

*Welcome  
to Calvary*

Worship Guide for the week of

July 7, 2024

*Seventh Sunday after Pentecost*

**GOD CALLS US TO  
WORSHIP HIM**

**Call to Worship**

Worship Leader: We gather to  
worship the Father, Son, and Holy  
Spirit, one God.

Congregation: Come let us adore  
Him.

**“God Our Father We Adore  
Thee”**

*[Hymn of Trinity]*

Hymn 248

Verse 1:

God our Father we adore Thee  
We Thy children bless Thy name  
Chosen in the Christ before Thee  
We are holy without blame  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
Abba’s praises we proclaim  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
Abba’s praises we proclaim

Verse 2:

Son Eternal we adore Thee  
Lamb upon the throne on high  
Lamb of God we bow before Thee  
Thou hast bro’t Thy people nigh  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
Son of God who came to die  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
Son of God who came to die

Verse 3:

Holy Spirit we adore Thee  
Paraclete and heav’nly guest  
Sent from God and from the Savior  
Thou hast led us into rest  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
By Thy grace forever blest  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
By Thy grace forever blest

Verse 4:

Father Son and Holy Spirit  
Three in One we give Thee praise  
For the riches we inherit  
Heart and voice to Thee we raise  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
Thee we bless thro’ endless days  
We adore Thee we adore Thee  
Thee we bless thro’ endless days

**GOD GRACIOUSLY  
RENEWS US IN CHRIST**

**Confession of Sin**

**All:** We have sinned as our fathers did, we have done wrong and dealt wickedly. We did not consider Your marvelous works, nor did we remember Your abundant love. We defied You, Most High God.

[*Psalm 106:6-7*]

**Forgiveness of Sin**

Worship Leader: Holy Trinity, all praise to You for electing me to salvation, by foreknowledge of God the Father, through sanctification of the Spirit, to obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus. It is not the feeling of the Spirit that proves my saved state but the truth of what Christ did perfectly for me.

[“Election” from *The Valley of Vision*]

**“You Never Let Go”**

[*Hymn of Assurance*]

Verse 1:

Even though I walk  
Through the valley  
Of the shadow of death  
Your perfect love is casting out fear  
And even when I’m caught  
In the middle  
Of the storms of this life  
I won’t turn back  
I know You are near

Pre-chorus:

And I will fear no evil  
For my God is with me  
And if my God is with me  
Whom then shall I fear

Chorus:

Oh no You never let go  
Through the calm  
And through the storm  
Oh no You never let go  
In ev’ry high and ev’ry low  
Oh no You never let go  
Lord You never let go of me

Verse 2:

And I can see a light that is coming  
For the heart that holds on  
A glorious light beyond all compare  
And there will be an end  
To these troubles  
But until that day comes  
We’ll live to know You  
Here on the earth

Bridge:

Yes I can see a light that is coming  
For the heart that holds on  
And there will be an end  
To these troubles  
But until that day comes  
Still I will praise You

**THANKING GOD FOR WHAT  
HE HAS DONE**

**“All People that on Earth Do  
Dwell”**

*[Doxology]*

Hymn 5

Verse 1:

All people that  
On earth do dwell  
Sing to the Lord  
With cheerful voice  
Him serve with fear  
His praise forth tell  
Come ye before  
Him and rejoice

Verse 2:

O enter then  
His gates with praise  
Approach with joy  
His courts unto  
Praise laud and bless  
His name always  
For it is seemly  
So to do

Verse 3:

For why the Lord  
Our God is good  
His mercy  
Is forever sure  
His truth at all times  
Firmly stood  
And shall from  
Age to age endure

**Giving Our Tithes  
and Offerings**

**“How Firm a Foundation”**

*[Hymn of Affirmation]*

Verse 1:

How firm a foundation  
Ye saints of the Lord  
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word  
What more can He say  
Than to you He hath said  
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

Verse 2:

Fear not I am with thee  
O be not dismayed  
For I am thy God I will still give thee aid  
I'll strengthen thee help thee  
And cause thee to stand  
Upheld by My righteous omnipotent hand

Verse 3:

In every condition in sickness in health  
In poverty's vale or abounding in wealth  
At home and abroad  
On the land on the sea  
As thy days may demand  
Shall thy strength ever be

Verse 4:

When through the deep waters  
He calls thee to go  
The rivers of grief shall not thee overflow  
For He will be with thee in trouble to bless  
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress

Verse 5:

When through fiery trials  
Thy pathway shall lie  
My grace all-sufficient shall be thy supply  
The flames shall not hurt thee  
I only design  
Thy dross to consume  
And thy gold to refine

Verse 6:

The soul that on Jesus  
Hath leaned for repose  
I will not I will not desert to its foes  
That soul though all hell  
Should endeavor to shake  
I'll never no never no never forsake



# Private and Family Worship

*For use during the week of July 7*

**Read:** Isaiah 41

**Reflect** on these questions and discuss them with your family:

*Understanding the passage*

- How would you describe the basic message of this passage to someone else?
- Why do you think this passage was written? What did the author hope to accomplish in the minds and hearts of the readers?

**Sing** this Hymn: “God Our Father We Adore Thee”

You can find the music here: [bit.ly/gofwathymn](https://bit.ly/gofwathymn)

**Pray**

O God, You have taught us to keep all Your commandments by loving You and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of Your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to You with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

[from *The Book of Common Prayer*]

**GOD FEEDS US  
THROUGH HIS SUPPER**

*Breaking the Bread*

*and*

*Taking the Cup*

*Video Reflection*

**GOD BLESSES US  
AND SENDS US OUT**

*Encourage One Another*

# Why We Do What We Do in Worship

**Call to Worship** – Throughout the Scriptures we are called to worship God as the holy and good Creator of all things. Our worship service begins with a call to worship, which turns our attention from our everyday cares and concerns to the glory, love, and mercy of our God.

**Confession of Sin** – When we acknowledge the goodness, glory, and holiness of God, we are immediately confronted by our own sin and rebellion, which has separated us from Him. Confession should reflect our sorrow over our sins and our desire to be reconciled to God. We confess our sins to God trusting in his faithfulness to forgive us and cleanse us.

**Forgiveness of Sin** – When we trust in Jesus' death for us and we come to God with genuine sorrow for our sin, God graciously and lovingly forgives us for all our sin. And so we announce God's forgiveness to all who repent of their sin and trust in Jesus.

**Thanking God for What He Has Done** – Our natural response to the grace and kindness that God shows us in forgiving us is to thank Him. We thank God for forgiving us, blessing us, protecting us, and providing for us, and we express our thankfulness to God through prayers, singing, and giving.

**God Instructs Us through His Word** – God speaks to His people through the Scriptures. God's Word reveals to us who God is, what God is like, and what His will for us is. Each component of Calvary's worship service is guided by Scripture. We read Scripture, pray Scripture, and sing Scripture, but we also set aside time during the service to be taught how Scripture personally applies to our own lives.

**God Feeds Us through His Supper** – Each week we celebrate the Lord's Supper as the capstone of our worship service. The Lord's Supper is a tangible reminder of the Gospel and of the promise that God has made to us—the promise that He has forgiven us and cleansed us and put His Spirit within us. The bread and the cup remind us of Jesus' life and death presented as an offering to God for our sakes. When we all share this Supper together, we remember that we are all part of one family—children of God and brothers and sisters of one another.

**God Blesses Us and Sends Us Out** – Our worship service closes with a blessing from God through which He sends us out into the world to share His love and mercy with others and to live out the truths that we have learned and celebrated during the worship service.

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