



Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Morning Service: 11:00 a.m.

Evening Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

Calaveras Presbyterian Church is currently meeting at the theater of Bret Harte High School, 323 S. Main St., Angels Camp, California. CPC is a congregation of the Reformed Presbyterian Church – Hanover Presbytery.

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HYMN OF THE MONTH: IF IT HAD NOT BEEN FOR THE LORD

If it had not been for the Lord...on our side
When strong raging floods surrounded us
We'd be surely crushed beneath the waves of sin
If it had not been for...If it had not been for the Lord

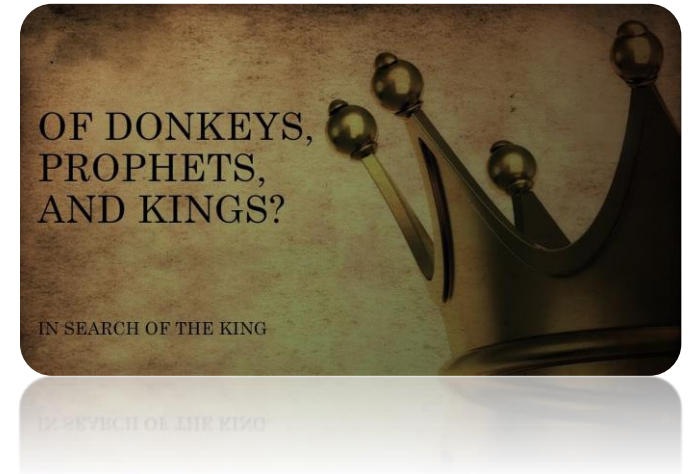
If it had not been for the Lord...on our side
When dry desert plains had wearied us
But for grace we'd still be wandering in those lands
If it had not been for...If it had not been for the Lord

CHORUS: Our hope our help from age to age the same
Our God our rock most worthy to be praised
From this mount of grace our grateful hearts will sing...evermore...
If it had not been for the Lord

If it had not been for the Lamb...on that cross
Where love full and free reached down to us
There would be no peace with God, no peace with man
If it had not been for...If it had not been for the Lord. **(CHORUS)**

If it had not been for the Lord...on that day
Before heaven's throne, what would we say
There with endless wonder we will shout Amen
If it had not been for...If it had not been for the Lord **(CHORUS)**

Calaveras Presbyterian Church



The Lord's Day, May 21, 2023

To equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ....” — Ephesians 4:12-13

THE MORNING LITURGY

Announcements

Hymn of the Month: (see back page)

*God's Call to Worship: Psalm 138

*Prayer of Invocation

*God's Greeting: Isaiah 44:6

*Hymn of Praise: 75 – "O Father, You Are Sovereign"

Reading and Exposition of the Law: Exodus 10:1-17

**Corporate and Individual (Silent) Prayers of Confession

*God's Assurance of Pardon: I John 4:1-10

*Response of the Congregation: "THANKS BE TO GOD."

*Hymn of Thanksgiving: "Living Hope" (see next page)

Confession of Faith: Nicene Creed; Westminster Larger Catechism 70-71

Congregational Prayer

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offering Hymn: 432 vs. 1-2 – "We Give Thee but Thine Own"

*Hymn of Preparation: 709 – "Now I Belong to Jesus"

Children's Message

Scripture Lesson: I Samuel 9-10

Prayer of Illumination

Proclamation of God's Word: "Donkeys and a King"

*Hymn of Response: 167 – "Jesus Christ Be Praised"

*God's Benediction

*Doxology: 731 – "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

**CONGREGATION STANDING **IF ABLE AND SO INCLINED, WORSHIPERS MAY KNEEL*

EVENING SERVICE AND STUDY – 6:30 PM

Invitation to Worship and Study: Psalter Reading 80 (TH 813)

Hymn: 349 – "O Thou Who the Shepherd of Israel Art"

Opening Prayer

Teaching Lesson – "Church History: Coloring Outside the Lines: The Age of

Catholic Christianity, Part 2 of 7"

Singspiration: Favorite Hymns

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our annual CPC Memorial Day Picnic will be held Monday, May 29, at Mountain Ranch Park. Everyone is welcome for food, games, patriotic program, and fellowship! Bring a dish or two to share, but bring your own beverages. Hotdogs, buns, condiments, and plates/tableware will be provided. Gathering begins at 11:00 a.m. Program and lunch begins at 12:00 noon.

A **lifeskills form** has been created where you will be able to list your, your spouse's and your children's skills and employments (use separate form for each family member.) We hope to create an internal business and support network directory that will make all of our lives easier and more beneficial for the kingdom. Go to tinyurl.com/lifeskillsregistry.

The next **Cadet** meeting will be this Saturday, May 27th. The meetings will be at Chalcedon Chapel, 3900 Hwy. 4, Vallecito. On June 24th, Cadets will be racing their Pinewood Derby Cars.

ADVANCED NOTICE:

- On **July 9**, we will need to vacate the theater as quickly as possible following the morning service. Trash will need to be removed, but we can otherwise leave things set up for the following week. Facilities Director Dave Duggan will not be available for the evening service, so we will meet at the home of the Loverins for a hymnsing.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:

- **SNACKS NEXT SUNDAY:** Darlene Rushdoony. **June 4:** Sarah Jack.
- **NURSERY: Today** – Summer & Bella Gilstrap. **Next Sunday** – Brittany Duggan & Jocelyn Joubert.

LIVING HOPE

How great the chasm that lay between us, How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation, I turned to heaven, And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness, Your loving-kindness, Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished, the end is written, Jesus Christ, my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy? What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory, To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven, The King of kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever, Jesus Christ, my living hope

Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free, Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain, There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope. **(REPEAT)**

Then came the morning that sealed the promise, Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion, Declared the grave has no claim on me
Then came the morning that sealed the promise, Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion, Declared the grave has no claim on me
Jesus, Yours is the victory!

Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free, Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain, There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope **(REPEAT)**
Jesus Christ, my living hope, Oh God, You are my living hope.