

***SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF KINGDOMTIDE***



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WHAT CAN WASH AWAY MY SIN

Words and Tune: Robert Lowry, 1826-1899

1. What can wash away my sin?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again?
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
2. For my pardon this I see,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
3. Nothing can for sin atone,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;
Naught of good that I have done,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
4. This is all my hope and peace,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;
This is all my righteousness;
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Refrain:

Oh! Precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow;
No other fount I know,
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN KINGDOMTIDE
ORDER OF WORSHIP
9:30 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE.....PIANIST/CHOIR

INTROIT TO WORSHIP....."HOLY, HOLY, HOLY"

PRAYER OF CONCENTRATION

DOXOLOGY.....**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above each heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

CALL TO WORSHIP.....**Minister/Steward**

L: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem. *(Ps. 122:1-2)*

P: For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. *(Ps. 84:10)*

L: Because of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek thy good. *(Ps. 122:9)*

P: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God. *(Ps. 92:13)*

L: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house, Lord, I have loved thy habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth. *(Ps. 28:8)*

P: For the Lord is in his holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before him. *(Hab. 2:20)*

L: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer. *(Ps. 19:14)*

P: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, and sing praises. *(Ps. 19:1&4)*

THE MORNING HYMN #405....."What Can Wash Away My Sin"

THE PRAYERS.....ELDERS & DEACONS

Prayer of Purification, Prayer of Pardon, and Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Prayer of Purification

Celebrant: Almighty God, to You all hearts are open, all desires known, and from You no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You, and worthily magnify Your Holy Name; through Christ our Lord...

The Prayer of Pardon

Celebrant: Almighty God, who of your great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who turn to you with true repentance and sincere faith; Have mercy upon us. Pardon and deliver us from all of our sins. Confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and bring us to everlasting life: through Jesus Christ our Savior...

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth: For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our LORD, to set forth your glory in all the world. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the Company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your name:

Celebrant and People: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts; heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Glory be to you, O Lord, most high. AMEN!

THE PRAYER RESPONSE....."HE IS LORD"
He is Lord, He is Lord. He has risen from the dead and He is Lord. Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

SELECTION.....CHOIR

SCRIPTURE LESSON.....**Luke 17: 5-10 (niv)**
(Lamentations 1: 1-6, Psalm 137; Habakkuk 1: 1-4, 2: 1-4, Psalm 37: 1-9; 2 Timothy 2: 8-15)

⁵The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" ⁶He replied, "If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it will obey you. ⁷"Suppose one of you has a servant plowing or looking after the sheep. Will he say to the servant when he comes in from the field, 'Come along now and sit down to eat'? ⁸Won't he rather say, 'Prepare my supper, get yourself ready and wait on me while I eat and drink; after that you may eat and drink'? ⁹Will he thank the servant because he did what he was told to do? ¹⁰So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.'"

PREFACE.....**"From all that dwell below the skies,
Let thy creator's praise arise;
Let the redeemer's name be sung,
Through every land, by every tongue."**

THE DECALOGUE**An Affirmation to Keep God's Law**

L: Let us express our commitment to keep Gods' law.

P: **God of our salvation, only you are God. We will make no idols. We will not invoke with malice your name, O God. We will remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy. We will honor our father and our mother. We will not commit murder or slander. We will not commit adultery. We will not steal. We will not be a**

false witness. We will not covet anything that belongs to our neighbor.

- L: Hear what Christ our Savior says: You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And the second is like it, you shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets.

THE GLORIA PATRI.....”**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, And to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, Is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

MISSIONARY/TITHES/OFFERING.....**Finance Committee**

CHILDREN’S MOMENT.....**Pastor Hale**

SERMONIC SELECTION.....**CHOIR**

THE MESSAGE.....**Pastor Hale**

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP.....**Pastor Hale**

INVITATIONAL SELECTION..... **CHOIR**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH.....**THE APOSTLES’ CREED**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. The third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

WELCOME.....**Pastor Hale**

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

HOLY COMMUNION HYMN #530.....”LET US BREAK BREAD TOGETHER”

THE GENERAL CONFESSION

Chief Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God, praying together in one voice our General Confession.

Celebrant and People: **ALMIGHTY GOD, Father of our LORD, Jesus Christ, Creator and Judge of all people:**

We acknowledge and confess our manifold sins and wickedness which we from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word, and deed against Your Divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent and

are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us.

Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, for Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake; Forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Choral Response: *AMEN!*

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

Celebrant: O Merciful Savior, we do not come to your holy table trusting in our own grace and mercy, but in the greatness of your mercy. We are not worthy enough to gather up the crumbs under your table. You are the LORD and your love has met, and always will meet, every human need. Grant us humble access to your love in the sacramental feast of the body and blood of Jesus Christ, and wash away our sinful pride, so that in mercy we may be drawn near to you and to him who with the Holy Spirit lives and reigns one God, now and forever.

Choral Response: *AMEN! AMEN! AMEN! AMEN!*

THE CONSECRATION

Chief Celebrant: All glory, power and honor to you, Almighty God, Holy Father, Creator of heaven and earth, who did make us in your own image. And when we fell into sin, you of your tender mercy did give your only begotten Son Jesus Christ, to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption: who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world: And instituted and commanded us to continue this perpetual memorial of his precious death until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This, is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them and said, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you and many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Therefore, with this bread and cup we remember the life our LORD offered for us. And, believing the witness of his resurrection, we await his coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.

Gracious God, you are holy indeed, the fountain of all holiness. Bless and sanctify these gifts with your Holy Spirit and bless us to your service that

we may faithfully receive in unity and peace the body and blood of our LORD Jesus Christ. Amen!

THE SOLICITATION

Chief Celebrant: You that do truly and earnestly repent of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbor, and intend to lead a new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in His holy ways, draw near with faith and take this holy sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling.

THE ELEMENTS SHARED

THE LORD’S PRAYER (in unison)

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 yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

DOXOLOGY.....BENEDICTION

— ANNOUNCEMENTS & HAPPENINGS —

TEACHING MOMENTS

Next Week’s Scripture Lessons:

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF KINGDOMTIDE – Jeremiah 29: 1, 4-7, Psalm 66: 1-12; 2 Kings 5: 1-3, 7-15c, Psalm 111; 2 Timothy 2: 8-15; Luke 17: 11-11
Church School for ALL Ages – 8:00 am *Every Sunday*
Pastor’s Bible Study – Wednesday @ 7:00 pm

MONTHLY MINISTRY MEETINGS

- Steward Board, Monday, October 7, 6:00 p.m.
- Class Leaders, Monday, October 7, 7:00 p.m.
- Official Board, Monday, October 14, 6:00 p.m.
- Christian Education, Monday, October 14, 7:00 p.m.
- Church Conference: Calendar Planning and Goal Setting (Part 1), Monday, October 21, 6:30
- Choir Rehearsal – EVERY Thursday @ 7:00 p.m.
- YPD – Saturday, October 26 @ 12:00 noon

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS

- October 10-13, West Tennessee Annual Conference
- Sunday, October 13, Usher Board Day. Our own Evangelist Gayle Lang will be the 9:30 a.m. preacher.
- October 17-20, Tennessee Annual Conference

- October 17-20, Saint Matthew AME Church, Midway Selma Trip. A few seats are still available.
- Saturday, October 19, **Breast Cancer Awareness Month Tea** at the First Baptist Church Annex. Time to be announced.
- Sunday, October 20, "**Pink the Pews**" in observance of **Breast Cancer Awareness Month**.
- October 24-25, Kentucky Council of Churches, Morehead, KY. Pastor Hale is a delegate.
- Sunday, October 27, Fall Rally!
- Thursday, October 31, All Hallows Eve
- Friday, November 1, All Saints Day
- Saturday, November 2, All Souls Day
- November 1-2, 13th District Planning Meeting, Nashville, TN
- Saturday, November 2, Rachel and Travis Collins Baby Shower here at St. Paul.
- Sunday, November 3, All Saints Sunday
- Sunday, November 3, Daylight Savings Time Ends
- Sunday, November 10, Veteran's Appreciation
- Monday, November 11, Veteran's Day

REMINDERS

- Please be reminded that the taxation for Church Anniversary of \$171.00 is payable throughout the year and should be earmarked on your offering envelope as CA171.
- Conference Claims per member per month is \$15.00/\$180.00 per year. Please pay monthly to help meet our Conference assessments.
- The Seed Sowers Project is an ongoing project for the building fund of the church. Sow a seed and watch it grow. Mark on your envelope as "Seed". For more information contact Sis. Geraldine Brown.
- Mass and Men's Choir: Please be reminded of your monthly choir dues of \$10.00 per member per month. Also be reminded that Mass Choir rehearsal is every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. unless notified otherwise.
- St. Paul's CD/DVD Ministry to the Sick and Shut-in: If you desire a CD or a DVD of the worship services, please see Bro. Ellis Collins.
- Need a ride to Church School or Church, please call Sis. Tanya Clark by Saturday at (859) 361-1426.
- Anyone interested in working with and learning about the DVD ministry, please see Bro. Ellis Collins.
- On our Saint Paul website, we now have the ability to bring our tithes and offerings digitally using a debit/credit card. Visit spvame.com and you'll see the link for "Offerings"

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

- **Calling Post**

If you're not part of our Calling Post, then please text or email the Pastor using his contact information on the front of the bulletin. Give him your name, phone number and email address, and we'll make sure you are kept in the loop! Thank you!!!

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Kenneth Howard	October 7
Darlene Jackson	October 8
Kyla Kirtley	October 14
Amira Higgins	October 15
Geraldine Brown	October 25
Rochelle Owsley	October 27
Anna Wills	October 28

OUR PRAYER LIST

Charles Brown, Jr.
Armenta Chase
Christine Collins
Lorie Dale
Phyllis Dockies
Lewis Givens
Damon Greene
Jacqueline Greenlee
Rev. Frederick E. Hale
Pearl C. Higgins
Mildred Jones
Richard Kirtley, Jr.
Norman Morton
Betty Moseley
Odes Nash
Rev. James E. Smith
Renee Scott Smith
Russell Thornton
Frances Walker
Anna Williams

Please remember the sick and shut-ins in your prayers. Send them a card, call and visit to let them know you care.

SERMON NOTES

Date: _____

Songs we sang:



Scripture Reading: _____

Sermon Title: _____

Sermon Text: _____

List all Scripture references mentioned:

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Write some sentences about the sermon:


