

Order of Worship
Evening Worship
April 25, 2021

Call to Worship: Psalm 138:4-5

Hymn #677 – Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him!

¹ Praise the Savior, ye who know him!
Who can tell how much we owe him?
Gladly let us render to him
All we are and have.

² Jesus is the name that charms us,
he for conflict fits and arms us;
nothing moves and nothing harms us
while we trust in him.

³ Trust in him, ye saints, forever,
he is faithful, changing never;
neither force nor guile can sever
those he loves from him.

⁴ Keep us, Lord, O keep us cleaving
to thyself and still believing,
till the hour of our receiving
promised joys with thee.

⁵ Then we shall be where we would be,
then we shall be what we should be;
things that are not now, nor could be,
soon shall be our own.

Invocation

Scripture Reading: I Samuel 13:1-14

Hymn #634 – Sweet Hour of Prayer

¹ Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer,
that calls me from a world of care,
and bids me at my Father's throne,
make all my wants and wishes known!
In seasons of distress and grief,
my soul has often found relief,
and oft escaped the tempter's snare,
by thy return, sweet hour of prayer.

² Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer,
the joys I feel, the bliss I share
of those whose anxious spirits burn
with strong desires for thy return!
With such I hasten to the place
where God, my Savior, shows his face,
and gladly take my station there,
and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer.

³ Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer,
thy wings shall my petition bear
to him, whose truth and faithfulness
engage the waiting the soul to bless:
and since he bids me seek his face,
believe his Word, and trust his grace,
I'll cast on him my ev'ry care,
and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer.

Scripture Reading: Acts 4:13-22

Title: Threat, Threat, Threat

Sermon Outline

I. The Court's Quandary (13-14)

A. The men

B. The message

II. The Court's Conclusion (15-18, 21-22)

A. The trouble

B. The threat

III. The Court's Correction (19-20)

A. Conflict of authority

B. Conflict of law

Hymn #164 – O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

¹ O for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace.

² My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
to spread through all the earth abroad
the honors of thy name.

³ Jesus, the name that charms our fears,
that bids our sorrows cease;
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life and health and peace.

⁴ He breaks the pow'r of reigning sin,
he sets the pris'ner free;
his blood can make the foulest clean,
his blood availed for me.

⁵ He speaks and, list'ning to his voice,
new life the dead receive;
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice;
the humble poor believe.

⁶ Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye dumb,
your loosen'd tongues employ;
ye blind, behold your Savior come;
and leap, ye lame, for joy.

Benediction