



INDEPENDENT
Presbyterian Church

A NEW PEOPLE. A NEW MEMPHIS.

A SERVICE OF PRAYER

The Third Day of May, Two Thousand and Twenty

Six O'clock

WELCOME

The Reverend Robert Browning

SCRIPTURE READING 1

Isaiah 55:1-11

INVOCATION

HYMN

"Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

Joseph Hart, 1712-1768

Restoration

1. Come ye sin - ners, poor and need - y,
 2. Come, ye thirst - y, come and wel - come,
 3. Come, ye wea - ry, heav - y - lad - en,
 4. Let not con - science make you lin - ger,
 weak and wound - ed, sick and sore;
 God's free boun - ty glo - ri - fy;
 lost and ru - ined by the fall;
 nor of fit - ness fond - ly dream;
 Je - sus read - y stands to save you,
 true be - lief and true re - pen - tance,
 if you tar - ry till you're bet - ter,
 all the fit - ness he re - quir - eth
 full of pit - y, love and pow'r.
 ev' - ry grace that brings you nigh.
 you will nev - er come at all.
 is to feel your need of him.
 I will a - rise and go to Je - sus,
 he will em - brace me in his arms;
 in the arms of my dear Sav - ior,
 O there are ten thou - sand charms.

HYMN

“How Long Will You Forget Me”

Christopher Idle

Martyrdom



1. How long will you for - get me, Lord, and
 2. Look on my need, O Lord my God who
 3. Look on their threats and hear my cry, and
 4. Lord, in your mer - cy is my trust; I



hide your face a - way? How long shall e - vils
 grants my ev - ery breath; give light that I may
 an - swer when I call: or they will claim the
 shall be glad and free; then shall I sing with



tear my heart and trou - bles fill my day?
 see your light, nor sleep the sleep of death.
 vic - to - ry who long to see me fall.
 all my heart how you have dealt with me.

PRAYER

Individual Lament

SILENT PRAYER

HYMN NO. 662 "As the Hart Longs for Flowing Streams"

Psalm 42: 1-5

Appalachian folk melody



1. As the hart longs for flow - ing streams
2. My tears have fed me day and night,
3. Why do I mourn and toil with - in



so longs my soul for thee O God.
while men have said, "Where is your God?"
when it is mine to hope in God?



My soul does thirst for the liv - ing God;
But I re - call as my soul pours dry,
I shall a - gain sing praise to him;



when shall I come to see thy face?
the days of praise with - in thy house.
he is my help, he is my God.

SCRIPTURE READING 4

Psalm 44

PRAYER

Corporate Lament

SCRIPTURE READING 5

Matthew 11:25-30

Dr. Sean Michael Lucas

Helen Howarth Lemmel, 1922

Lemmel



1. O soul, are you wea - ry and trou - bled? No
 2. Through death in - to life ev - er - last - ing he
 3. His Word shall not fail you — he prom - ised; be -



light in the dark - ness you see? There's
 passed, and we fol - low him there; o - ver
 lieve him and all will be well; then



light for a look at the Sav - ior, and
 us sin no more hath do - min - ion — for
 go to a world that is dy - ing, his



life more a - bun - dant and free.
 more than con - qu'rors we are!
 per - fect sal - va - tion to tell!



Turn your eyes up-on Je - sus, look full in his



won - der - ful face; and the things of earth will grow



strange - ly dim in the light of his glo - ry and grace.

SILENT PRAYER

PRAYER

Hope and Confidence

HYMN NO. 498

“Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners”

Jesus! what a Friend for sinners! Jesus! Lover of my soul;
friends may fail me, foes assail me, he, my Savior, makes me whole.

Hallelujah! what a Savior! Hallelujah! what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, he is with me to the end.

Jesus! what a strength in weakness! Let me hide myself in him;
tempted, tried, and sometimes failing, he, my strength, my vict'ry wins.

Hallelujah! what a Savior! Hallelujah! what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, he is with me to the end.

Jesus! what a help in sorrow! While the billows o'er me roll,
even when my heart is breaking, he, my comfort, helps my soul.

Hallelujah! what a Savior! Hallelujah! what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, he is with me to the end.

Jesus! what a guide and keeper! While the tempest still is high,
storms about me, night o'ertakes me, he, my pilot, hears my cry.

Hallelujah! what a Savior! Hallelujah! what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, he is with me to the end.

Jesus! I do now receive him, more than all in him I find;
he hath granted me forgiveness, I am his, and he is mine.

Hallelujah! what a Savior! Hallelujah! what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving, he is with me to the end.

BENEDICTION

MUSICIANS

Kelly Turner, Soprano and Mandolin

Kay Hall, Alto

Arron Powell, Tenor and Violin

Harrison Howle, Bass

Brad Robson, Guitar

Emilee Garrett, Piano



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