Church Service 5-10-2020 – 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, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## 2) Song – I stand amazed in the presence

1) I stand amazed in the presence

Of Jesus the Nazarene

And I wonder how He could love me.

A sinner condemned, unclean. **Chorus:** How marvelous, how wonderful

And my song shall ever be.

How marvelous, how wonderful Is my Savior's love for me.

2) 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. **Chorus** 

He took my sins and my sorrows,

He made them His very own;

He bore the burden to Calv'ry,

And suffered and died alone. Chorus

When with the ransomed in glory

His face I at last shall see,

'Twill be my joy thro' the ages,

To sing of His love for me. Chorus

## 3) Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16

1 In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; let me never be put to shame; deliver me in your righteousness.

2 Incline your ear to me; make haste to deliver me.

3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe, for you are my crag and my stronghold; for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me.

- 4 Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, for you are my tower of strength.
- 5 Into your hands I commend my spirit, for you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth.
- 15 My times are in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies, and from those who persecute me.
- 16 Make your face to shine upon your servant, and in your loving-kindness save me."

### 4) Lord's Prayer:

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 trespasses,

As we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

For ever and ever. Amen.

### 5) Song – I'd Rather Have Jesus

1. I'd rather have Jesus than silver or gold

I'd rather be His than have riches untold

I'd rather have Jesus than houses or lands

I'd rather be led by His nail-pierced hand **Chorus** - Than to be the king of a vast domain

And be held in sin's dread sway I'd rather have Jesus than anything

This world affords today

2. I'd rather have Jesus than men's applause

I'd rather be faithful to His dear cause

I'd rather have Jesus than worldwide fame

I'd rather be true to His holy name

Chorus

He's fairer than lilies of rarest bloom 3.

He's sweeter than honey from out the comb

He's all that my hungering spirit needs

I'd rather have Jesus and let Him lead

Chorus

## 6) Confession:

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart and soul and mind and strength.

We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

#### 7) John 14:1-14

Jesus said, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him."

## 8) 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)

## 9) 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

**10) Prayer** – Thanks be to you, our Lord Jesus Christ, for all the benefits which you have given us, for all the pains and insults which you have borne for us. Most merciful Redeemer, Friend and Brother, may we know you more clearly, love you more dearly, and follow you more nearly, day by day. Amen.

# 11) Song – God Bless America (Prayer/Song for our Country - Sing twice)

God Bless America, Land that I Love

Stand beside her and guide her, Through the night with the light from above.

From the mountain to the prairie, to the ocean white with foam

God bless America, My home sweet home. God bless America, My home sweet home.

## 12) Song - Jesus Loves Me

1. Jesus loves me this I know For the Bible tells me so Little ones to Him belong They are weak but He is strong

Chorus: Yes Jesus loves me
Yes Jesus loves me
Yes Jesus loves me
The Bible tells me so

2. Jesus loves me loves me still Tho' I'm very weak and ill That I might from sin be free Bled and died upon the tree

**Chorus:** 

3. Jesus loves me he who died Heaven's gate to open wide He will wash away my sin Let His little child come in

**Chorus:** 

5. Jesus take this heart of mine Make it pure and wholly Thine Thou has bled and died for me I will henceforth live for Thee

**Chorus:** 

**13) Benediction:** Hasten, O Father, the coming of your kingdom and grant that we your servants, who now live by faith, may with joy behold your Son at his coming in glorious majesty, even Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate. Amen.

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