

“MAN OF SORROWS”

Trinity Hymnal #246

Man of Sorrows! what a name, For the Son of God, who came,
Ruined sinners to reclaim: Hallelujah! What a Savior!
Bearing shame and scoffing rude, In my place condemned He stood,
Sealed my pardon with His blood: Hallelujah! What a Savior!
Guilty vile and helpless we; Spotless Lamb of God was He;
Full atonement! can it be? Hallelujah! What a Savior!
Lifted up was He to die, “It is finished!” was His cry;
Now in heaven exalted high: Hallelujah! What a Savior!
When He comes, our glorious King, All His ransomed home to bring,
Then anew this song we'll sing: Hallelujah! What a Savior!

“WE THANK GOD FOR HIS BLESSINGS” (DOXOLOGY)

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. / Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise
Him above, ye heavenly host. / Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

WE HEAR FROM GOD’S WORD: John 3:20-25

“The Biggest Loser”

Pastor Michael Colvard

WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER

“TAKE MY LIFE AND LET IT BE”

Trinity Hymnal #585 (vs 1,4,5,6)

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect, and use, ev’ry pow’r as Thou shalt choose,
Ev’ry pow’r as Thou shalt choose.
Take my will, and make it Thine; it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is Thine own; it shall be Thy royal throne,
It shall be Thy royal throne.
Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure-store.
Take my self, and I will be ever, only all for Thee,
Ever, only, all for thee.

WE RECEIVE GOD’S BLESSING OVER US (BENEDICTION)



The Worship of God

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*Harbor's mission is to exist as a FAMILY of God's people to GLORIFY God in all things, by
PREACHING the gospel of Jesus Christ crucified, EQUIPPING His saints,
and ENGAGING our community and the world with the love of Christ.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Welcome visitors! To stay connected, go to harborchurch.org and sign up for our emails)

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP: Psalm 131:1-3 (selections)

(Please Read Responsively)

O Lord, my heart is not lifted up; my eyes are not raised too high;

I do not occupy myself with things too great and too marvelous for me.

But I have calmed and quieted my soul, like a weaned child with its mother; like a weaned
child is my soul within me.

O Israel, hope in the Lord from this time forth and forevermore.

WE ASK GOD TO BE WITH US (PRAYER OF INVOCATION)

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
debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

“ARISE MY SOUL”

Trinity Hymnal #305

Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears:
the bleeding Sacrifice in my behalf appears:
before the throne my Surety stands,
before the throne my Surety stands,
my name is written on his hands.

He ever lives above, for me to intercede,
his all-redeeming love, his precious blood to plead;
his blood atoned for ev’ry race,
his blood atoned for ev’ry race,
and sprinkles now the throne of grace.

Five bleeding wounds he bears, received on Calvary;
they pour effectual prayers, they strongly plead for me.
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"nor let that ransomed sinner die!"

My God is reconciled; his pard'ning voice I hear;
he owns me for his child, I can no longer fear;
with confidence I now draw nigh,
with confidence I now draw nigh,
and "Father, Abba, Father!" cry.

WE CONFESS OUR SIN TOGETHER:

Forgive us for our selfish desire to have others serve us, and for our love of power and influence. You call us to be servants who lovingly pour out our lives for those around us. Lord, our hearts are deceitful, desperately wicked, and relentlessly self-focused. When we do honor, care for, and serve others, we secretly hope that people are watching and noticing so that our humility will be applauded and praised. As a result, our best acts of love toward others are often actually directed toward ourselves, as we use them to impress you and build our résumés before a watching world. Forgive us for our very deep sinfulness.

Duguid, B. R., & Duguid Houk, W. (2014). *Prone to Wander: Prayers of Confession and Celebration* (I. M. Duguid, Ed.: p. 130). P&R Publishing.

WE CONFESS OUR SINS IN OUR HEARTS (*silently*)

GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN: Philippians 2:8-11

And being found in human form, [Jesus] humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore, God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

“THE GREATEST OF ALL”

The greatest of all transactions, the costliest purchase price.
Father Your Son's atoning death, was given in payment for mine.
To buy me back from slavery, to set me free from my chains.

Redeemed how I love to proclaim it,
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb,
Redeemed through Your infinite mercy,
Your child forever I am.

Now I'll never know Your judgment, You ransomed and saved my soul.
Jesus Your death and Yours alone, has cancelled the debt that I owed.
You satisfied the law's demands, and new life's been given to me.

Redeemed how I love to proclaim it,
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb,
Redeemed through Your infinite mercy,
Your child forever I am. (*Repeat*)

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WE CONFESS OUR FAITH TOGETHER: Heidelberg Catechism #40

40. Q. Why was it necessary for Christ to humble himself even unto death?

A. Because of the justice and truth of God satisfaction for our sins could be made in no other way than by the death of the Son of God

MEMORY VERSE: Ephesians 1:9-10

9 making known to us the mystery of His will, according to His purpose, which He set forth in Christ 10 as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in Him, things in heaven and things on earth.

“JESUS, I MY CROSS HAVE TAKEN”

Jesus, I my cross have taken, All to leave and follow Thee.
Destitute, despised, forsaken, Thou from hence my all shall be.
Perish every fond ambition, All I've sought or hoped or known.
Yet how rich is my condition! God and heaven are still my own.

Let the world despise and leave me, They have left my Savior, too.
Human hearts and looks deceive me; Thou art not, like them, untrue.
O while Thou dost smile upon me, God of wisdom, love, and might,
Foes may hate and friends disown me, Show Thy face and all is bright.

Man may trouble and distress me, 'Twill but drive me to Thy breast.
Life with trials hard may press me; Heaven will bring me sweeter rest.
Oh, 'tis not in grief to harm me, While Thy love is left to me;
Oh, 'twere not in joy to charm me, Were that joy unmixed with Thee.

Soul, then know thy full salvation, Rise o'er sin and fear and care.
Joy to find in every station, Something still to do or bear.
Think what Spirit dwells within thee, Think what Fathers smiles are thine,
Think that Jesus died to win thee, Child of heaven, canst thou repine.

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WE PRAY TO GOD FOR THE CONGREGATION

I pray for someone who doesn't know Jesus: _____

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