

WOODLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Worship Service
10 a.m.**

**April 25, 2021
Worship Book**

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WELCOME

Pastor Kevin

VIDEO: “*Changed: Our Work After Easter*”

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER

Goni Laseke

HYMN “All Hail King Jesus”

Chorus:

All hail King Jesus,
All hail Emmanuel,
King of kings, Lord of lords,
Bright Morning Star.

And throughout eternity
I’ll sing your praises,
And I’ll reign with you
Throughout eternity.

All Speak:

¹¹ The saying is trustworthy, for if we have died with him, we will also live with him; ¹² if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he also will deny us; ¹³ if we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself. (2 Timothy 2:11-13)

Repeat Chorus

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SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 33:13-22 (ESV)

¹³ *The LORD looks down from heaven; he sees all the children of man;*
¹⁴ *from where he sits enthroned he looks out on all the inhabitants of the earth,*
¹⁵ *he who fashions the hearts of them all and observes all their deeds.*
¹⁶ *The king is not saved by his great army; a warrior is not delivered by his great strength. ¹⁷ The war horse is a false hope for salvation, and by its great might it cannot rescue.*
¹⁸ *Behold, the eye of the LORD is on those who fear him, on those who hope in his steadfast love, ¹⁹ that he may deliver their soul from death and keep them alive in famine. ²⁰ Our soul waits for the LORD; he is our help and our shield.*
²¹ *For our heart is glad in him, because we trust in his holy name. ²² Let your steadfast love, O LORD, be upon us, even as we hope in you.*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION/ASSURANCE OF PARDON

DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

SCRIPTURE: Revelation 6:1-8 (ESV)

¹ Now I watched when the Lamb opened one of the seven seals, and I heard one of the four living creatures say with a voice like thunder, “Come!” ² And I looked, and behold, a white horse! And its rider had a bow, and a crown was given to him, and he came out conquering, and to conquer.

³ When he opened the second seal, I heard the second living creature say, “Come!” ⁴ And out came another horse, bright red. Its rider was permitted to take peace from the earth, so that people should slay one another, and he was given a great sword.

⁵ When he opened the third seal, I heard the third living creature say, “Come!” And I looked, and behold, a black horse! And its rider had a pair of scales in his hand. ⁶ And I heard what seemed to be a voice in the midst of the four living creatures, saying, “A quart^[a] of wheat for a denarius,^[b] and three quarts of barley for a denarius, and do not harm the oil and wine!”

⁷ When he opened the fourth seal, I heard the voice of the fourth living creature say, “Come!” ⁸ And I looked, and behold, a pale horse! And its rider's name was Death, and Hades followed him. And they were given authority over a fourth of the earth, to kill with sword and with famine and with pestilence and by wild beasts of the earth.

SERMON: “No Mere Horseplay”

SONG OF RESPONSE “Lead On, O King Eternal”

Verse 1:

Lead on, O King Eternal,
 The day of march has come;
 Henceforth in fields of conquest
 Thy tents shall be our home
 Thro' days of preparation
 Thy grace has made us strong;
 And now, O King Eternal,
 We lift our battle song.

Verse 2:

Lead on, O king Eternal,
 Till sin's fierce war shall cease,
 And holiness shall whisper
 The sweet amen of peace;
 For not with swords' loud clashing,
 Nor roll of stirring drums,
 With deeds of love and mercy
 The heav'nly kingdom comes.

Verse 3:

Lead on, O King Eternal,
 We follow, not with fears;
 For gladness breaks like morning
 Where'er Thy face appears.
 Thy cross is lifted o'er us;
 We journey in its light.
 The crown awaits the conquest;
 Lead on, O God of might.

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PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH/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*

BENEDICTION

SENDING SONG: The Blessing

Chorus: A-men, a-men, a-men (2X)

*Verse: The Lord bless you and keep you,
Make His face shine upon you
And be gracious to you.
The Lord turn His face toward you
And give you peace.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sundays – Our course of Christianity Explored continues. 4:30 p.m. in the Library/Chapel – meal provided.

Tuesdays – Zechariah Bible Study, 10 a.m.

Wednesdays – 12 p.m. Prayer Time in the Sanctuary

The Encouraging Word – If you would like to receive this weekly email of the prayers from the Sunday service, please call or email Claralee Williams.

What Now? – There is an after-service discussion called, *What Now?* It will center on the day's Bible passage and sermon.