

Hillcrest Presbyterian Church in America
PM Order of Worship – January 31, 2021

Call to Worship

Psalm 64A

1 Hear Thou my voice, O God, when I make my complaint to Thee;
From terror of the enemy do Thou my life keep free.

2 Hide me from secret plots of men that evildoers be,
From throng and tumult of the men that work iniquity.

3 Their tongues they have already whet to make them sharp as swords;
And as their arrows they have aimed their sharp and bitter words.

4 That they may at the innocent from ambush aim their shot;
They without warning shoot at him, and, feeling safe, fear not.

5 In all their evil purposes they bid themselves be bold;
They talk of laying hidden snares, and say, “Who shall behold?”

6 They have devised injustices; a cunning plot they keep;
Because the inward thought of man, his very heart is deep.

7 But God will shoot a shaft at them and wound them suddenly;
For their own tongue shall them confound, and all who see shall flee.

8 And then all men will stand in awe, the work of God declare;
And they will thoughtfully observe what these His doings are.

9 The righteous in the LORD will joy, in Him will refuge take;
And all who are upright in heart will boasts of triumph make.

Invocation and Prayer of Adoration

Hymn #65

Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne

1 Before Jehovah's awesome throne, all nations, bow with sacred joy;
know that the Lord is God alone, he can create, and he destroy - he can create, and he destroy.

2 His sovereign pow'r without our aid, made us of dust and formed us men;
and when like wand'ring sheep we strayed, he brought us to his fold again –
he brought us to his fold again.

3 We are his people, we his care, our souls and all our mortal frame:
what lasting honors shall we rear, almighty Maker, to your name? – almighty Maker, to your name?

4 We'll crowd your gates with thankful songs, high as the heav'ns our voices raise;
and earth, with her ten thousand tongues, shall fill your courts with sounding praise -
shall fill your courts with sounding praise.

5 Wide as the world is your command, vast as eternity your love;
firm as a rock your truth must stand, when rolling years shall cease to move -
when rolling years shall cease to move.

Hymn #144

Father of Mercies, in Your Word

1 Father of mercies, in your Word what endless glory shines;
forever be your name adored for these celestial lines.

2 Here may the wretched sons of want exhaustless riches find;
riches above what earth can grant and lasting as the mind.

3 Here the Redeemer's welcome voice spreads heav'nly peace around;
and life and everlasting joys attend the blissful sound.

4 O may these heav'nly pages be my ever-dear delight;
and still new beauties may I see, and still increasing light.

5 Divine Instructor, gracious Lord, O be forever near;
teach me to love your sacred Word, and view my Savior there.

Scripture Reading:

Exodus 2:11-22

Sermon:

“Deliverance Delayed”

Pastor Steve Richman

Prayer of Application and Submission

Hymn #598

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

1 Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy pow'rful hand;
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more, feed me till I want no more.

2 Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through;
strong Deliv'rer, strong Deliv'rer, be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.

3 When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's Destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side;
songs of praises, songs of praises I will ever give to thee, I will ever give to thee.

Season of Prayer

Benediction

Hymn #731

Doxology