

Trinity Fellowship Church

Children's Bulletin

February 28th, 2010 - 10:45 am

Call to Worship from Psalm 63:1-4

O God, you are my God;
earnestly I seek you;
my soul thirsts for you;
my flesh faints for you,
as in a dry and weary
land where there is no
water. ² So I have
looked upon you in the
sanctuary, beholding
your power and glory. ³
Because your steadfast
love is better than life,
my lips will praise you.
⁴ So I will bless you as
long as I live; in your
name I will lift up my
hands.



Arise, My Soul, Arise

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.

*Arise (arise), arise (arise),
arise, arise my soul, arise!
Arise (arise), arise (arise),
arise, arise my soul, arise!
Shake off your guilty fear and rise.*

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

(CHORUS)

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!"

(CHORUS)

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.

Prayer of Confession

O most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ; who pardons all those who truly repent and turn to You; we humbly confess our sins and plead for your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure and fervent heart; neither have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justly, nor loved mercy, nor walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O Lord, according to your loving kindness; according to the multitude of your tender mercies, blot out our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within us. Cast us not away from your presence; and take not your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation; and uphold us with your generous spirit. Amen.

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heav'n, to earth come down;
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit
Into ev'ry troubled breast!
Let us all in Thee inherit,
Let us find that promised rest.
Take away our bent to sinning,
Alpha and Omega be;
End of faith, as its beginning,
Set our hearts at liberty.

Come, almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Nevermore Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above,
Pray and praise thee without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love.

Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee:
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heav'n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love and praise!

Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed

Alas! And did my Savior bleed, and did
my Sov'reign die?
Would He devote that sacred head for
such a worm as I?
Was it for sins that I had done He
groaned upon the tree?
Amazing pity, grace unknown, and love
beyond degree!

My God, why would You shed Your blood
so pure and undefiled
to make a sinful one like me
Your chosen precious child?

Well might the sun in darkness hide and
shut His glories in
when Christ, the mighty Maker, died for
man the creature's sin.
Thus might I hide my blushing face
while His dear cross appears,
dissolve my heart in thankfulness and
melt my eyes to tears.

But drops of grief can ne'er repay
the debt of love I owe.
Here, Lord, I give myself away,
'tis all that I can do.

My God, why would You shed Your blood
so pure and undefiled
to make a sinful one like me
Your chosen precious child?

Matthew 13 - You Shall Not Murder

Matthew 5:21-26 "You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.' ²² But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, 'You fool!' will be liable to the hell of fire. ²³ So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, ²⁴ leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. ²⁵ Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you be put in prison. ²⁶ Truly, I say to you, you will never get out until you have paid the last penny.

This passage is part of a sermon that Jesus preached that we call "The Sermon on the Mount". It is about how we should live as Jesus' disciples.

Everybody knows that murder is wrong! But Jesus teaches us that when we hate someone in our heart, we are acting like murderers.

Point 1 - Thou shalt not commit murder, therefore avoid the roots of murder

- The roots of murder start when we are angry in our hearts
 - The roots of murder start when we think other people aren't important
- Why does God say every single person is important?

Point 2 - Thou shalt not commit murder, therefore seek reconciliation

- We need to ask forgiveness when we have hurt someone, so they won't be angry at us!
- We even need to try to make friends with people who don't like us.

Point 3 - Thou shalt not commit murder, therefore lay down your own life

- Jesus taught us to lay down our lives for others

One way we can lay our lives down is by treating other the way we want to be treated. What are some other ways?

Good News: We can go to Heaven because Jesus laid down his life on the cross for us!

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Matthew 13

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