

TOGETHER TRUSTING THE REAL GOD TO REDEEM REAL PEOPLE

# Psalm 7:1-17

#### A Shiggaion of David, which he sang to the LORD concerning the words of Cush, a Benjaminite.

- 7 O LORD my God, in you do I take refuge; save me from all my pursuers and deliver me,
- lest like a lion they tear my soul apart, rending it in pieces, with none to deliver.
- O LORD my God, if I have done this, if there is wrong in my hands,
- 4 if I have repaid my friend with evil or plundered my enemy without cause,
- let the enemy pursue my soul and overtake it, and let him trample my life to the ground and lay my glory in the dust. Selah
- Arise, O LORD, in your anger; lift yourself up against the fury of my enemies; awake for me; you have appointed a judgment.
- 7 Let the assembly of the peoples be gathered about you; over it return on high.
- The LORD judges the peoples; judge me, O LORD, according to my righteousness and according to the integrity that is in me.
- Oh, let the evil of the wicked come to an end, and may you establish the righteous you who test the minds and hearts, O righteous God!

- My shield is with God, who saves the upright in heart.
- God is a righteous judge, and a God who feels indignation every day.
- 12 If a man does not repent, God will whet his sword; he has bent and readied his bow;
- he has prepared for him his deadly weapons, making his arrows fiery shafts.
- Behold, the wicked man conceives evil and is pregnant with mischief and gives birth to lies.
- He makes a pit, digging it out, and falls into the hole that he has made.
- His mischief returns upon his own head, and on his own skull his violence descends.
- I will give to the LORD the thanks
  due to his righteousness,
  and I will sing praise to the name of the LORD,
  the Most High.

## We Worship the Lord Together

## Praise the LORD in Scripture

Psalm 9

Leader Sing praises to the LORD, who sits enthroned in Zion! Tell among the peoples His deeds!

Congregation For He who avenges blood is mindful of them; He does not forget the cry of the afflicted.

Leader Arise, O LORD! Let not man prevail; let the nations be judged before You!

Congregation Put them in fear, O LORD! Let the nations know that they are but men!

Sing praises to the LORD!

#### Praise the LORD in Song

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Let us love and sing and wonder Let us praise the Savior's name He has hushed the law's loud thunder He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame He has washed us with His blood (x3) He has brought us nigh to God

Let us love the Lord who bought us Pitied us when enemies Called us by His grace and taught us Gave us ears and gave us eyes He has washed us with His blood (x3) He presents our souls to God

Let us sing though fierce temptation Threatens hard to bear us down For the Lord our strong salvation Holds in view the conqu'ror's crown He who washed us with His blood (x3) Soon will bring us home to God

Let us wonder grace and justice Join and point to mercy's store

When through grace in Christ our trust is

Justice smiles and asks no more

He who washed us with His blood (x3)

Has secured our way to God

Let us praise and join the chorus Of the saints enthroned on high Here they trusted Him before us Now their praises fill the sky

Thou hast washed us with Thy blood (x3)

Thou art worthy Lamb of God

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## **Pastoral Prayer**

#### Praise the LORD for our Children

Children's Lesson

## Praise the LORD in Giving

Offering

#### Scripture Reading & Sermon

Psalm 7:1–17

## Praise the LORD in Song

Psalm 46 (Lord of Hosts)

O come behold the works of God The nations at His feet He breaks the bow and bends the spear And tells the wars to cease O Mighty One of Israel You are on our side

We walk by faith In God who burns the chariots with fire

CHORUS

Lord of hosts You're with us with us in the fire With us as a Shelter With us in the storm You will lead us Through the fiercest battle Oh where else would we go But with the Lord of hosts

O God of Jacob fierce and great
You lift Your voice to speak
The earth it bows
And all the mountains move into the sea
O Lord You know the hearts of men
And still You let them live
O God who makes the mountains melt
Come wrestle us and win
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## Respond through Declaring our Faith

The Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q.8. How does God execute his decrees?

A. God executes his decrees in the works of creation and providence.

Ps. 148:8; Isa. 40:26; Dan. 4:35; Acts 4:24-28, Rev. 4:11.

Q.9. What is the work of creation?

A. The work of creation is, God's making all things of nothing, by the word of his power, in the space of six days, and all very good.

Gen. 1; Heb. 11:3.

#### Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Confession of Sin Holy Father, 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; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Grow and strengthen us that we may delight in Your will, and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon "For You, O LORD, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call

upon You." All who are in Christ are forgiven and fully loved by God.

#### Receive the LORD's Supper

How Great Thou Art

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the works Thy hands have made I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed

**CHORUS** 

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee How great Thou art, how great Thou art Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee How great Thou art, how great Thou art

When through the woods and forest glades I wander And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

And when I think that God His Son not sparing Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing He bled and died to take away my sin

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart Then I shall bow in humble adoration And there proclaim: my God, how great Thou art

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#### Receive the Benediction

#### **Announcements:**

- Join us for a picnic at Barfield Park after worship today! We will eat together and hear about the fall semester plans for Sunday school and more.
- 2. Sunday school for adults, youth, and kids will kick off on August 10th after worship! If you have questions or are interested in serving in one of these ministries, please see Martha Long or Pastor Paul.
- Elder Greg Brinkmann and Sue Brinkmann will be on sabbatical until January 1st. Please pray for their rest and 3. refreshment during this time.



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Monthly Financial Update		
Fiscal Year beginning January 1, 2025 as of June 23, 2025		
Anticipated Giving YTD	\$92,579.65	
Actual Giving YTD	\$82,035.20	
Difference YTD	-\$10,544.45	

Operations—2025 Annual Budget \$195,327		
Current Operations Reserve*	\$46,480	
*Reserve = funds over and above 2.5 months of budgeted operating expenses		
Defined Savings		
Building Fund	\$81,073	
Other Defined Savings	\$24,399	

