



Home Economics

God's Household Rules



A SERMON SERIES

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Beverly Heights United

Welcome and Greeting

Rev. Dr. Nathanael Devlin, Senior Pastor

Announcements

Amy Lucas, Church Administrator

THE LORD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

Now Thank We All Our God
Jinna Park, *Accompanist and Organist*

Larson

*The first note of the prelude marks the beginning of worship. Please use this brief period of time for prayer and preparation while keeping conversation at a low volume and to a minimum. **Please refrain from clapping unless led to do so.***

Call to Worship

Leader: One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after:

People: That I may dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Choral Introit

Psalm 100

Prayer of Invocation

Opening Psalm 5 (**See next page**)

vv. 1, 2

Lord, In the Morning, Thou Shalt Hear

Responsive Reading: Psalm 26

Mr. Peter A. Chace

Leader: Vindicate me, O LORD, for I have walked in my integrity, and I have trusted in the LORD without wavering. Prove me, O LORD, and try me; test my heart and my mind. For Your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in Your faithfulness.

People: I do not sit with men of falsehood, nor do I consort with hypocrites. I hate the assembly of evildoers, and I will not sit with the wicked. I wash my hands in innocence and go around Your altar, O LORD, proclaiming thanksgiving aloud, and telling all Your wondrous deeds.

Leader: O LORD, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells. Do not sweep my soul away with sinners, nor my life with bloodthirsty men, in whose hands are evil devices, and whose right hands are full of bribes.

People: But as for me, I shall walk in my integrity; redeem me, and be gracious to me. My foot stands on level ground; in the great assembly I will bless the LORD.

Hymn of Worship No. 66

vv. 1-4

God Is Known Among His People

Lord, in the Morning Thou Shalt Hear

From Psalm 5

1. Lord, in the morn - ing Thou shalt hear My voice as -
2. Up to the heav'ns, where Christ is gone To plead for
melody

To Thee will I di - rect my pray'r, To
Pre - sent - ing at His Fa - ther's throne Our
cend - ing high;
all His saints,
To Thee will I di -
Pre - sent - ing at His
To Thee will I di - rect my pray'r, To Thee lift up mine
Presenting at His Father's throne Our songs and our com -

To Thee will I di - rect my pray'r, To Thee lift up mine eye,
Presenting at His Father's throne Our songs and our complaints,
Thee lift up mine eye,
songs and our complaints,
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rect my pray'r, To Thee lift up mine eye,
Father's throne Our songs and our com - plaints,
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Pre - sent - ing at His Fa - ther's throne

THE LORD CLEANSSES OUR SIN

Unison Confession of Sin, Followed by Silent Confession

Please bow your head. For those who are able, you are invited to kneel during the confession of sin.

Gracious God and loving Heavenly Father: we come before You now to confess our sins, and as we do, we are reminded of Your word. You tell us that we love because You first loved us. “If anyone says, ‘I love God,’ and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen. And this commandment we have from Him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.” But we have not loved our brother or our sister as we ought to have loved them. And we have failed to love You, O Lord, as we should have. Forgive us, Lord, for love that has grown cold, and grant to us Your grace so that we might love You with our whole hearts and love our neighbor as ourselves. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Unison Confession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made;
who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven,
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary,
and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;
and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;
whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified;
who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church;
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;
and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

THE LORD SANCTIFIES OUR LIVES

New Testament Lesson

Romans 8:26-39

Dr. Kyle David Bennett

Responsive Hymn No. 455

vv. 1-3

And Can It Be That I Should Gain

Congregational Response No. 731

Doxology

G D Em Bm Em D G
 Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all
 D Em C G D Em D G D G C D G
 crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host:
 D G Em D Am G D G C G
 praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

*Children ages kindergarten and younger are dismissed to the Nursery, Walkabouts Room, and Runabouts Room.
All other children remain in worship with their families.*

Scripture Reading

Song of Solomon 2:3-7

Sermon

Home Economics
God's Plan for Love

Pastor Devlin

THE LORD RECEIVES OUR GIFTS AND HEARTS

Call for the Offering and Offertory

In the Garden

Drennan

Pastoral Prayer

Congregational Response No. 734

Gloria Patri

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be - gin - ning, is

now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

THE LORD MEETS US AT THE TABLE

Words of Institution and Examination of Conscience (*See below)

Invitation and Coming to the Table

*Please note: we will eat together in the pew.
Those who are unable to come to the table will be served in the pew.
The Elders are serving bread and wine.
To better serve those with restrictions,
please see Pastor Devlin for gluten-free bread and/or grape juice.*

Communion Hymn

My Savior's Love

Prayer of Thanksgiving followed by the Threefold Amen No. 740

Trinity Hymnal



A - men, a - men, a - men.

THE LORD SCATTERS US TO ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

Closing Hymn No. 455

vv. 4, 5

And Can It Be That I Should Gain

Benediction

Postlude

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

Krug

****May I Come to the Lord's Table?***

All true believers who trust in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, including those from other congregations, are a part of the true Church and are invited to partake in the Lord's Supper. As we come to the table we rejoice as we remember our need to trust in Jesus Christ as Lord, to repent of sin, and to covenant once more to live as followers of Jesus. Those who are ignorant in their knowledge of Christ or who are living ungodly and unrepentant lives should refrain from the table. Baptized children may be admitted to the Lord's Supper provided their parents have appeared before the Pastor or Session to share their child's profession of faith, in a manner acceptable to the Session.

God Is Known among His People

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In Judah God is known; his name is great in Israel. Ps. 76:1

1. God is known a - mong his peo - ple, ev - ery mouth his praise - es fill;
 2. Ex - cel - lent and glo - rious are you, with your tro - phies from the fray;
 3. When from heav'n your sen - tence sound - ed, all the earth in fear was still,
 4. Vow and pay un - to Je - ho - vah, him your God for - ev - er own;

from of old he has es - tab - lished his a - bode on Zi - on's hill;
 you have slain the might - y war - riors, wrapped in sleep of death are they;
 while to save the meek and low - ly God in judg - ment wrought his will;
 all men, bring your gifts be - fore him, wor - ship him, and him a - lone;

there he broke the sword and ar - row, bade the noise of war be still.
 when your an - ger once is ris - en, who can stand in that dread day?
 e'en the wrath of man shall praise you, your de - signs it shall ful - fil.
 might - y kings o - bey and fear him, princ - es bow be - fore his throne.

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And Can It Be That I Should Gain

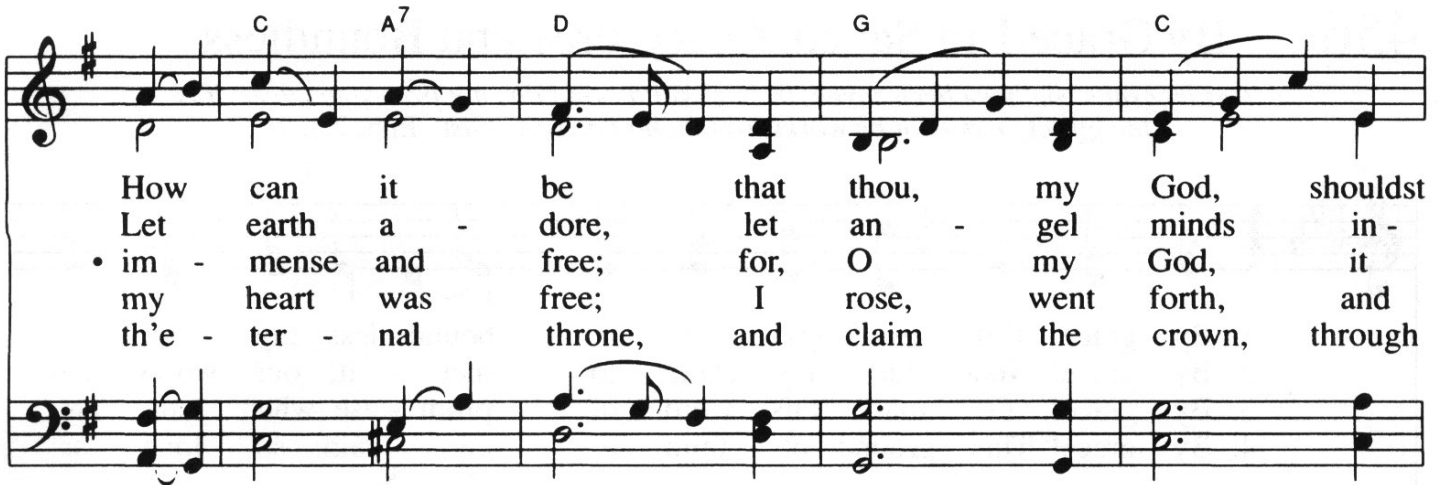
While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Rom. 5:8

1. And can it be that I should gain an in - t'rest
 2. 'Tis mys - t'ry all! Th'Im - mor - tal dies: who can ex -
 3. He left his Fa - ther's throne a - bove (so free, so
 4. Long my im - pris - oned spir - it lay fast bound in
 5. No con - dem - na - tion now I dread; Je - sus, and

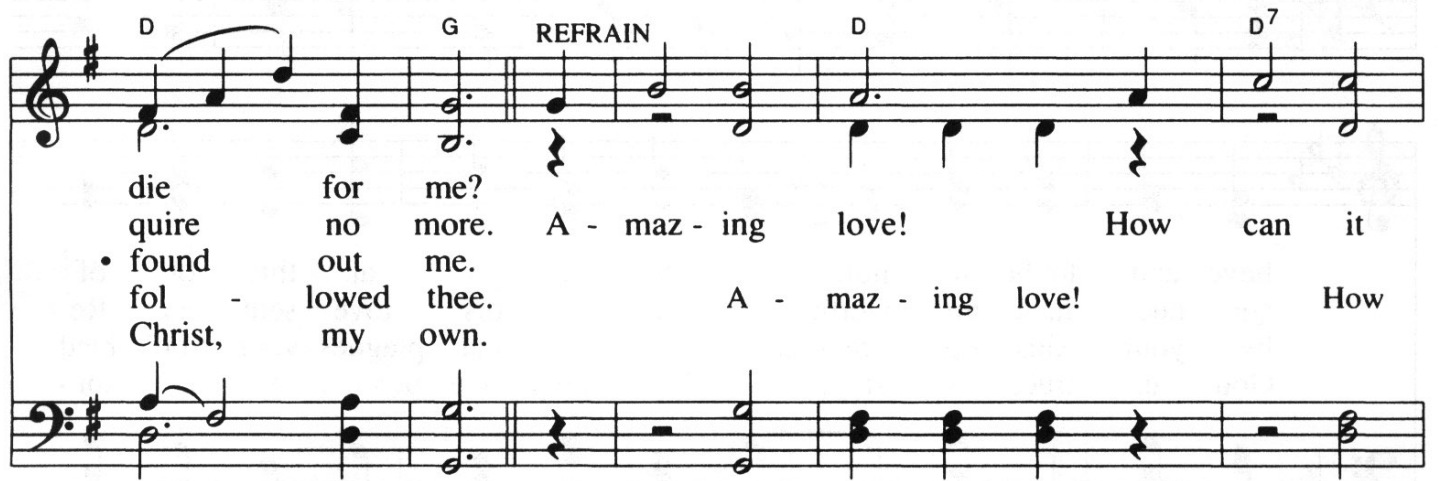
in the Sav - ior's blood? Died he for me, who caused his
 plore his strange de - sign? In vain the first - born ser - aph
 • in - fi - nite his grace!), hum - bled him - self (so great his
 sin and na - ture's night; thine eye dif - fused a quick - 'ning
 all in him, is mine! A - live in him, my liv - ing

pain? For me, who him to death pur - sued? A - maz - ing love!
 tries to sound the depths of love di - vine. 'Tis mer - cy all!
 • love!), and bled for all his cho - sen race. 'Tis mer - cy all,
 ray; I woke, the dun - geon flamed with light; my chains fell off,
 Head, and clothed in righ - teous - ness di - vine, bold I ap - proach


SALVATION BY GRACE



How can it be that thou, my God, shouldst
 Let earth adore, let an - gel minds in -
 • im - mense and free; for, O my God, it
 my heart was free; I rose, went forth, and
 th'e - ter - nal throne, and claim the crown, through



die for me?
 quire no more. A - maz - ing love! How can it
 • found out me. A - maz - ing love! How
 fol - lowed thee. A - maz - ing love! How
 Christ, my own.



be that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
 can it be that thou, my God,

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October 6, 2024	God's Plan for Man	Genesis 1:26-2:17
October 13, 2024	God's Plan for Woman	Genesis 2:18-25
October 20, 2024	God's Plan for Marriage	Matthew 19:1-12
October 27, 2024	God's Plan for Family	Deuteronomy 6:1-9
November 3, 2024	God's Plan for Love	Song of Solomon 2:3-7
November 10, 2024	God's Plan for Identity	Colossians 3:1-17
November 17, 2024	God's Plan for Money	Malachi 3:6-15
November 24, 2024	God's Plan for the Kingdom	Hebrews 12:18-29

THIS WEEK AT BEVERLY HEIGHTS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

9:00 AM Christian Ed for All Ages
 10:00 AM Worship Service
 6:30 PM Fusion for MS/HS students

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Church Offices Closed

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

7:00 PM ACE Team Meeting

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

8:00 AM Men's Study Group
 10:00 AM Staff Meeting
 3:00 PM Wednesday Night Heights
 homework help
 4:15 PM WNH programming
 5:45 PM WNH dinner and vespers

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

7:15 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Laurelville Retreat - Departure

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

8:00 AM Men's Study Group

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

9:00 AM Christian Ed for All Ages
 10:00 AM Worship Service
Laurelville Retreat - Return

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