FIRST CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
MAY 16, 2021, 10:30 a.m.

“(Christ) humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross.”  
Philippians 2:8

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP: Welcome in the name of Jesus Christ! May each one of us find great joy and spiritual nourishment as we worship together today. Let us worship God.

*HYMN #2 “Holy, Holy, Holy”

1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.  
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,  
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,  
though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see,  
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,  
perfect in pow’r, in love, and purity

4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty!  
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth, and sky, and sea.  
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed trinity!

INVOCATION: O Lord, God of Israel, there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth beneath, keeping covenant and steadfast love for your servants who walk before you with all their heart. Blessed be you, O God, who has given rest to his people Israel according to all that he promised; and whose promise was fulfilled in Jesus Christ, whose prayer we offer when we say, “Our Father….

ACT OF PRAISE: Psalm 1

1 Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked,  
or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers;  
2 but their delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law they meditate day and night.  
3 They are like trees planted by streams of water,  
which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither.  
In all that they do, they prosper.
4 The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.
5 Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;
6 for the L ORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN

SPECIAL MUSIC – instrumental, solo, other

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Philippians 2:1-11
1 If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, 2 make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. 3 Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. 4 Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. 5 Let the same mind be in you that was[a] in Christ Jesus,
6 Who, “Though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited,
7 but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form,
8 he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross.
9 Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name.
10 so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
11 and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.”

MESSAGE: The Mind of Christ

*HYMN #295 “Blessed Assurance”

1 Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

Refrain:
This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

2 Perfect communion, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight.
Angels descending bring from above\ echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]
3 Perfect submission, all is at rest. I in my Savior am happy and bless’d,  
watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love. [Refrain]

BENEDICTION: Lord Jesus Christ, you said, “Peace be with you,” and you breathed on your disciples, that they might receive the Holy Spirit and be able to go in peace. And so, victorious Lord, we pray to you: Lord, hear us and send us forth in peace. Amen

POSTLUDE