

The Lord's Day  
All Saints Parish Church  
March 30, 2025

Meditation for Worship

**For there is one God, and one mediator also between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself as a ransom for all, the testimony given at the proper time.**

**(1 Tim. 2:5, 6)**

*"Never did God so manifest His hatred of sin, as in the death and suffering of His only begotten Son."*

Jonathan Edwards

**\*Call to Worship**

Your lovingkindness, O LORD, extends to the heavens,

***Your faithfulness reaches to the skies.***

Your righteousness is like the mountains of God;

***Your judgments are like a great deep. O LORD, You preserve man and beast.***

How precious is Your lovingkindness, O God!

***And the children of men take refuge in the shadow of Your wings.***

**Ps. 36:5-7**

**\*Prayer of Invocation**

**\*Hymn**

***I Will Extol You, O My God***

**No. 145C**

**Public Confession**

***Heavenly Father, we are grateful for this opportunity to acknowledge our continuing struggles with temptation. We have, at times, failed to keep Your Word, as is proper for those called saints on this earth. Therefore, we ask that You forgive our transgressions for Christ's sake and strengthen our resolve against all forms of unrighteousness so that we are less enticed by sin in the days ahead.***

**Words of Assurance**

**Rom. 8:1, 2**

Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and of death.

**Response**

**In Thee, O Lord, I Put My Trust**

*In you, O LORD, I have taken refuge. Ps. 31:1*

Unison

1. In thee, O Lord, I put my trust, I call up - on thy name;  
2. Bow down thine ear to my re - quest, and swift de - liv - rance send;  
3. Since thou my rock and for - tress art, my lead - er be, and guide;  
4. Oh, Lord, in thee is all my trust; "Thou art my God," I cried.

O save me in thy righ - teous - ness, nor let me suf - fer shame.  
be thou to me a rock of strength, a for - tress to de - fend.  
from all temp - ta - tion res - cue me, thou dost my strength a - bide.  
"My life, my times, are in thy hand, I in thy strength con - fide."

From Psalm 31:1-4, 14, 15  
Anon., 1977  
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IN THEE, O LORD C.M.  
Attr. to J. C. Lowry, 1818  
Arr. by Tom Fettke, 1977

**Prayer and Collection of the Tithe and Offerings**

**\*Doxology**

**No. 567**

**\*Old Testament Reading** ***God's Favor to Earth and Man*** **Ps. 65**

**\*Response to the Word**

"The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever."

***Amen!***

**Prayers of the People**

**\*Reading: The Lord's Prayer**

***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,  
forever.  
Amen.***

**\*Hymn**

***I Cried Aloud to God for Help***

**No. 77**

**\*New Testament Reading** ***Paul Sent to Rome (cont'd)*** **Acts 27:21-44**

**\*Response to the Word**

The Word of the LORD.

***Thanks be to God!***

**\*Prayer for the Ministry of the Word**

**Sermon**

***Covenant Theology: Distinctive Features  
The Absolute Necessity of a Mediator  
Gen. 2; 3; 1 John 3:8; Rom. 5; 16:20; etc.***

**Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

**\*Hymn**

***In Christ Alone***

**No. 265**

**\*Benediction**

**\* Congregation will please stand**

## God's Delight

*"God shows mercy, not because we deserve mercy,  
but because He delights in mercy."*

Thomas Watson

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## The Use of Wine in the Observance of the Lord's Supper

In light of the biblical account of the Last Supper and Jesus' use of wine in representing His blood, All Saints Parish Church believes that the use of wine in the observance of the Lord's Supper remains the proper symbol for representing His blood. We do, however, make occasional exceptions for the use of grape juice, with the hope that those holding such an exception will seek to understand the conviction of the church in this matter. Please speak to one of the elders if you wish to discuss this issue.

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