



# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of CHATTANOOGA

*The Vision of First Presbyterian Church of Chattanooga  
is to be a city-center church  
compelled by Christ's love  
to make disciples in our homes, city, and the world.*

**Worship Service | June 7, 2020**

## THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

(Revelation 7:9-12)

*Pastor: After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."*

### HYMNS OF PRAISE

**"Holy, Holy, Holy"**

**"Before the Throne of God Above"**

### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

(Heidelberg, Q & A 1)

*Pastor: What is your only comfort in life and in death?*

*All: That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul,  
in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.*

*He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil.*

*He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.*

*Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.*

### CONFESSION OF SIN

*Almighty Father, God of gods and Lord of lords, Father to the fatherless, Husband to the widow, Defender of the helpless, Just Judge of all the earth, have mercy on us.*

*We have not sought freedom for the oppressed, even though you freed us.*

*We have not bound up the broken even though you healed us.*

*We have not forgiven others even though you forgave us.*

*We withhold kindness from the needy even though you freely gave us your own Son.*

*We are without excuse, but not without hope.*

*By your power and grace, account our sins to the atoning death of Jesus and amend our ways by the power of his glorious resurrection.*

### HYMN OF ASSURANCE

**"Just as I Am (I Come Broken)"**

### PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S PEOPLE

## THE WORD FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

### SERMON

**"The New Heavens and New Earth"**

*Revelation 21:1-7*

Dr. Tim Kirk

### HYMN OF RESPONSE

**"Revelation Song"**

## THE SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

### BENEDICTION

*Pastor: "Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay each one for what he has done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!*

*Revelation 22:12-13, 20*

**People: Thanks be to God! Amen.**