#### GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM AS OUR GOD Isaiah 49:13

**A PSALM OF PRAISE** 

Psalm 147A – O Praise the Lord! How Good It Is (Stanzas 1, 2, 5 & 8)

#### **A PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

#### THE CONFESSION OF OUR FAITH IN GOD

Belgic Confession Article 20 (Hymnal Pg. 862)

#### **A PSALM OF RESPONSE**

Psalm 22A – My God, My God, O Why Have You Forsaken Me? (Stanzas 1, 2, 8 & 11)

#### THE CONFESSION OF OUR SINS TO GOD

Loving heavenly Father, you alone are the Creator and Sustainer of all things. It is our great privilege to live under your omnipotence, righteousness, wisdom, mercy and grace. You love us with better love than any we could ever know here on earth and we stand in awe of your power and commitment to cherish us. Yet even though we have tasted your goodness, we are people who would rather trust in ourselves. We place our hope in our own talents and abilities, in relationships with people we admire and love, in our jobs and good health, in our economic value and academic abilities. We even place our hope in spiritual disciplines, thinking that we will merit more favor from you if we deny ourselves, pray constantly, or sacrifice for you and for others. Father, we are worshipers of ourselves and we find our hearts full of anxiety and depression when we discover that we cannot save ourselves in any way. Holy Spirit, teach us to be still and know that you are God and we are not. Please give us true grief for the many ways we sin against you and fill us with repentance and hope in you. Open our blinded eyes to see clearly your faithfulness and power, your great love and unending patience, your relentless determination to pursue us, captivate us and ravish us with the truth of the gospel. Show us the unstoppable love of our Savior who was stricken for our sin and who stands in heaven as our powerful Advocate. Then we will be at peace because you are perfect and strong and you will never leave us, forsake us or hurt us. Amen.

## SILENT MOMENT FOR CONFESSING PERSONAL SINS

## **GOD'S ASSURANCE THAT WE ARE PARDONED**

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of

Jesus Christ from the dead to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled and unfading kept in heaven for you, who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials so that the tested genuineness of your faith, more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire, may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ. Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory. 1 Peter 1:3–8

### A HYMN OF RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

Hymn 336 – O Sacred Head, Now Wounded (Stanza 3)

#### SCRIPTURE RELATIVE TO TODAY'S SERMON 2 Samuel 15:13-31

Pew Bible Pg. 339

# **PASTORAL PRAYER FOR THE CONGREGATION**

Followed by the Lord's Prayer ("Debts")

## **OUR OFFERING AND DOXOLOGY TO GOD**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Old Hundredth L.M. (567)

# PREPARING WITH PRAISE TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Psalm 42A – As the Deer Pants for the Waters

#### THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD OF GOD

Psalm 3 Pew Bible Pg. 569 **Responding to Trials** Pastoral Intern Sam Lukosius

### **RESPONDING IN PRAISE TO GOD'S WORD**

Psalm 3 – O Lord, How Many Are My Foes!

## **OUR LORD'S BENEDICTION** HIS CONGREGATION'S RESPONSE

Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel. For he alone does wondrous works in glory that excel. And blessed be his glorious name to all eternity. The whole earth let his glory fill. Amen, so let it be. - McKee CM

# Presbyterian Church of Cape Cod

We extend a **cordial welcome** to the visitors in our service today.

Afternoon Study: Pastoral Intern Sam Lukosius

**Prayer Meeting:** Wednesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm

**On Saturday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2pm,** Pam and Arnie Johnson are hosting a cookout for our church family at their home. Keep an eye out for a Perfect Potluck coming soon!

Christian Education 8:50 am - Sunday, July 4th, Chapter 22:23-46, R.C. Ryle's Matthew Study

#### **Birthdays:**

July4th – Jeff Dodge July4<sup>th</sup> – Josiah Leitão

# Anniversaries:

July 1<sup>st</sup> – Carlos & Edith Pereira

Elizabeth asks that we please excuse the disorder of the library while it is being cataloged and reorganized. New and improved on its way!

The missionary for this month - Mike & Lili McCabe, China

**Bulletin announcements** should be submitted to Elly Mead by 12 noon on Tuesdays. Please e-mail to pcccsecretary@gmail.com.



"I was glad when they said to me, Let us go to the house of the Lord!" Psalm 122.1

The Lord's Day

June 27th, 2021 Rev. Dr. James A. La Belle, Pastor

LIVE STREAMING @

http://presbyterianchurchofcapecod.com/live-stream/

#### Christian Education 8:50 - Morning Worship 10:00 am – Afternoon Study 4:30 pm

*We welcome you* to the Lord's house, to the worship of the living and true God, and into the fellowship of this congregation. If this is your first visit, please sign the guest book in the foyer.