

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP (Online Sanctuary, January 10)

*“Though you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and are filled with an inexpressible and glorious joy.”*

– 1 Peter 1:8

## GATHERING MUSIC

*“Hear Our Praises”* ..... Morgan

Matt Holtzman, Yvette Pezan, Worship Leaders;  
Jason Crowe, Bass; Scott Barbier, Percussion

## ORGAN PRAISE

*“Introduction to Lyons”* ..... Gorby

Roderick Gorby

## CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 95 and Revelation 19) John Goodale

*Leader: We come to worship Jesus, our King!*

**People: We glorify the King of kings and Lord of lords!**

*Leader: We worship the Rock of our salvation!*

**People: Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer and Friend!**

## HYMN OF PRAISE

*“O Worship the King” vs. 1, 3, 4*

## DECLARATION OF GOOD NEWS

## PRAYER OF ADORATION

## WELCOME AND GREETING

## SONG OF PRAISE

*“Great Are You, Lord”* ..... Jordan/Leonard

## **CALL TO CONFESSION**

### **COMMUNITY PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord, You have called us to worship You. We gladly gather! As we praise You, though, our own inadequacy reminds us of how we have broken our relationship with You. Because we have sinned against You, even our worship fails to be what it could. We often treat it as a show. We simply go through motions, failing to recognize that You want to engage us deeply. Renew us, we pray, according to Your steadfast love. Remind us of Your covenant faithfulness and have mercy on us in the name of Jesus Christ.

### **PRAYER OF PERSONAL CONFESSION**

### **ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS**

### **RESPONSE**

*"You Are My All in All"* . . . . . Jernigan

### **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed** Jim DeJarnette

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I 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.

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER**

### **OFFERING OUR GIFTS**

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC (ARCHIVED FROM JULY 13, 2019)**

*"Total Praise"* ..... Smallwood  
The Sanctuary Choir; Jim DeJarnette

**LIFE OF THE CONGREGATION**

**SERMON**

**HERE WE GO!: "Live For God"**

1 Peter 1:1–9 Tim McConnell

**SONG OF RESPONSE**

*"Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"* vs. 1, 4

**CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

*"Hear Our Praises"* ..... Gorby  
Roderick Gorby, Organ; Scott Barbier, Percussion

Information on those who have gone to be with the Lord may be found at [firstprescos.org/memorials](http://firstprescos.org/memorials).

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**GATHERING MUSIC** *"Hear Our Praises"*

May our homes be filled with dancing,  
    May our streets be filled with joy;  
May injustice bow to Jesus  
    As the people turn to pray.

*Chorus*

From the mountain to the valley,  
    Hear our praises rise to You.  
From the heavens to the nations,  
    Hear our singing fill the air.

May a light shine in the darkness  
    As we walk before the cross;  
May Your glory fill the whole earth  
    As the water o'er the seas. *Chorus*

**HYMN OF PRAISE** *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"*

O worship the King, all glorious above,  
    O gratefully sing His power and His love;  
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,  
    Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?  
    It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;  
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,  
    And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
    In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail;  
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
    Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

**SONG OF PRAISE** *"Great Are You, Lord"*

You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness;  
You give hope, You restore every heart that is broken;  
And great are You, Lord!

It's Your breath in our lungs,  
So we pour out our praise—we pour out our praise to You only!

And all the earth will shout Your praise  
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing, "Great are You, Lord!"

**RESPONSE** *"You Are My All in All"*

You are my strength when I am weak, You are the Treasure that I seek,  
You are my All in All.  
Seeking You as a precious jewel, Lord, to give up I'd be a fool,  
You are my All in All.

*Chorus*

Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is Your name.  
Jesus, Lamb of God, worthy is Your name.

Taking my sin, my cross, my shame, rising again, I bless Your name,  
You are my All in All.  
When I fall down, You pick me up; when I am dry, You fill my cup,  
You are my All in All. *Chorus*

**SONG OF RESPONSE** *"Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"*

Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven, to His feet your tribute bring;  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, evermore His praises sing.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King!

Angels, help us to adore Him, you behold Him face to face.  
Sun and moon, bow down before Him; all who dwell in time and space.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

## NEW TO FIRST PRES?

**We're so glad you're joining us online!** Our joyful hope is that you experience the Light and Life of Christ while you're with us. We would love to help get you connected with First Pres. Let us know you're worshipping with us by filling out the online connect card at [my.firstprescos.org/connectcard](https://my.firstprescos.org/connectcard).

**Do you receive Pastor Tim's weekly email?** Sign up to get encouragement and important First Pres updates right to your inbox every Tuesday! Start receiving emails by signing up at [my.firstprescos.org/subscribe](https://my.firstprescos.org/subscribe) or call us at 719-884-6100.

### Connect on Social Media



**Here We Go!** is our new sermon series and it begins today as Pastor Tim teaches about First Pres' **7 Values In Our Pursuit of Jesus.**

#### IN MEMORIAM

Mr. Arthur James Berglund – 12/19/2020  
Mr. Fred Hyde – 12/27/2020  
Mrs. Phyllis Lawrence – 12/31/2020  
Mrs. Mary Ellen Davidson – 1/1/2021

#### Pray for those in hospital/short-term rehab

St. Francis Medical Center – Mr. Brad Johnson  
Mr. Charles Castle  
Penrose Main – Mr. Bob Foote  
Health Care Resort – Mr. Byron Reid

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**2021 Commitments:** Thank you for sharing in our ministry at First Pres, and if you didn't get the opportunity to make a commitment for 2021, it's not too late! Our deadline to receive commitments is **Monday, January 11**. You can make an online pledge at [rock.firstprescos.org/commitment](https://rock.firstprescos.org/commitment). You can also contact Michelle Adams-Fooshee at 719-884-6165 to verbally give us your commitment for 2021. We are looking forward to a great year in ministry as the Lord continues to call First Pres to be Light and Life for our City.

**Sunday Family Hour** meets each week in the third-floor Gym, with lots of fun activities planned. If you can't come in person, Activity Kits are available full of Family Night fun to go along with the series. You may pick one up at church or we will be happy to deliver one to you. The whole family is invited but registration is required, so please register online at [my.firstprescos.org/familyhour](https://my.firstprescos.org/familyhour)!

**Youth Groups are back!** Until February 17, we'll alternate weeks for in-person and online meetings. Middle school will meet in-person every other Wednesday starting January 13 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Alternate weeks will be online small groups. High school will be in-person every other Sunday **starting today** from 3-4:30 p.m., with online groups meeting on alternating Sundays. Please register for in-person meetings that will be in the Weber Street Center.

**Winter Growing Together Wednesdays** is online only. Classes are free and run through March 17. We have a Membership class, two offerings for parents of school-aged children, and the opportunity to learn more about God's character through the writing of C.S. Lewis, discipleship according to Dietrich Bonhoeffer, and how to be Light and Life for Colorado Springs by studying the 10 Commandments. Learn more and register at [firstprescos.org/gtw](https://firstprescos.org/gtw).