#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

To God Be The Glory # 449

#### **HYMN**

Breathe on Me, Breath Of God # 164

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Cleaning for February – Kevin & Kimberly

# CLOSING HYMN It Is Well With My Soul # 256

#### SEEK CHRIST NOT THE BLESSINGS

Since human beings are emotional creatures, we naturally seek things that make our emotions feel better. If that describes you, let me say again what I have said so many times: seek Christ. Don't seek peace for your heart. You may find peace where there is no peace. Seek Christ! If you find the Prince of Peace, you will have peace of heart. Don't seek assurance. You may find false assurance in your own works. Seek Christ! A believer will have complete assurance of salvation when we see Christ by faith. If you find Christ, you will find everything your soul, your heart, your mind, and your emotions will ever need.

- Frank Tate (Ashland, KY)

The only reason we perceive ourselves to be pretty good is because we only compare ourselves with people who are pretty bad.

#### - Henry Mahan

#### **JESUS, THE FRIEND OF SINNERS**

The charge of Christ's enemies is that he was "a friend of publicans and sinners" (Luke 7:34). They meant to hurt his reputation, but this is good news to needy sinners. We have no righteousness of our own (Romans 3:23). We cannot make a righteousness for ourselves by the law or through religious works (Romans 3:20). We need a complete Savior that saves his people from beginning to end by himself. Jesus of Nazareth is the sufficient Savior sent of the Father to save his people from their sins. If God has shown you your sin. Do not delay nor wait until you're better to come to Christ. You will never come in that case. Come to Christ just as you are: a sinner. Come to him for forgiveness and life by his grace. He receives all who come to him seeking mercy. He gives every spiritual blessing we need, including his Spirit to dwell in his people. All who come to Christ finds why the friend of sinners is so precious to all his people. Sinners shall never cease to find just how complete his salvation is.

- Eric Lutter (Nixa, MO)

Recently someone asked me again if, "God loves the sinner and hates their sin?" What a fruitless, pointless, useless concern. Apart from God's love, mercy, grace and forgiveness in the Lord Jesus Christ, God loves no sinner and hates all sin.

- David Eddmenson (Madisonville, KY)

The believer is a mere paradox, he is dead to the law, and "yet lives" to God; he is crucified with Christ, and yet lives by him; yea, a crucified Christ lives in him.

### **NOTES**

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# San Diego Grace Fellowship

"But we preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness; But unto them which are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God."

1Cor 1v23-24

## **February 18th, 2024**

#### **Service Times**

Sunday - 9:45 AM

- 10:30 AM

Wednesday - 6:30 PM

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