

(text for meditation)

Your only Son, no sin to hide, but You have sent Him from Your side
To walk upon this guilty sod, and to become the Lamb of God.

*O, Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God,
I love the holy Lamb of God.
O, wash me in His precious blood,
My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.*

RESPONSE

(all, standing)

**Crown Him the Lord of life! Who triumphed o'er the grave;
Who rose victorious in the strife for those He came to save.
His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring and lives that death may die!**

(please be seated)

SERMON

Cole Huffman, Senior Pastor

Scissor Action

Philippians 2:12-13

BENEDICTION

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ON THE PLATFORM THIS MORNING:

In an effort to make our leaders better known to the congregation, these leaders are sitting on the platform this morning. Those marked with * will be available following the service to greet you and to give you spiritual assistance. From left to right:

*Cole Huffman	Senior Pastor
*Taylor Park	Executive Pastor
Ron Man	Worship Pastor/Missionary in Residence
*Scott Arnwine	Elder

Worship leaders: The Worship Choir; Trent England, organ; Jamie Scholik, piano;
Shelly Sublett, oboe

Classic Service

January 8, 2017

8:45 a.m.

THE WONDROUS CROSS

SCRIPTURAL INVITATION

Hebrews 12:1-2

SONGS OF THE CROSS

(choir)

When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of Glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.

(all)

**Jesus, keep me near the cross, there a precious fountain
Free to all, a healing stream, flows from Calvary's mountain.
In the cross, in the cross be my glory ever;
Till my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river.**

**Worthy is the Lamb that was slain,
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain,
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain, to receive
Power and riches and wisdom and strength,
Honor and glory and blessing!
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb,
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain,
Worthy is the Lamb!**

(please be seated)

WELCOME

Taylor Park, Executive Pastor

NEW STAFF INTERVIEW

Bryce Berry, Recreation Director

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL CALL TO PRAISE

(choir)

Jesus Christ, I think upon Your sacrifice;
You became nothing, poured out to death.
Many times I've wondered at Your gift of life,
And I'm in that place once again.

*And once again I look upon the cross where You died.
I'm humbled by Your mercy and I'm broken inside.
Once again I thank You, once again I pour out my life.*

Now You are exalted to the highest place,
King of the heavens, where one day I'll bow.
But, for now, I marvel at this saving grace,
And I'm full of praise once again. *(refrain)*

Thank You for the cross, thank You for the cross,
Thank You for the cross, my Friend.

And once again ...

WORDS OF PRAISE

Galatians 6:14; 1 Corinthians 1:18; 2 Corinthians 5:21; Galatians 2:20

(all, standing)

Leader: But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.

People: **For the Word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.**

Leader: For our sake He made Him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God.

People: **I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.**

HYMN OF PRAISE

(all, standing)

**I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene,
And wonder how He could love me, a sinner, condemned, unclean.
*How marvelous! How wonderful! And my song shall ever be:
How marvelous! How wonderful! Is my Savior's love for me!***

**For me it was in the garden He prayed: "Not My will, but Thine;"
He had no tears for His own griefs, but sweat drops of blood for mine.
*How marvelous! How wonderful! And my song shall ever be:
How marvelous! How wonderful! Is my Savior's love for me!***

PRAYER OF PRAISE

Scott Arnwine, Elder

RESPONSE OF PRAISE

**When with the ransomed in glory His face I at last shall see,
'Twill be my joy through the ages to sing of His love for me.
How marvelous! How wonderful! And my song shall ever be:
How marvelous! How wonderful! Is my Savior's love for me!**

(please be seated)

INTERLUDE

(text for meditation)

*What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul!*

*When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down,
When I was sinking down, sinking down;
When I was sinking down beneath God's righteous frown,
Christ laid aside His crown for my soul, for my soul,
Christ laid aside His crown for my soul!*

SONGS OF THE LAMB

(choir)

Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain,
To receive power and riches and wisdom and strength
And honor and glory and blessing.
Worthy is the Lamb!

(all, standing)

**Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne,
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own!
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee;
And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity!**

(interlude)

**Crown Him the Lord of love! Behold His hands and side—
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me:
Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity!**

(please be seated)

COMMUNION