Father's Day - Church Service 6-28-2020 - South Potomac Church - 301-675-5270 Live broadcast - Facebook/YouTube - Search South Potomac Church Pastor Jim Brewster at 202-557-8097 or email at Gladtodoit@gmail.com.

1) Welcome – God is Good! – All the Time! All the Time – God is Good!

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Grant us to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you. We ask this so that through our lives we may glorify our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

2) Song – Praise to the Lord, The Almighty

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!

O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!

All ye who hear, Now to His temple draw near; Sing now in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all, things so wondrously reigneth,

Who, as on wings of an eagle, uplifteth, sustaineth.

Hast thou not seen, How thy desires all have been; Granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper, thy work and defend thee,

Who from the heavens the streams of His mercy doth send thee.

Ponder anew, What the Almighty can do, Who with His love doth befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that, is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath, come, now with praises before Him!
Let the Amen, Sound from His people again; Gladly for aye we adore Him.

3) The Gospel: Matthew 10:40-42

40 "Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me, and anyone who welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. 41 Whoever welcomes a prophet as a prophet will receive a prophet's reward, and whoever welcomes a righteous person as a righteous person will receive a righteous person's reward. 42 And if anyone gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones who is my disciple, truly I tell you, that person will certainly not lose their reward."

4) The Epistle: Romans 6:12-23

2 Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its evil desires. 13 Do not offer any part of yourself to sin as an instrument of wickedness, but rather offer yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer every part of yourself to him as an instrument of righteousness. 14 For sin shall no longer be your master, because you are not under the law, but under grace. ...16 Don't you know that

when you offer yourselves to someone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one you obey—whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness? 17 But thanks be to God that, though you used to be slaves to sin, you have come to obey from your heart the pattern of teaching that has now claimed your allegiance. 18 You have been set free from sin and have become slaves to righteousness. ... 19 Just as you used to offer yourselves as slaves to impurity and to ever-increasing wickedness, so now offer yourselves as slaves to righteousness leading to holiness. 20 When you were slaves to sin, you were free from the control of righteousness. 21 What benefit did you reap at that time from the things you are now ashamed of? Those things result in death! 22 But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the benefit you reap leads to holiness, and the result is eternal life. 23 For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

5) Lord's Prayer Hail Mary

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name.	Hail Mary full of Grace, the Lord is
Thy Kingdom come.	with thee.
Thy will be done, On earth, as it is in heaven.	Blessed are thou amongst women
Give us this day our daily bread.	and blessed is the fruit of thy
And forgive us our trespasses,	womb Jesus.
As we forgive those, who trespass against us.	Holy Mary Mother of God,
And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil.	pray for us sinners now and at the
For thine is the kingdom, And the power, and the glory,	hour of our death
For ever and ever. Amen.	Amen.

6) Song – The Old Rugged Cross

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross, The emblem of suffering and shame. And I love that old cross where the dearest and best

For a world of lost sinners was slain **Chorus:** So I'll cherish the old rugged cross

Till my trophies at last I lay down I will cling to the old rugged cross And exchange it someday for a crown

O that old rugged cross so despised by the world, Has a wondrous attraction for me. For the dear lamb of God left His glory above

To bear it on dark Calvary

Chorus:

In the old rugged cross, Stained with blood so divine, A wondrous beauty I see. For 'twas on that old cross ,Jesus suffered and died To pardon and sanctify me **Chorus:**

To the old rugged cross, I will ever be true. It's shame and reproach gladly bear. Then He'll call me some day, To my home far away

Where His glory forever I'll share

Chorus:

7) The Psalms: Psalm 13

- 1 How long, O Lord? Will you forget me forever? * how long will you hide your face from me?
- 2 How long shall I have perplexity in my mind, and grief in my heart, day after day? * how long shall my enemy triumph over me?
- 3 Look upon me and answer me, O Lord my God; * give light to my eyes, lest I sleep in death;
- 4 Lest my enemy say, "I have prevailed over him," * and my foes rejoice that I have fallen.
- 5 But I put my trust in your mercy; * my heart is joyful because of your saving help.
- 6 I will sing to the Lord, for he has dealt with me richly; * I will praise the Name of the Lord Most High.
- **8)** Confession: "The time has come," he said. "The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!" Mark 1:15, NIV

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

9) Communion (You may give yourself communion with what you have)

Luke 12:19 He took some bread and gave thanks to God for it. Then he broke it in pieces and gave it to the disciples, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this to remember me." (Eat the bread)

Luke 22:20 After supper he took another cup of wine and said, "This cup is the new covenant between God and his people—an agreement confirmed with my blood, which is poured out as a sacrifice for you. (Drink the cup)

10) Doxology

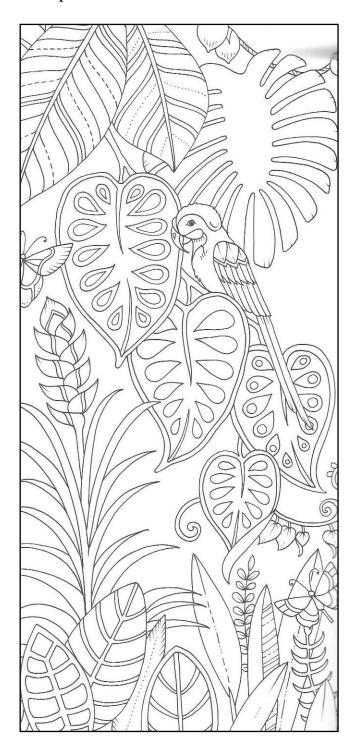
Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise him all creatures here below Praise him above ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

11) Song – Amazing Grace

- 1. Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me. I once was lost but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.
- 2. T'was Grace that taught my heart to fear. And Grace, my fears relieved. How precious did that Grace appear, The hour I first believed.
- 3. Through many dangers, toils and snares, I have already come;

'Tis Grace that brought me safe thus far, and Grace will lead me home.

- 4. The Lord has promised good to me. His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be, As long as life endures.
- 5. Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail, And mortal life shall cease, I shall possess within the veil, A life of joy and peace.
- 6. When we've been here ten thousand years, Bright shining as the sun. We've no less days to sing God's praise, Than when we've first begun.
- **12**) **Benediction:** It is written, "Rejoice, O Gentiles, with his people!" May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope. Amen.



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