



Eternal God for Everlasting Souls

Fairview Reformed Presbyterian Church

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Worship to the Eternal God

Today we continue an on-again-off-again worship liturgy series: God of Biblical Glory.
Each week we worship God for one of his attributes. Today: Unlike man, God is eternal.

FELLOWSHIP GREETING – “Greet one another” (Romans 16:6)

CALL TO WORSHIP – Job 36:26

*“Behold, God is great, and we know him not;
the number of his years is unsearchable.”*

CONFESSION OF FAITH – Westminster Question 4: What is God?

**A: “God is a spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being,
wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.”**

*SONGS OF WORSHIP “Everlasting God”
“O Lord, our Rock and Our Redeemer”

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND INVOCATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Psalm 90 (p. 630)

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Revelation 21:5-8 (p. 1327)

PAUSE TO REFLECT ON THE ETERNAL NATURE OF GOD.

CONFESSION OF LIMITATION AND SIN – Psalm 90:10

“Eternal God, we confess that we are limited by time, space, and knowledge. We are not God. But like Adam and Eve, we believed we could be. To be everywhere. To know everything. And to live forever on our own good behavior. But Jesus says that without Him we can do nothing. It is by grace we are saved. Forgive us for our pride. Remind us of our limits. And use us within those limits to live for Your glory. By the blood of your Son, Jesus Christ, who alone gives eternal life, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GRACE: John 11:25-26

“Jesus said to her, ‘I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?’”

*HYMN OF ASSURANCE “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER

*SCRIPTURE READING..... Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (p. 192)

**PRAYER OF ENLIGHTENMENT

MESSAGE “Direction for Covenant Parents”

*HYMN OF RESPONSE..... “He Will Hold Me Fast”

BENEDICTION

PARTING HYMN “On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand”

*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

**CHILDREN AGES 4 THRU 1ST GRADE,
CHILDREN’S WORSHIP IS AVAILABLE

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Songs for Worship

1 | Everlasting God

1. Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord

We will wait upon the Lord, We will wait upon the Lord
Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord, We will wait upon the Lord.

Chorus: *Our God You reign forever
Our Hope, our strong deliv'rer.*

*You are the everlasting God The everlasting God.
You do not faint You won't grow weary.
You're the defender of the weak
You comfort those in need
You lift us up on wings like eagles.*

2. Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord

We will wait upon the Lord, We will wait upon the Lord
Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord, We will wait upon the Lord.

Chorus

2 | O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer

1. O Lord my Rock and my Redeemer

Greatest treasure of my longing soul
My God, like You there is no other
True delight is found in You alone.
Your grace a well to deep to fathom
Your love exceeds the heavens' reach
Your truth a fount of perfect wisdom
My highest good and my unending need.

2. O Lord my Rock and Redeemer

Strong defender of my weary heart
My sword to fight the cruel deceiver
And my shield against his hateful darts.
My song, when enemies surround me
My hope, when tides of sorrow rise
My joy, when trials are bounding
Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night.

3. O Lord my Rock and my Redeemer

Gracious Savior of my ruined life
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders
In my place You suffered bled and died
You rose, the grave and death are conquered
You broke my bonds of sin and shame
Oh Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,
May all my days bring glory to Your name.

5 | On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand

On Christ the solid rock I stand,
All other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand!

3 | Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

1. What a fellowship, what a joy divine
Leaning on the everlasting arms.
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine
Leaning on the everlasting arms

**Leaning, leaning
Safe and secure from all alarms
Leaning, leaning
Leaning on the everlasting arms.**

2. Oh how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way
Leaning on the everlasting arms
O how bright the path grows from day to day
Leaning on the everlasting arms. **Chorus**

3. What have I to dread? What have I to fear?
Leaning on the everlasting arms.
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near.
Leaning on the everlasting arms. **Chorus.**

4 | He Will Hold Me Fast

1. When I fear my faith will fail

Christ will hold me fast;
When the tempter would prevail
He will hold me fast.
I could never keep my hold
through life's fearful path;
For my love is often cold
He must hold me fast.

**Chorus: He will hold me fast,
He will hold me fast
For my Savior loves me so,
He will hold me fast.**

2. Those He saves are His delight

Christ will hold me fast;
Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast;
He'll not let my soul be lost
His promises shall last;
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast. **Chorus**

3. For my life He bled and died

Christ will hold me fast;
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast;
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast;
Till our faith is turned to sight
When He comes at last.

Chorus 2X

Welcome

Welcome to worship. We are pleased you chose to worship with us today. If you have any questions about God, the Bible, or our church, or would just like to say hello, please talk with Pastor Jeff.

Nursery is available. See or call JoAnna with any questions. 724-601-7153.

- **Children's Worship**, led by Charity te Velde & Helper Titus te Velde

The Lord's Day –

9:30am – Sunday Education Hour

Sunday School opens at 9:30am in the sanctuary.

Sunday School Superintendent: Kara Masters

Kids and Youth Classes

Toddlers thru Pre-K: Room LL 203 Marie Fowler,
Diane Justice & Marci Thoman

K thru 1st: Room LL302 - Linda Lyden & JoAnna Zehnder
& Hannah Claerbaut

2nd thru 4th: Room LL204 – Amy Hardesty & Jodi Billheimer

5th thru 8th: Library – Heidi Shepler

9th thru 12th: Rosh Raines & Naomi Oosting

Adult Classes

A Study of Daniel – Led by Stephen Hapach
(Video Room)

Confessing the Faith – Led by Ben Hardesty
(Fellowship Hall)

Sunday Worship

10:45am Morning Worship – We continue with our third and final message on one of the highest and hardest callings in life: Parenting. “Direction for Covenant Parenting” (Deuteronomy 6:1-9). Parenting is one of the most highly moralized yet least understood responsibilities of our lives. Is everything people regularly say about ‘good parenting’ something parents ‘must’ do? With so much conflicting noise about parents and children, is there *anything* that can be said absolutely? Enter the Holy God of Scripture. Rejoice: God has revealed His will for parents.

Want to prepare devotionally? Read 2 or 3 of the following: Genesis 1:27-28, 18:16-21 & 19:30-38, Deuteronomy 5:16 & 6:1-9, Psalm 78:1-8, Psalm 100, Psalm 127, Proverbs 4:23, 22:6, 13:24, 23:22-25 and 29:17; Matthew 19:13-15, Ephesians 6:1-4, Colossians 3:18-21, and / or 3 John 1:4. All have something important to say about parenting.

6pm Evening Worship – We have a very special guest, a missionary visit. – We welcome Calvin and Geeta from a sensitive country. We have supported them for a long, long time. But we have not heard from them for maybe 8 years. You will not want to miss.

This Week

Monday

10am Bowling – All welcome! Calcutta lanes.

Tuesday

7pm Men's Bible Study – They are studying the book of Acts.

Wednesday

10am Ladies Bible Study – We are doing the “At His Feet” study of Romans. We are on study 21; “Preach the Good News” Romans 10:14-21. Babysitting available.

6:30pm-8:00pm Covenant Kids – ages 4yrs. – 5 grade. Grades 1-5 are continuing with the “New City Catechism.” Kindergarten: Top 50 memory verses.

6:30pm-8:30pm The Rock – youth 6th – 12th grade. meets for a time of games, worship, Bible study and snacks. We will be doing a study on Evangelism.

6:30 pm Bible Study & Weekly Prayer Meeting – We are using the book of Acts to guide our prayer.

Next Sunday

9:30am Sunday School & Adult Education Hour –

We provide Sunday morning education classes for all ages, toddler through adult. Join us for the opening in the sanctuary before heading off to class.

10:45am Morning Worship – Next week we return to the book of Matthew. There, to be disciplined by Jesus in his teaching. How should a Christian live? Next week, Jesus talks about the ‘Stuff of Life’.

6pm Evening Worship – Next week in the evening, we return to evening worship. We worship with songs of worship, prayer, and preaching.

Congregational Announcements

CPR/AED Class - Fairview Church will be hosting a CPR/AED class on **April 26, 2025 at 9:00am**. This training class will be free for anyone attending Fairview Church. If you are interested in attending, please fill out the sign-up sheet located in the vestibule on the information table. Any questions may be directed to the Fairview Deacons.

Easter Flowers – We would like to decorate the sanctuary for the Easter services with flowers, to help display the glory of the resurrection. Simply purchase flowers, bring them to the church on Thursday, April 17 and set them on a display behind the pulpit. If you wish to commemorate someone, fill out the information slip and return it in the offering plate or to the church office by Sunday, April 6.

Church Cleaning and Workday – Saturday, May 17 at 9am. This day is set aside as cleaning and maintenance day on the church building. Lunch will be provided. Signup sheet coming later.

VBS Volunteer Sheet - Fill out the volunteer sheet and return it in the offering plate or place in Bre Hooks' mailcan by Sunday, April 20.

Vacation Bible School children and adults...3.....2.....1....
BLAST OFF! Join your Space Crew to make several stops at different Space Stations to learn about God's Sola System of Salvation! "For by grace, you have been saved by faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." – Ephesians 2:8-10 **Mark your calendars now!** You are not going to want to miss the Sola System **June 9-13, 2025** from 9am to Noon. Registration will open soon for children ages 4yrs. old through completed 6th grade.

Local summer mission opportunities through CEF of Beaver County! If you enjoy working with children, desire to share the gospel, and want to grow in your spiritual life, we have mission opportunities for you this summer!

1 CYIA - Christian Youth in Action – Would you like to do something with your summer that could have an eternal impact? If so, consider Child Evangelism Fellowship's Christian Youth in Action program. Growing Christians ages 14 and up will be making an eternal impact in the lives of children by teaching/leading 5-Day Clubs. You can be a part of our CYIA team and help reach kids for Christ here in Beaver County as you serve as a local summer missionary. You will receive excellent training before you begin your exciting summer with your teammates. Be ready for a summer to grow spiritually & personally as you commit to sharing the Gospel. For more information and an application (**due by April 1, 2025**), contact Ms. Edie Chaffee at 724-494-9448 or beavercountycef@gmail.com.

2 Good News Day Camp - Aug. 4-8 & 11-15 from 9:30-2:30 at Prayer Mountain in Darlington PA, experience the best weeks of summer! Children from all over Beaver County will be attending and you can help mentor, serve, and show the love of Christ in various capacities. Contact Edie Chaffee for more information 724-508-0757 or beavercountycef@gmail.com.

CEF Walkathon – Child Evangelism Fellowship of Beaver County welcomes you to join us for our 5th Annual Walkathon! May 31, 2025, 10am-12pm at the Bradys' Run Walking loop. Bring the whole family for an enjoyable morning of live music, raffle baskets, kids zone with face painting & bounce house, free snacks, & fun for all ages.

SAVE THE DATE! July 5-12, 2025 Impact West Virginia (Fairmont) Short-Term mission project with Long Term vision! \$50.00 deposit is required to "confirm" your registration. All ages and stages of life are welcome (13 and below will need a parent attending).

Interested? Please sign up in the vestibule by April 1st. Any questions, contact Marie Fowler (724-630-9059).

MNA Disaster Response Team Mission Trip – Rome, GA. July 6- 11 2025. This is a low cost mission trip in that the MNA Warehouse does not charge for us to come. We have secured an AirBNB that will house 12 people. We will meet by the end of March to make our menu. Our total cost per person will include transportation, housing and food. After we make our menu, the total cost per person will be shared with those attending. The best guesstimate (until we solidify plans) should be under \$500 per person. Sign-up in the vestibule.

Easter Services

Palm Sunday ~ April 13 at 10:45am We remember Jesus' victorious entry in Jerusalem. "Hosanna in the highest heaven!" **12:30pm Communicants luncheon** We will be celebrating receiving the Communicants Class, Joel Miller and Carson Rhodes as new members. Families of the Communicants will be hosting the luncheon following the morning worship service. Meat and cake will be provided, they are asking the church families to bring a side dish to share. All are welcome! **No Evening Service.**

Maundy Thursday Preparatory Service ~ April 17 @ 7:00 pm

Maundy Thursday remembers the evening before Jesus was crucified. Jesus began the Lord's supper and humbly washed His disciples' feet.

Joint Good Friday Communion Service ~ April 18 @ 7:00 pm

This year, our 5 area PCA churches are holding a joint Good Friday Communion Service here at Fairview. Pastor Scott Moreland, from Christ Presbyterian will preach. Please bring cookies or a dessert to share.

Resurrection Sunday ~ April 20 @ 7am Sunrise Service – Let us join with those who came early in the morning and discover Jesus is risen. Let us worship Christ on this day with great joy and celebration.

Following the service, a lite breakfast will be offered in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a breakfast dish, pastries, or fruit to share. Beverages will be provided.

9:30am Sunday Education Hour

10:45am Morning Worship Service

Let us all gather at this service as a witness to this world and to God about our faith in Jesus Christ the resurrected Son of God.

Spend the rest of the day with family and friends celebrating this super Sunday, or in reflection or prayer. There will be **no evening service** to allow more time for family and personal celebration.

Every Sunday is Easter. He is risen, He is risen indeed.

Worship Helpers

Worship Leader**Jeff Lyden**
Audio-Visual**Paul Hardesty & Grace Billheimer**
Musicians.....**Hannah Claerbaut & Josh Sullivan**
Vocalist..... **Hannah Forton**
Children's Worship**Charity & Titus te Velde**
Nursery.....**JoAnna & Ayla Zehnder**
Greeters.....**Ryan & Misty Miller & Sons**
Ushers**Brad Billheimer, Gideon te Velde**
Josiah te Velde & William Phillips

Next Week's Helpers

Worship Leader**Mark Oosting**
Audio-Visual.....**Grace Billheimer & Gideon teVelde**
Musicians.....**Linda D'Angelo, Hannah Claerbaut**
& Amy Hardesty
Vocalist.....**Lindsey Hollabaugh**
Nursery.....**Kim & Bethany Forton**
Greeters.....**Scott & Heidi Shepler**
Ushers.....**Chase Thoman, Josh Chaffee**
Stephen Hapach & Ethan Masters

Sermon Notes

"Direction for Covenant Parenting"

Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (p. 192)

God has granted you the privilege of looking after your children.
What two things does God require of parents?

(1) _____

(2) Active _____



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