

Hillcrest Presbyterian Church in America  
PM Order of Worship – May 17, 2020

**Call to Worship**

**Psalm 30A**

1 O LORD, I will exalt You, for You have lifted me;  
My foes You have allowed not to glory over me.  
O LORD my God, I pleaded that You might heal and save;  
LORD, You from death have ransomed and kept me from the grave.

2 His saints, O praise Jehovah and thank His holy name.  
His anger lasts a moment, His grace a whole life time.  
For sorrow, like a pilgrim, may tarry all the night,  
But then a shout of joy comes when dawns the morning light.

3 In prosperous days I boasted, “Unmoved I shall remain.”  
O LORD, You by Your favor my mount in strength maintain;  
For when Your face was hidden, I soon was troubled sore.  
I’ll cry to You, Jehovah; the LORD I will implore.

4 Is there in my blood profit when in the grave I dwell?  
Will dust proclaim Your praises, Your truth and glory tell?  
O hear me now, Jehovah! Be gracious unto me!  
To You I cry, Jehovah! O now my helper be!

5 You now have turned my sorrow to dancing full of joy;  
You loosened all my sackcloth and girded me with joy.  
To You sing psalms, my glory, and never silent be!  
O LORD my God, I’ll thank You through all eternity.

**Invocation and Prayer of Adoration**

**Hymn #400**

*O Bless Our God with One Accord*

1 O bless our God with one accord, ye faithful servants of the Lord,  
who in his house do stand by night; and praise him there with all your might.

2 Lift up your hands, in prayer draw nigh unto his sanctuary high;  
bless ye the Lord, kneel at his feet, and worship him with reverence meet.

3 Jehovah bless thee from above, from Zion in his boundless love,  
our God, who heav'n and earth did frame; blest be his great and holy name.

**Hymn #363***We Gather Together*

1 We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing;  
he chastens and hastens his will to make known;  
the wicked oppressing now cease from distressing:  
sing praises to his name; he forgets not his own.

2 Beside us to guide us, our God with us joining,  
ordaining, maintaining his kingdom divine;  
so from the beginning the fight we were winning:  
thou, Lord, wast at our side: all glory be thine!

3 We all do extol thee, thou leader triumphant,  
and pray that thou still our defender wilt be.  
Let thy congregation endure thro' tribulation:  
thy name be ever prais'd! O Lord, make us free!

**Scripture Reading:**

Titus 3:12-15

**Sermon:**

"The Work Continues"

Pastor Steve Richman

**Prayer of Application and Submission****Hymn #387***Now May He Who from the Dead*

1 Now may he who from the dead brought the Shepherd of the sheep,  
Jesus Christ, our King and Head, all our souls in safety keep.

2 May he teach us to fulfil what is pleasing in his sight;  
perfect us in all his will, and preserve us day and night.

3 To that dear Redeemer's praise, who the cov'nant sealed with blood,  
let our hearts and voices raise loud thanksgivings to our God.

**Season of Prayer****Benediction****Hymn #731***Doxology*