

PREPARATION—*God's Initiative of
Making Himself Known to Us*

❖ Greetings and Prayer of Preparation

❖ Call to Worship: *Daniel 2:44-45*

❖ Prayer of Praise

ADORATION—*The Responses of a Loving,
Praising People*

Come Thou Fount R. Robinson

Come, thou Fount of every blessing
Tune my heart to sing thy grace
streams of mercy, never ceasing
call for songs of loudest praise

Teach me some melodious sonnet
sung by flaming tongues above
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it
mount of thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine Ebenezer
hither by thy help I'm come
and I hope, by thy good pleasure
safely to arrive at home

Jesus sought me when a stranger
wandering from the fold of God
he, to rescue me from danger
interposed his precious blood

O to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be
Let thy goodness, like a fetter
bind my wandering heart to thee

Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it
prone to leave the God I love
here's my heart, Lord take and seal it
seal it for thy courts above

O that day when free from sinning
I shall see Thy lovely face
Clothed then in the blood-washed linen
How I'll sing Thy sovereign grace

Come my Lord, no longer tarry
Take my ransomed soul away
Send thine angels now to carry
Me to realms of endless day

❖ Congregational Reading: *Luke 13:18-21*
(*ESV*)

“He said therefore, ‘What is the kingdom of God like? And to what shall I compare it? It is like a grain of mustard seed that a man took and sowed in his garden, and it grew and became a tree, and the birds of the air made nests in its branches.’ And again he said, ‘To what shall I compare the kingdom of God? It is like leaven that a woman took and hid in three measures of flour, until it was all leavened.’”

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery
M. Boswell

Come behold the wondrous mystery
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity

In our longing, in our darkness

Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ, who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous mystery
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living, in His suffering
Never trace nor stain of sin

See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law; in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous mystery
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory

See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured, love untold

Come behold the wondrous mystery
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord; He is alive!

What a foretaste of deliverance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when he comes
Repeat

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS—*Our Admission of Sin Before a Holy God & God's Gracious Act of Forgiveness Declared*

❖ Prayer of Confession based on
Genesis 22

❖ Assurance of Forgiveness: *Job 33:22-30*

PROCLAMATION—*The Disclosure of God's Purposes for Us*

❖ New Testament Reading:
Hebrews 11:8-16

** Children 0-5 dismissed to childcare*

❖ Prayer of Supplication

❖ Sermon: *Genesis 23 – The Promise Land*
Scott Daniel, Elder

COMMISSION—*The Response of God's People to God's Word*

The Doxology T. Ken

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.
Amen.

❖ Benediction: *Romans 16:25*

Weekly Calendar

Sunday

9:30 a.m. Christian Growth Group, Adults: *NT Overview*

Christian Growth Group, Youth: *The Gospel of Mark & Church History*
(CGG Childcare: Heather)

10:30 a.m. Corporate Worship Gathering
(Childcare: 0-2: Allison, Hayley.; 3-5: Molly., Cindy)

5:15 p.m. Online Inductive Bible Study: *Deuteronomy and John*

Wednesday

10:30 a.m. Companions Small Group

7:00 p.m. Online Prayer Call
<https://zoom.us/j/3438021254>

Upcoming Events

Sunday Evening Prayer Gathering: Sunday, July 19, 5:15 p.m.

Men's and Women's Work Morning: Saturday, August 1, 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Word Gathering: Sunday, August 2, 5:15 p.m.

Church Picnic: Saturday, August 15, 6:00 p.m.

Members Meeting: Sunday, August 30, 5:15 p.m.

Upcoming Sermons

July 19: *Philippians 1*

July 26: *Genesis 24*

August 2: *Genesis 25*