



Gathering God's People

Word of Welcome

"God be Merciful to Me (Psalm 51)"

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Original text from Psalter (1912, alt)

God be merciful to me
On Thy grace, I rest my plea
Plenteous in compassion Thou
Blot out my transgressions now

Chorus: Wash me, make me pure within
Cleanse, oh, cleanse me from my sin
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Cleanse, oh, cleanse me from my sin

Broken, humbled to the dust
By Thy wrath and judgment just
Let my contrite heart rejoice
And in gladness hear Thy voice

Chorus 2: From my sins, oh, hide Thy face
Blot them out in boundless grace
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Blot them out in boundless grace

Gracious God, my heart renew
Make my spirit right and true
Cast me not away from Thee
Let Thy Spirit dwell in me

Chorus 3: Thy salvation's joy impart
Steadfast make my willing heart
Thy salvation's joy impart
Steadfast make my willing heart

Sinners then shall learn from me
And return, O God, to Thee
Savior, all my guilt remove
And my tongue shall sing Thy love

Chorus 4: Touch my silent lips, O Lord
And my mouth shall praise accord
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Invitation and Response

Call to Worship

Isaiah 55:1, 3

Leader: "Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price...

People: ...Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David."

Prayer of Invocation

Congregational Singing with Gospel Renewal

"Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

arr. Fletcher / Paul / Wilkin

Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stands to save you, full of pity, love and pow'r.

Come, ye thirsty, come and welcome, God's free bounty glorify; True belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh.

Refrain: I will arise and go to Jesus, he will embrace me in his arms; In the arms of my dear Savior, O, there are ten thousand charms.

Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; All the
fitness he requireth is to feel your need of him.

Come, ye weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall; If you tarry till
you're better, you will never come at all.

Confession of Sin

Psalm 51:1-4a, 9-11

All: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!
For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.
Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your
sight.....Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities.
Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within
me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy
Spirit from me.

"Just as I Am (I Come Broken)"

Elliott/Moffitt/Smith/Cottrell/Bradbury

Just as I am, without one plea but that thy blood was shed for me, and
that thou bid'st me come to thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Just as I am, and waiting not to rid my soul of one dark blot, to thee,
whose blood can cleanse each spot, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Chorus: I come broken to be mended, I come wounded to be healed. I
come desperate to be rescued, I come empty to be filled. I come guilty to
be pardoned by the blood of Christ the Lamb. And I'm welcomed with
open arms, praise God, just as I am.

Just as I am, I would be lost, but mercy and grace my freedom bought.
And now to glory in your cross, O Lamb of God I come, I come.

Assurance of Pardon

2 Corinthians 3:4-6

Leader: Such is the confidence that we have through Christ toward God. Not that we are sufficient in ourselves to claim anything as coming from us, but our sufficiency is from God, who has made us competent to be ministers of a new covenant, not of the letter but of the Spirit. For the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.

Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

"All Sufficient Merit"

Barnard / Barnard / Fowler

All sufficient merit, shining like the sun. A fortune I inherit by no work I
have done.

My righteousness I forfeit at my Savior's cross, Where all sufficient merit
did what I could not.

In love He condescended, eternal now in time. A life without a blemish;
the Maker made to die.

The law could never save us; our lawlessness had won; Until the pure and
spotless Lamb had finally come.

Chorus: It is done, it is finished, No more debt I owe.

Paid in full, all sufficient Merit now my own.

I lay down my garments, any empty boast. Good works now all corrupted
by the sinful host.

I'm dressed in my Lord Jesus; A crimson robe made white. No more fear
of judgment; His righteousness is mine.

All sufficient merit, firm in life and death. The joy of my salvation shall be
my final breath.

When I stand accepted before the throne of God, I'll gaze upon my Jesus
and thank Him for the cross; Yes I'll thank Him for the cross.

Prayer of the People

Interlude

Culture Building

Greeting

Instruction in God's Word

Scripture Reading

Old Testament and Sermon Text: Psalm 51

Pastoral Introduction

Prayer of Illumination

Preaching Today: Jim Coffield

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Liturgy of the Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving

"All Sufficient Merit" (Reprise)

Chorus: It is done, it is finished, No more debt I owe.
Paid in full, all sufficient Merit now my own.

Benediction