

# Pilgrim Hill

REFORMED FELLOWSHIP



## SERVICE OF COVENANT RENEWAL



FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

21 JUNE 2026

**PRAYER**  
**LOVE LUSTRES AT CALVARY**  
(from *Valley of Vision*)

MY FATHER,

Enlarge my heart, warm my affections, open my lips,  
supply words that proclaim 'Love lustres at Calvary.'  
There grace removes my burdens and heaps them on thy Son,  
made a transgressor, a curse, and sin for me;  
There the sword of thy justice smote the man, thy fellow;  
There thy infinite attributes were magnified,  
and infinite atonement was made;  
There infinite punishment was due,  
and infinite punishment was endured.

Christ was all anguish that I might be all joy,  
cast off that I might be brought in,  
trodden down as an enemy  
that I might be welcomed as a friend,  
surrendered to hell's worst  
that I might attain heaven's best,  
stripped that I might be clothed,  
wounded that I might be healed,  
athirst that I might drink,  
tormented that I might be comforted,  
made a shame that I might inherit glory,  
entered darkness that I might have eternal light.

My Saviour wept that all tears might be wiped from my eyes,  
groaned that I might have endless song,  
endured all pain that I might have unfading health,  
bore a thorny crown that I might have a glory-diadem,  
bowed his head that I might uplift mine,  
experienced reproach that I might receive welcome,  
closed his eyes in death that I might gaze on unclouded  
brightness,  
expired that I might for ever live.

O Father, who spared not thine only Son that thou mightest spare me,  
All this transfer thy love designed and accomplished;  
Help me to adore thee by lips and life.

O that my every breath might be ecstatic praise,  
my every step buoyant with delight, as I see  
my enemies crushed,  
Satan baffled, defeated, destroyed,  
sin buried in the ocean of reconciling blood,  
hell's gates closed,  
heaven's portal open.

Go forth, O conquering God, and show me the cross,  
mighty to subdue, comfort and save.

## PRELUDE, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & PREPARATION

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### For Preparation

“I was glad when they said to me,  
‘Let us go to the house of the LORD!’”  
(Psalm 122:1)

\*At points in the worship service annotated (†), please stand if able.

### † **The Gloria Patri** –*with uplifted hands*–

Glory be to the Father  
and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen, amen.

## THE LORD CALLS US

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### † **The Call to Worship**

The Lord be with you!  
**And also with you!**

### † **From Psalm 111**

Praise the Lord!  
I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,  
**in the company of the upright, in the congregation.**

Great are the works of the Lord,  
**studied by all who delight in them.**

Full of splendor and majesty is his work,  
**and his righteousness endures forever.**

He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered;  
**the Lord is gracious and merciful.**

He provides food for those who fear him;  
**he remembers his covenant forever.**

He has shown his people the power of his works,  
**in giving them the inheritance of the nations.**

He sent redemption to his people;  
he has commanded his covenant forever.

**Holy and awesome is his name!**

So, saints of God let us lift our voice in thanksgiving.

**Let us sing to the God of our salvation.**

† Hymn – “I Sing the Mighty Power of God” (550)

WE CONFESS AND ARE CLEANSED

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**Corporate Prayer of Confession**

God of our salvation, you have made us heirs with Christ and have called us to live lives of holiness. Yet, at times this week we have not lived lives worthy of that calling.

**We have sinned in word and deed.**

In this moment, our sins are before us. We feel the weight of them and recognize our sin is the reason Jesus Christ had to be crucified.

**Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity.**

**Have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.**

**Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.**

Thank you for embracing and forgiving – not despising – those who are contrite in heart.

**Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us.**

**Franklin Kyrie**

The musical score for "Franklin Kyrie" is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the treble clef and a guitar accompaniment line in the bass clef. Chord symbols are placed above the vocal line: Dm, C, Bb, Dm, C, Bb, Dm, C, Bb, Gm, Am, Dm. The lyrics are: "Lord, have mer-cy. Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer-cy; have mer-cy, Lord. Christ, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer-cy; have mer - cy, Lord. Lord, have mer-cy. Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer-cy; have mer - cy, Lord."

Music: Gregory D. Wilbur, 2009 © wilburmusic.com

Text: Traditional

**Silent Prayers of Confession –kneeling, if able–**

† Assurance of Pardon – Romans 8:1-4

“There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus...For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh, in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us.”

## ✠ Sursum Corda

So, lift up your hearts!

**We lift them up to the Lord!**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

**It is right to give him thanks and praise!**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to You, Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth. Therefore, we praise You, Triune God, and we join our voices with the angels, the archangels, and the whole company of Heaven in this hymn of eternal praise:

## THE LORD CONSECRATES US

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**Franklin Sanctus** (for music, see #1102)  
(Men / Women / **Together**)

Holy, Holy,  
*Holy, Holy,*

**Holy Lord.**

Holy, Holy,  
*Holy, Holy,*

**God of power and might, Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

*Hosanna in the highest.*

Blessed is he,  
*Blessed is he*

**Who comes in the name of the Lord.**

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest, Amen.

*Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest, Amen.*

## ✠ Profession of Faith – The Apostles' Creed

We believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended into hades. On the third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and now sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty,  
from whence he shall come to judge the living and the dead.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

\*catholic refers to the universal collection of God's people throughout all time and from all places.

† **Heidelberg Catechism, Question 62-64**

62. Q. But why can our good works not be our righteousness before God, or at least a part of it?

**A. Because the righteousness which can stand before God's judgment must be absolutely perfect and in complete agreement with the law of God, whereas even our best works in this life are all imperfect and defiled with sin.**

63. Q. But do our good works earn nothing, even though God promises to reward them in this life and the next?

**A. This reward is not earned; it is a gift of grace.**

64. Q. Does this teaching not make people careless and wicked?

**A. No. It is impossible that those grafted into Christ by true faith should not bring forth fruits of thankfulness.**

† **Hymn – “Come, Ye Souls by Sin Afflicted” (565)**

**Scripture Readings:**

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 21:8-21

*The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!***

New Testament Reading: Matthew 10:24-33

*The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!***

† **Psalm – “Why Do the Heathen Nations Vainly Rage?” (05)**

**Prayer of Adoration and Intercession**

*When you hear, “Lord, in your mercy,” please respond with: “**Hear our prayer.**”*

**Sermon – “Triumphal Light”**

**John 9:1-12**  
Pastor Clint Lum

**The Lord's Prayer** (see #1108 for music)

Our Father, which art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in Heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## TITHES AND TRIBUTE OFFERINGS

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God of all provision—  
from Whom all things were created  
and for Whom all things were created  
we recognize in this moment that all we have is from you.

**We are honored to be the King's stewards.**

You have blessed us richly,  
and we ask for wisdom in all of our financial dealings,  
both personally and corporately.

**Receive this portion of our harvest which we bring to You  
in faith, obedience, and with joy.**

† Hymn – “Thou True Vine, That Heals the Nations” (709)

† Psalm – “Let Israel Now Say in Thankfulness” (396)

## THE LORD COMMUNES WITH US

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### **The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

The Words of Institution and the Lord's Table

*The Lord's Supper is a sacramental family meal for Christians. We invite all baptized Christians, who are in good standing at a church that proclaims the gospel, to the table. By coming, you acknowledge that you have trusted in Christ alone for your justification before God, that you are currently at peace with God and neighbor, and that you are seeking to grow daily in holiness. If you have any questions, please reach out to Pastor Brooks.*

**THE BREAD – “Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!”** (see next page)

*To display our unity, please wait to eat the bread until instructed.*

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## Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!

1. Je - sus! What a friend for sin - ners! Je - sus! lov - er of mysoul—  
 2. Je - sus! What a strength in weak - ness! Let me hide my - self in Him.  
 3. Je - sus! What a help in sor - row! While the bil - lows o'er me roll,  
 4. Je - sus! what a guide and keep - er! While the tem - pest still is high,  
 5. Je - sus! I do now re - ceive Him; More than all in Him I find.

9 Friends may fail me, foes as - sail me, He, my Sav - ior, makes me whole.  
 Tempt - ed, tried, and some - times fail - ing, He, my strength, my vic - t'ry wins.  
 E - ven when my heart is break - ing, He, my com - fort, helps my soul.  
 Storms a - bout me, night o'er - takes me, He, my pi - lot, hears my cry.  
 He hath grant - ed me for - give - ness; I am His, and He is mine.

17 Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Sav - ior! Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Friend!

25 Sav - ing, help - ing, keep - ing, lov - ing, He is with me to the end.

Music: Rowland Hugh Prichard, 1855  
 Text: J. Wilbur Chapman, 1910

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## THE WINE

*We pass the wine with "the peace of Christ." You are welcome to drink the wine immediately and to fellowship freely during this time. If juice is desired, it will be the lighter liquid in the tray.*

# THE LORD COMMISSIONS US

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## ✦ Commissioning Hymn – “Mighty Lord, Extend Your Kingdom” (847)

### ✦ Charge

### ✦ Benediction

“Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.”

(Jude 1:24-25)

### ✦ Closing Doxology –with uplifted hands–

## Psalm 117

4-part canon

<sup>1</sup>Praise the LORD, all ye na - tions: praise Him, all ye peo - ple.

<sup>2</sup>For His mer - ci - ful kind - ness is great toward us: and the

truth of the LORD en - dur - eth for ev - - - er.

Praise ye the LORD! Praise ye the LORD! Praise ye the LORD!

Music: David R. Erb, 2005 © derb@nsa.edu

Text: *Holy Bible, King James Version, 1611*; alt.

Pastor: Peace be with you.

People: And also with you.

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## For Family Worship

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### Daily Catechesis

- **Weekly Heidelberg Catechism:** #62-64 (see liturgy, pg. 5)
- **Hymn of the Week:** “Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!” (see liturgy, pg. 7)
- **Verse of the Week:** “As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.” (John 9:5)
- **Prayer/Poem:** (see liturgy, pg. 1)

## Prayer Requests

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### **Current**

- Praise for the safe arrival of Guinevere Hodges!
- Pray for Kimberly Hodges' recovery from a difficult c-section, and for good health moving forward.
- For Scotty and the Rowletts as he prepares to deploy to the southern border for 9 months
- Pray for the Lord's blessings to flow down upon our graduates: Jocelyn, Sam, and Dawson
- That the Potteigers' house would sell quickly.
- For favor and wisdom for our men concerning vocational decisions.
- For Kimberly Hodges' father who is battling cancer. Prayers for healing and for peace and comfort amidst the battle.
- For Seth Miller, healing for his tumor and comfort from the Lord.
- Salvation for our unbelieving family members - thinking especially of Ryan Heft's cousin (Connor), and Becky's sister (Laura), brother (Orly) and his wife (Amanda) and daughters (Rose, Evey, and Arya).
- For the folks who are newer to our community. That they would get established quickly.
- For our own place in God's timing.
- For the mothers who are with child. Safety for all the mommas and babies.

- **Tay Hoeks** - July
- **Paige Llewellyn** - Aug
- **Addyson Frymoyer** - Aug
- **Holly Carter** - Aug
- **Jordan Grubbs** - Aug
- **Pauline Heft** - Sept
- **Amanda Kitchen** - Oct
- **Sydney Van Hofwegen** - Dec
- **Gabbi Lubben** - Jan

*If you become with child and want to be added to the prayer list, please email [naomi@pilgrimhill.church](mailto:naomi@pilgrimhill.church)*

### **Ongoing**

- For peace and provision for our church as we look ahead to pastor Brooks' transition to DC
- For Caleb Haymes, and his ongoing physical issues.
- For a teaching elder for the new CREC plant in Columbia, King's Cross Reformed Church
- Favor and wisdom for those who have businesses, or are dreaming of starting one.
- Provision, peace, wisdom, and diligence for those feeling the financial pinch
- Great wisdom for Pete in his role as SecDef and continued protection - both spiritual and physical - for the Hegseths
- For the ministries we financially support:
  - Cumberland Crisis Pregnancy: Provision, protection, and wisdom
  - The Joint Eastern European Project (J.E.E.P.): See their website for current prayer requests
  - Recovery Refuge House in Ridgetop

## Upcoming Events

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### LADIES' WREATH-MAKING DAY

- Saturday, June 20th, from 10am-noon
- Bring your favorite brunch item & \$10 per wreath maker
- 3600 US 31E, Bethpage, TN, 37022

### A FELLOWSHIP TIME TO BLESS THE POTTEIGERS

- Thursday, June 25th, from 6-8pm
- At the church
- Food, fellowship, and a chance to commission the Potteigers with a hearty Pilgrim Hill blessing

### MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP MEALS

- First Sunday of every month
- Immediately following the service at the church
- No Sunday School on these days
- **If you would like to serve on the fellowship team, email Sharon Haney at [daylily1980@comcast.net](mailto:daylily1980@comcast.net)**

### Officers:

#### The Session:

- Pastor Brooks Potteiger – [pastor@pilgrimhill.church](mailto:pastor@pilgrimhill.church)
- Associate Pastor Clint Lum – [pastorclint@pilgrimhill.church](mailto:pastorclint@pilgrimhill.church)
- Josh Boyd (Ruling Elder)

#### The Diaconate:

- Chris Boyd
- Shelvy Huffman
- Scotty Rowlett

Submit a question for Pastor Brooks  
for an upcoming Q&A:



Church-wide Signal Thread  
for Announcements:



Meal sign-up for Recovery Refuge:



*WE AT PILGRIM HILL are striving to cultivate sturdy, maturing Christians across generations for the glory of the Lord and the gladdening expansion of His Kingdom.*