
One with Himself I cannot die,
My soul is purchased by His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high,
With Christ, my Savior and my God
With Christ, my Savior and my God.

Words: by Charitie Lees Bancroft (1841-1892); Alternate Words and Music: by Vikki Cook, 2006

Prayer of Adoration

God Invites — We Confess

Community Confession of Sin (Be seated or kneel)

From Psalm 25:6-8, 11, 16-18

All Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord,
 and of your steadfast love,
 for they have been from of old.
Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions;
 according to your steadfast love remember me,
 for your goodness' sake, O Lord!

Good and upright is the Lord;
 therefore he instructs sinners in the way.

For your name's sake, O Lord,
 pardon my guilt for it is great.
Turn to me and be gracious to me,
 for I am lonely and afflicted.
Relieve the troubles of my heart,
 and bring me out of my distress.
Consider my affliction and my trouble,
 and forgive all my sins.

Personal Confession of Sin (Silence is kept)

God Assures — We Give Thanks

Assurance of Pardon (Standing)

Romans 8:31-39

Leader If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn?

Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trial, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword?

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, nor angels nor demons, nor the present nor the future, nor any power, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Song of Assurance

“Wonderful, Merciful Savior”

All Wonderful merciful Savior
 Precious Redeemer and Friend
 Who would have thought that a Lamb
 Could rescue the souls of men
 Oh You rescue the souls of men

Chorus

You are the One that we praise
You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace
Our hearts always hunger for
Oh our hearts always hunger for

Counselor Comforter Keeper
Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts
Have hopelessly lost the way
Oh we hopelessly lost the way

Almighty infinite Father
Faithfully loving Your own
Here in our weakness You find us
Falling before Your throne
Oh we're falling before Your throne

We Bless Our Children

HopeKids

Honoring & Blessing our Children

Leader Jesus points to children, and says to all of us, “Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.”

All Jesus says, “Let the children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.”

Leader I, your elder...

Parents We, your parents ...

All We, your church family ...

All We pray God’s continued blessing upon you. May you grow in grace and in the knowledge and love of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Children ages 5 - 5th grade are now dismissed to Children’s Sunday School!

Parents, please escort your children to their classroom at this time. They are also of course welcome to remain in the service if preferred as well!

Christ as Prophet – The Word to Us

Scripture Reading (Standing)

Psalm 1

- 1** Blessed is the man
 who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,
nor stands in the way of sinners,
 nor sits in the seat of scoffers;
- 2** but his delight is in the law of the Lord,
 and on his law he meditates day and night.
- 3** He is like a tree
 planted by streams of water
that yields its fruit in its season,
 and its leaf does not wither.
In all that he does, he prospers.
- 4** The wicked are not so,
 but are like chaff that the wind drives away.
- 5** Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,
 nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;
- 6** for the Lord knows the way of the righteous,
 but the way of the wicked will perish.

Reader This is the Word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon (Be Seated)

Seth Baysinger

Series: Summer in the Psalms

Title: The Two Ways

I. Introduction

II. The Way of the Wicked

III. The Way of the Righteous

Song of Celebration

"Jesus, I Come"

All Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come; Jesus I come.
 Into thy freedom, gladness and light, Jesus, I come to Thee.
 Out of my sickness into Thy health,
 Out of my wanting and into Thy wealth,
 Out of my sin and into Thyself, Jesus, I come to Thee.

 Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.
 Into the glorious gain of Thy cross, Jesus, I come to Thee.
 Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm,
 Out of life's storms and into Thy calm,
 Out of distress into jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to Thee.

 Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.
 Into Thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to Thee.
 Out of myself to dwell in Thy love,
 Out of despair into raptures above,
 Upward forever on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to Thee.

 Out of the fear and dread of the tomb, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.
 Into the joy and light of Thy home, Jesus, I come to Thee.
 Out of the depths of ruin untold,
 Into the peace of Thy sheltering fold,
 Ever Thy glorious face to behold, Jesus, I come to Thee
 Jesus, I come to Thee.

Words: William Sleeper, Music: Greg Thompson, 2000

Christ as King – The Lord Over Us

Coronation Anthem (Standing)

The Doxology

**All Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Words: Thomas Ken, c. 1674; Music attr. To Louis Bourgeois, 1551

Offering Our Prayers

- *For Hope Presbyterian Church... for its ministries and for its people.*
- *For the Lord to provide for Hope during this season of transition.*
- *For Bloomington and Southern Indiana to see a movement of the Gospel where many churches are planted and many lives transformed by Jesus.*

The Lord's Prayer

**All Our Father, Who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread
and forgive us our Trespases as we forgive
those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.**

Offering our Gifts

*(If you'd like to make your offering online you can head to Hope's homepage:
www.hopebtown.org Head to the "Connect" heading, click on "Donate," and follow the prompts. We're grateful for your generous and sacrificial giving!)*

Vision Ahead

God Sends — We Enter our Mission

Song of Sending

10,000 Reasons

All *Chorus*

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul,
Worship His holy name.
Sing like never before, O my soul.
I'll worship Your holy name.
(*final chorus: Lord, I'll worship Your holy name*)

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning;
It's time to sing Your song again.
Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me,
Let me be singing when the evening comes.

Chorus

You're rich in love, and You're slow to anger.
Your name is great, and Your heart is kind.
For all Your goodness, I will keep on singing;
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

Chorus

And on that day when my strength is failing,
The end draws near, and my time has come;
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending;
Ten thousand years and then forevermore!

Chorus (2x)

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Word of Encouragement

Colossians 3:17, 1 Corinthians 10:31

Leader And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Whatever you do, do all to the glory of God.

About Hope

Announcements

Panera Fundraiser - A Success!

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Panera fundraiser event! A total of \$73.79 was raised for Hope's women's ministry!

Meal Train for the Fullbrights!

We are so excited for the Fullbright family as they welcomed baby Sybil into the world on April 22nd! If you would like to help care for the Fullbrights as they adjust to being a family of four, we encourage you to consider signing up to bring a meal to them! A meal train link has been sent out via flock note.

Officer Candidate Recommendation

The Session of Hope is excited to announce that we are **recommending Bradley Fullbright to the congregation of Hope for the office of Ruling Elder!** Over the past few months, Bradley has participated in the officer training course, completed a written Biblical/theological exam, and been examined/interviewed by the Session prior to making our recommendation. In addition, **we have called a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, June 19th immediately after the service** for the purpose of voting on whether or not to elect Bradley as a Ruling Elder. The BCO explains how there must be a period of at least 30 days between when officer candidates are presented to the congregation and when they are then voted on by the congregation. The purpose of this in part is to allow adequate time for people to ask questions of or voice any concerns they have to the Session about Bradley's candidacy.

Hope Ministries

Men's Wednesday Morning Fellowship

You are invited to join Seth and others guys from Hope on Wednesday mornings starting at 6:00am at Cloverleaf Westside (4023 W 3rd St.) for food and fellowship!

Reformed University Fellowship

Please contact Eric Whitley for additional details/info! www.rufindiana.org
| FB Group: RUF Indiana | Instagram: [@rufindiana](https://www.instagram.com/rufindiana)

Our Community Groups

Whether you've been at Hope for a little while or a long time, we encourage you to consider joining a community group!

East Side Community Group

Leaders: Skylling's

Meets: Every other Wednesday from 7:00 - 8:30pm

Location: 1440 W Estate Dr.

West Side Community Group

Leaders: Baysinger's

Meets: Sundays from 6:00 - 7:30pm

Location: Contact Seth (baysinger.seth@gmail.com)

Serving Spotlight

We encourage everyone at Hope to find ways to serve in the body. Here are a few:

Sunday morning Set-up/Sound/Hospitality: Unload the trailer, set up/tear down, then reload the trailer; help on the sound team! Questions? Reach out to Vivian at vivianfurnish@gmail.com

Nursery/Roots Teachers: Help care for the children of Hope on Sunday mornings! Questions? Reach out to children@hopebtown.org

Finance Spotlight

2021 Year To-Date Giving: \$38,928

Budget Year-To-Date: \$57,409

Attendance Spotlight

Last Sunday: 44

Connecting with Hope

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2. Communicate emergency or last-minute info via email or text.
3. Communicate easily to different groups of people.

You can join Flocknote by texting "HopeBTown" to 844576 and then follow the prompts. That puts you in the church-wide group. You can then join subgroups (community groups, Bible studies, etc.) by talking to those groups' leaders.

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