



**Covenant Church
Presbyterian Church in America
Fayetteville, Arkansas**

**CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
THE LORD'S DAY
March 12, 2023
5:00 p.m.**

Welcome & Announcements

Church officer nominations are now open. There are nomination forms in the back of the sanctuary for you to fill out if you would like to put someone forward for the position. Please confirm with your nomination that he is willing to serve in this capacity **before** submitting the form.

Please prayerfully consider your Faith Promise commitments for the 2023-24 year. You can make your commitment by filling out a Faith Promise card that can be found in the seat-back pocket in front of you. If you have any questions, please speak with Matt Lee.

†Call to Worship

†Opening Hymn

#48B

“The Lord Is Great and Greatly Praised”

Prayer Requests & Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading

Proverbs 28:13–14

¹³ Whoever conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will obtain mercy. ¹⁴ Blessed is the one who fears the Lord always, but whoever hardens his heart will fall into calamity.

Sermon

“Prosperity or Calamity”

Rev. Dr. Jay Bruce

Hymn of Preparation

#292 (TH #193)

“Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence”

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

†Closing Hymn

#158 (TH #401)

“All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night”

†Benediction

Sermon Outline
March 5, 2023
5:00 p.m.

Proverbs 28:13-14
“Prosperity or Calamity”

Introduction

I. Conceal or Confess (v. 13)


II. Honor or Harden (v. 14)

Conclusion

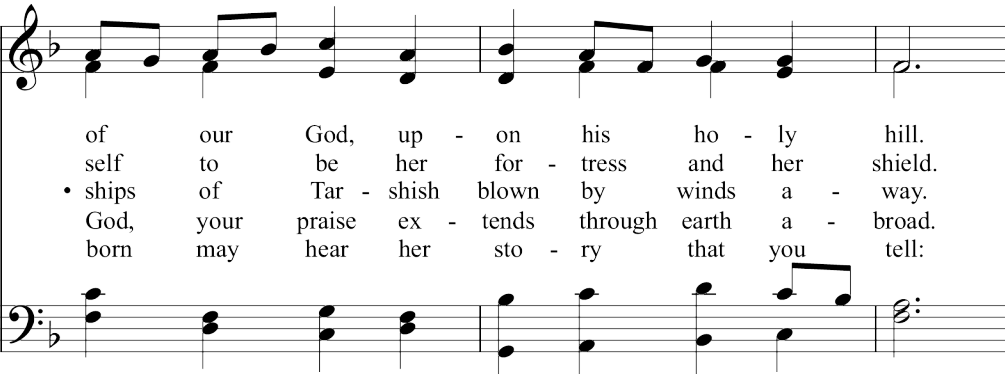
48B The LORD Is Great and Greatly Praised



1. ¹The LORD is great and great - ly praised; let
 2. ³With - in her cit - a - dels and tow'rs God's
 3. ⁶Like wom - en giv - ing birth in pain they
 4. ⁹We con - tem - plate your stead - fast love with -
 5. ¹²Round Zi - on walk and count her tow'rs; ¹³view

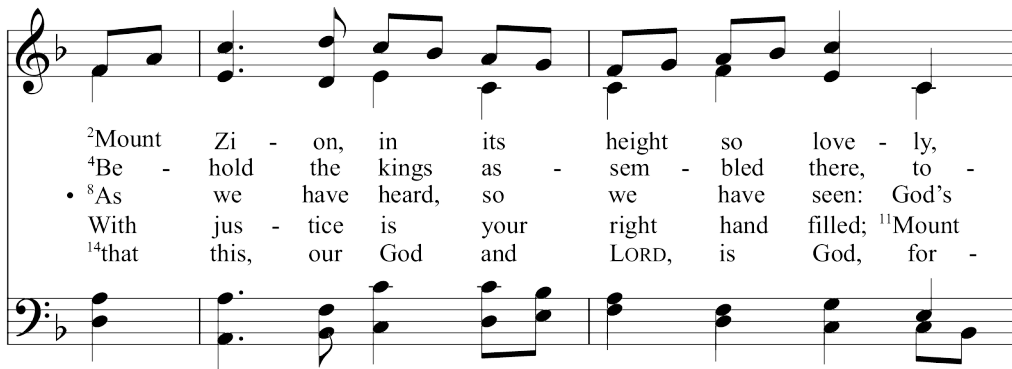


all his prais - es tell with - in the cit - y
 pres - ence is re - vealed, for he has shown him -
 • trem - bled in dis - may. ⁷You shat - tered them like
 in your house, O God; ¹⁰for, like your name, O
 ev - 'ry cit - a - del, so child - ren yet un -

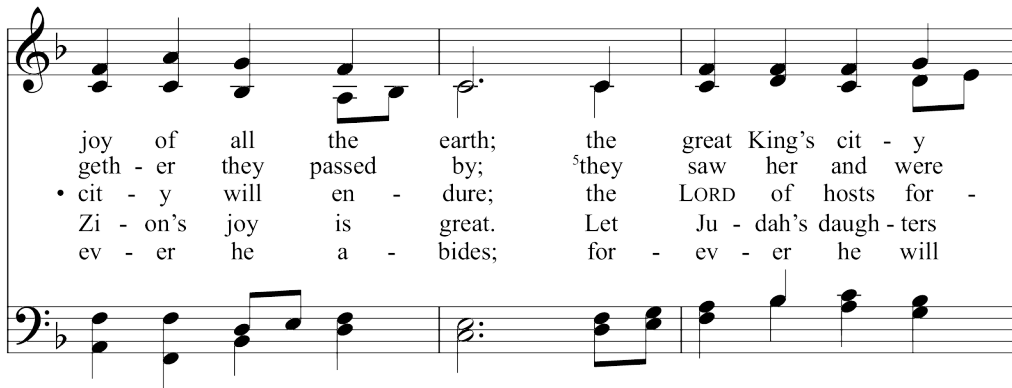


of our God, up - on his ho - ly hill.
 self to be her for - tress and her shield.
 • ships of Tar - shish blown by winds a - way.
 God, your praise ex - tends through earth a - broad.
 born may hear her sto - ry that you tell:

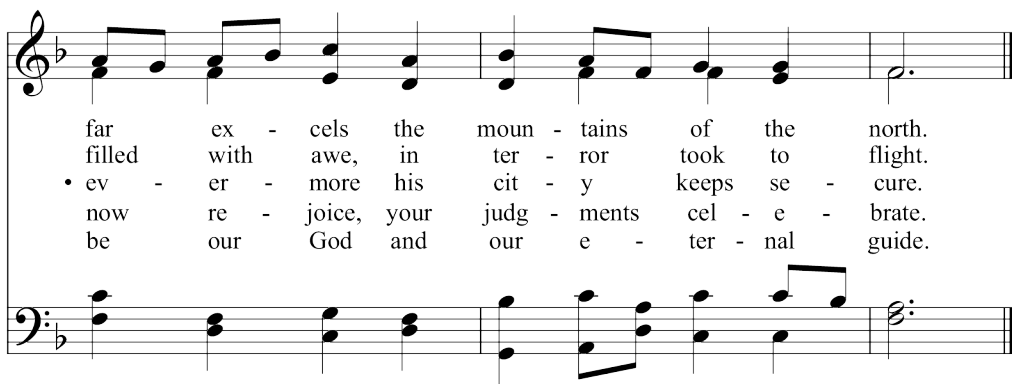
PSALM 48



²Mount Zi - on, in its height so love - ly,
⁴Be - hold the kings as - sem - bled there, to -
⁸As we have heard, so we have seen: God's
 With jus - tice is your right hand filled; ¹¹Mount
¹⁴that this, our God and LORD, is God, for -

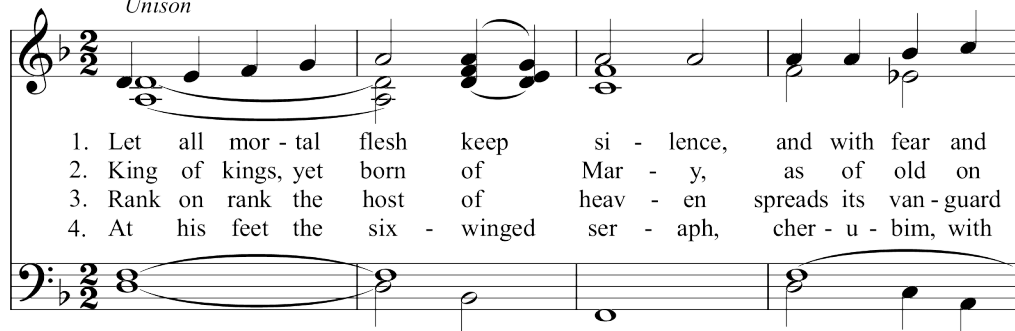


joy of all the earth; the great King's cit - y
 geth - er they passed by; ⁵they saw her and were
⁸cit - y will en - dure; the LORD of hosts for -
 Zi - on's joy is great. Let Ju - dah's daugh - ters
 ev - er he a - bides; for - ev - er he will

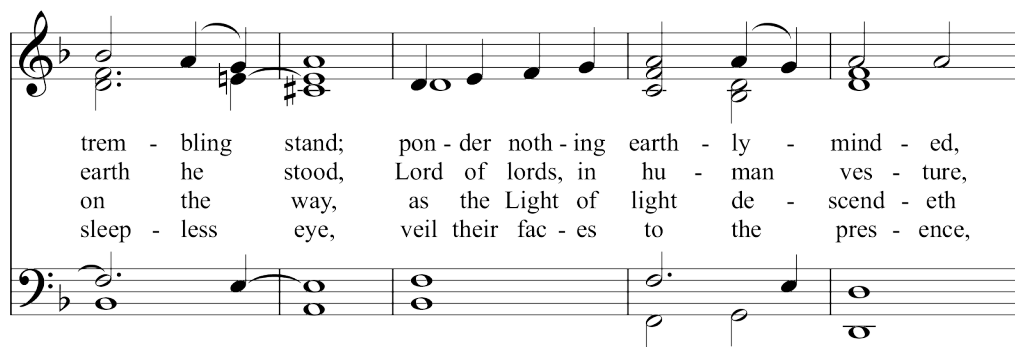


far ex - cels the moun - tains of the north.
 filled with awe, in ter - ror took to flight.
⁸ev - er - more his cit - y keeps se - cure.
 now re - joice, your judg - ments cel - e - brate.
 be our God and our e - ter - nal guide.

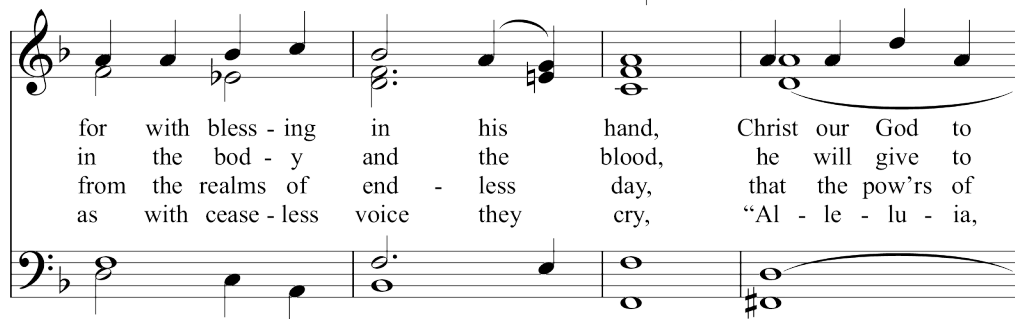
292 Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

Unison


1. Let all mor - tal flesh keep si - lence, and with fear and
2. King of kings, yet born of Mar - y, as of old on
3. Rank on rank the host of heav - en spreads its van - guard
4. At his feet the six - winged ser - aph, cher - u - bim, with



trem - bling stand; pon - der noth - ing earth - ly - mind - ed,
earth he stood, Lord of lords, in hu - man ves - ture,
on the way, as the Light of light de - scend - eth
sleep - less eye, veil their fac - es to the pres - ence,



for with bless - ing in his hand, Christ our God to
in the bod - y and the blood, he will give to
from the realms of end - less day, that the pow'rs of
as with cease - less voice they cry, "Al - le - lu - ia,



earth de - scend - eth, our full hom - age to de - mand.
all the faith - ful his own self for heav'n - ly food.
hell may van - ish as the dark - ness clears a - way.
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, Lord Most High!"

158 All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night

1. All praise to thee, my God, this night, for all the
 2. For - give me, Lord, for thy dear Son, the ills that
 3. O may my soul on thee re - pose, and with sweet
 4. When in the night I sleep - less lie, my soul with

bless - ings of the light; keep me, O keep me,
 I this day have done; that with the world, my -
 sleep mine eye - lids close; sleep that may me more
 heav'n - ly thoughts sup - ply; let no ill dreams dis -

King of kings, be - neath thine own al - might - y wings.
 self, and thee, I, ere I sleep, at peace may be.
 vig - 'rous make to serve my God when I a - wake.
 turb my rest, no pow'rs of dark - ness me mo - lest.

5. O when shall I in endless day
 forever chase dark sleep away,
 and hymns with the supernal choir
 incessant sing, and never tire!

6. 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.