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## **Order of Worship**

**Children & Adults Sunday School is at 09:15 Weekly**

**Welcome & Announcements:**

**Opening Scripture: Genesis 18:15-19 & Acts 3:22-26**

**Prayer:**

**Hymn 1: "My Heart is Filled with Thankfulness"**

**Hymn 2: "Before the Throne"**

**Corporate Reading: 1 John 5:1-12**

**Hymn 3: "Nothing But the Blood"**

**Hymn 4: "Behold Our God"**

**Offering/Hymn 5: "Jesus I My Cross Have Taken"**

**Sermon: Pastor Kevin**

**Text: John 17:5-8**

**Title: "Which One: The World or Jesus?"**

**Closing Hymn 6: "Only a Holy God"**

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## Upcoming Events

**Jan. 29<sup>th</sup>**, There will be a members meeting right after the service today for the annual church update.

**Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>** Ladies Fellowship Dinner at Mojo's Tacos in Thompson Station more info below.

**Feb. 1<sup>st</sup>** 6:30 AM Wednesday morning, the men in the church are invited to meet together with Pastor Kevin to pray for each other at a NEW location! We will be meeting at 1220 School Street in Spring Hill. Please turn into the parking lot behind the Old High School off Duplex Rd. next to the Peek Pool and Spas building. There is an outside entrance to the room where we'll be meeting. We will be reading the book "When Helping Hurts."

**Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>** 6:00 PM Thursday is our Fellowship Dinner and Sermon Discussion . Bring your own Dinner. Fellowship Hall Northside Baptist Church 127 Theta Pike in North Columbia behind the Kroger Market.

**Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>** Communion 

### Ladies' Fellowship Dinner

**When:** This Tuesday, January 31 Time: 5-8pm

**Where:** Mojo's Tacos  
2000 Tollgate Blvd  
Unit 201

Thompsons Station, just north of 840 off Hwy 31

**What:** We'll enjoy Tex-Mex food, maybe meet someone new, and hear about some ladies' events for the new year.

**Please Don't miss it!**

(Need more info contact Dorine Pine.)

### Announcements:

If you'd like a copy of the prayer directory for personal use, or to be included in the directory, please talk to Paul or Mary Mefferd.

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### Opening Scripture: Genesis 18:15-19 & Acts 3:22-26

<sup>15</sup> But Sarah denied it, saying, “I did not laugh,” for she was afraid. He said, “No, but you did laugh.” <sup>16</sup> Then the men set out from there, and they looked down toward Sodom. And Abraham went with them to set them on their way. <sup>17</sup> The Lord said, “Shall I hide from Abraham what I am about to do, <sup>18</sup> seeing that Abraham shall surely become a great and mighty nation, and all the nations of the earth shall be blessed in him? <sup>19</sup> For I have chosen him, that he may command his children and his household after him to keep the way of the Lord by doing righteousness and justice, so that the Lord may bring to Abraham what he has promised him.”

#### Acts

<sup>22</sup> Moses said, ‘The Lord God will raise up for you a prophet like me from your brothers. You shall listen to him in whatever he tells you. <sup>23</sup> And it shall be that every soul who does not listen to that prophet shall be destroyed from the people.’ <sup>24</sup> And all the prophets who have spoken, from Samuel and those who came after him, also proclaimed these days. <sup>25</sup> You are the sons of the prophets and of the covenant that God made with your fathers, saying to Abraham, ‘And in your offspring shall all the families of the earth be blessed. <sup>26</sup> God, having raised up his servant, sent him to you first, to bless you by turning every one of you from your wickedness.’

*Hymn 1:*

*“My Heart is Filled with Thankfulness”*

- 1. My heart is filled with thankfulness  
To Him who bore my pain;  
Who plumbed the depths of my  
disgrace  
And gave me life again;  
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness  
And clothed me in His light  
And wrote His law of righteousness  
With pow'r upon my heart.**
- 2. My heart is filled with thankfulness  
To Him who walks beside;  
Who floods my weaknesses with  
strength  
And causes fears to fly;  
Whose ev'ry promise is enough  
For ev'ry step I take,  
Sustaining me with arms of love  
And crowning me with grace.**
- 3. My heart is filled with thankfulness  
To him who reigns above,  
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace,  
Whose ev'ry thought is love.  
For ev'ry day I have on earth  
Is given by the King;  
So I will give my life, my all,  
To love and follow him.**

*Hymn 2:*  
*"Before The Throne of God Above"*

**1. Before the throne of God above  
I have a strong and perfect plea  
A great High Priest whose name is love  
Who ever lives and pleads for me  
My name is graven on His hands,  
My name is written on His heart  
I know that while in heav'n He stands  
No tongue can bid me thence depart  
No tongue can bid me thence depart**

**2. When Satan tempts me to despair  
And tells me of the guilt within  
Upward I look and see Him there  
Who made an end to all my sin  
Because the sinless Savior died  
My sinful soul is counted free  
For God, the Just, is satisfied  
To look on Him and pardon me  
To look on Him and pardon me**

**3. Behold Him there, the risen Lamb,  
My perfect, spotless righteousness  
The great unchangeable I AM,  
The King of Glory and of Grace  
One with Himself I can not die,  
My soul is purchased by His blood  
My life is hid with Christ on high  
With Christ my Savior and my God  
With Christ my Savior and my God**

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Corporate Reading: 1 John 5:1-12

**Leader** <sup>1</sup> Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him.

**Congregation** <sup>2</sup> By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments.

**Leader** <sup>3</sup> For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome.

**Congregation:** <sup>4</sup> For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world our faith. <sup>5</sup> Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

**Leader** <sup>6</sup> This is he who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. <sup>7</sup> For there are three that testify: <sup>8</sup> the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree. <sup>9</sup> If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater, for this is the testimony of God that he has borne concerning his Son. <sup>10</sup> Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself. Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son. <sup>11</sup> And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. <sup>12</sup> Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

*Hymn 3: "Nothing But the blood"*

**1. What can wash away my sin?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus  
What can make me whole again?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus**

**[Chorus]**

**O precious is the flow  
That makes me white as snow  
No other fount I know  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus**

**2. For my pardon this I see;  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus  
For my cleansing this my plea;  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus**

**[Chorus]**

**3. Nothing can for sin atone  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus  
Naught of good that I have done  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus**

**[Chorus]**

**4. This is all my hope and peace  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus  
This is all my righteousness  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus...**

**[Chorus]**

*Hymn 4: "Behold Our God"*

**1. Who has held the oceans in His hands?  
Who has numbered every  
grain of sand?  
Kings and nations tremble at  
His voice all creation rises to rejoice**

**[Chorus]**

**Behold our God, seated on His throne  
Come, let us adore Him  
Behold our King, nothing can compare  
Come, let us adore Him!**

**2. Who has given counsel to the Lord?  
Who can question any of His words?  
Who can teach the One who knows all  
things? Who can fathom  
all His wondrous deeds?**

**[Chorus]**

**3. Who has felt the nails upon His hands  
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man?  
God eternal, humbled to the grave  
Jesus, Savior, risen now to reign!**

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**You will reign forever  
Let Your glory fill the earth**

**[Chorus]**

*Hymn 5: "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"*

**1. Jesus, I my cross have taken,  
All to leave and follow Thee.  
Destitute, despised, forsaken, Thou from  
hence my all shall be. Perish every fond  
ambition, All I've sought or hoped or  
known. Yet how rich is my condition!  
God and heaven are still my own.**

**2. Let the world despise and leave me,  
They have left my Savior, too. Human  
hearts and looks deceive me; Thou art  
not like them, untrue. O while Thou dost  
smile upon me, God of wisdom, love and  
might, Foes may hate and friends disown  
me, Show thy face and all is bright.**

**3. Man may trouble and distress me,  
'Twill but drive me to Thy breast. Life  
with trials hard may press me; Heaven  
will bring me sweeter rest. Oh, 'tis not in  
grief to harm me, While Thy love is left  
to me; Oh, 'twere not in  
joy to charm me,  
Were that joy unmixed with Thee.**

**4. Go, then, earthly fame and treasure,  
Come, disaster, scorn and pain In thy  
service, pain is pleasure, With thy favor,  
loss is gain I have called Thee, 'Abba,  
Father,' I have stayed my heart on Thee  
Storms may howl, and clouds may  
gather; All must work for good to me.**

**5. Soul, then know thy full salvation, Rise  
o'er sin and fear and care Joy to find in  
every station, Something still to do or  
bear. Think what Spirit dwells within  
thee, Think what Father's smiles are  
thine, Think that Jesus died to win thee,  
Child of heaven, canst thou repine?**

**6. Haste thee on from grace to glory,  
Armed by faith, and winged by prayer.  
Heaven's eternal days before thee, God's  
own hand shall guide thee there. Soon  
shall close thy earthly mission, Soon  
shall pass thy pilgrim days, Hope shall  
change to glad fruition, Faith to sight,  
and prayer to praise.**

## **Sermon: Kevin Morse**

**Text: ; John 17:5-8**

**Title: “Which One: The World or Jesus?”**



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### ***Pastor's Text John 17:5-8***

**<sup>5</sup>And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed.**

**<sup>6</sup>“I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word.”<sup>7</sup>Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you.<sup>8</sup> For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me.**

### **Outline:**

**I.**

**II.**

# Closing Hymn:

## *Hymn 6: "Only A Holy God"*

1. Who else commands all the  
hosts of heaven  
Who else could make every  
king bow down  
Who else can whisper and  
darkness trembles  
Only a Holy God
2. What other beauty demands  
such praises  
What other splendour outshines the sun  
What other majesty rules with justice  
Only a Holy God

### [Chorus]

Come and behold Him  
The One and the Only  
Cry out, sing holy  
Forever a Holy God  
Come and worship the Holy God

3. What other glory consumes like fire  
What other power can raise the dead  
What other name remains undefeated  
Only a Holy God

### [Chorus]

4. Who else could rescue  
me from my failing  
Who else would offer His only Son  
Who else invites me to call Him Father  
Only a Holy God  
Only my Holy God

### [Chorus]

### **Volunteer opportunities**

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