



CROSS CREEK
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the LORD our Maker!*
for He is our God!

Psalm 95:6-7a

AUGUST 6, 2023
EVENING

Order of Worship

Greeting

Call to Worship

Psalm 31:23-24

Love the LORD, all you his saints! The LORD preserves the faithful but abundantly repays the one who acts in pride. Be strong, and let your heart take courage, all you who wait for the LORD!

Invocation

* Hymn Supplement pg. 2

“There Is a Higher Throne”

Affirmation of Faith: *Westminster Confession of Faith, 14.3, Saving Faith*

This faith is different in degrees, weak or strong; may be often and many ways assailed, and weakened, but gets the victory: growing up in many to the attainment of a full assurance, through Christ, who is both the author and finisher of our faith.

* Scripture Reading

New Testament: *Revelation 21:1-7* (Tears Wiped Away)

* **Pastor:** This is the Word of our God.

* **Congregation:** The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God stands forever.

Pastoral Prayer

* Hymn # 246

“Man of Sorrows! What a Name”

* Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Series: *Summer in the Psalms*

* **Sermon Text**

Psalm 6

* **Pastor:** Thus far the reading of God’s holy Word. And may God add His blessing to the reading of His Word.

* **Congregation:** Thanks be to God!

Sermon Title: “Tears of Trust”

Pastor Michael Mock

Prayer for Transformation

* **Psalm 6B** (on back cover)

“Be Gracious, LORD”

* **Benediction**

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Departing Hymn # 140

“Threefold Amen”

Amen. Amen. Amen.

Sermon Outline: *Psalm 6* “Tears of Trust”

The LORD does not rebuke but receives our tears of trust in him as Deliverer.

1. Tears (vv. 1-3, 6-7)

a. Sin (vv. 1-2)

b. Suffering (vv. 3, 6-7)

c. **Application:** Examine yourself.

2. Tears of Trust (vv. 1-2, 4, 9)

a. Divine Grace (vv. 1-2)

- b. Divine Love (v. 4)
- c. Divine Ears (v. 9)
- d. **Application:** Cry out to the only One who is eternally rich in grace.

3. Tears for Worship (v. 5)

- a. No Life after Death?
- b. **Application:** Worship in the affliction.

4. Tears for Justice (vv. 8-10)

- a. Psalm 5
- b. Matthew 7
- c. **Application:** Entrust your afflicted heart to the God of justice.

6B

Psalm 6

Be Gracious, LORD

*He had offered up prayers and supplications,
with vehement cries and tears. — Hebrews 5:7*

1. ^{1,2} Be gra - cious, LORD, re - buke me not in wrath,
2. ⁴ O LORD, re - turn to lib - er - ate my soul!
3. ⁶ I have grown wear - y with my sighs and moans;
4. ^{8,9} The LORD has heard, the LORD has heard my cries;

Nor in Your an - ger, for I waste a - way;
And for Your stead - fast love come now to save!
I cry and flood my bed with tears each night.
All e - vil - do - ers, go, de - part from me!

My bones, my soul are trou - bled— heal me, LORD!
⁵ For no one will re - mem - ber You in death,
⁷ Due to my grief and all my en - e - mies,
The LORD re - ceives each prayer I make to Him.

³ How long, O LORD, how long will You de - lay?
And who will glo - ri - fy You in the grave?
My weep - ing eyes grow weak and lose their sight.
¹⁰ Trou - bled and shamed, my foes leave sud - den - ly.