

July 25th Bulletin

Prelude

Announcements (will be on Facebook Live screen)

Call to Worship:

Pastor: I waited patiently for the Lord

People: He inclined to me and heard my cry

Pastor: He drew me up from the desolate pit

People: And set my feet upon a rock

Opening Hymn #362 *"Morning Has Broken"*

Opening Prayer and Prayer of Confession

Children's Sermon: Charlene Campbell

Scripture: Psalm 1 OT page 489

Sermon: Trees Planted By Streams

Time of Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil:

for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.

Amen.

Closing Hymn #126 *"O Come, Let Us Adore Him"*

Offering Reminder (*online giving is available at www.cedarvilleunited.org*)

Charge and Blessing

Benediction #820 *"Amen"* Threefold Danish

Postlude

Sermon Notes:

INTRODUCTION

- Look at the psalms
- Psalm 51
- Paired it with Kingdom of God
- What does it mean to live a righteous life?

WHAT IS THE KINGDOM OF GOD?

- Gospel message...obeying Jesus
- Different from life before...
- Something that is ongoing here on earth...

TREES PLANTED BY STREAMS

- Jesus is the Living Water
- When we place ourselves in good soil next to the Living Water, and allow the Word to irrigate us, we grow
- How do we find blessings?
 - Do not follow the advice of the wicked
 - Do not take the paths that sinners tread
 - Do not sit in the seat of scoffers
 - Delight in God

STAND ON THE ROCK – Matthew 7:24-27

²⁴ “Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. ²⁵ The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house; yet it did not fall, because it had its foundation on the rock. ²⁶ But everyone who hears these words of mine and does not put them into practice is like a foolish man who built his house on sand. ²⁷ The rain came down, the streams rose, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell with a great crash.”

Opening Hymn #362 *“Morning Has Broken”*

Morning has broken like the first morning, blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain’s new fall sunlit from heaven, like the first dewfall on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning born of the one light Eden saw play!
Praise with elation, praise every morning, God’s re-creation of the new day!

Closing Hymn #126 *“O Come, Let Us Adore Him”*

O come, let us adore him; O come, let us adore him; O come, let us adore him,
Christ the Lord.

We’ll praise his name forever. We’ll praise his name forever. We’ll praise his name forever,
Christ the Lord.

We’ll give him all the glory. We’ll give him all the glory. We’ll give him all the glory,
Christ the Lord.

For he alone is worthy. For he alone is worthy. For he alone is worthy,
Christ the Lord.

Benediction #820 *“Amen”* Threefold Danish

Amen, Amen, Amen