

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, January 20, 2013

*You who stand in the house of the LORD, In the courts of the house of our God, Praise the LORD, for the LORD is good; Sing praises to His name, for it is pleasant.* (Psalm 135:2,3)

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter 150B

**\*The Call to Worship**

**\*Confession of our need for God's grace** (Psalm 124:8):

*"Our help is in the name of the LORD, who made heaven and earth"*

**\*God's Welcome to His People**

**\*Psalm of Response** Psalter 135B (1,2)

**\*Opening Prayer**

**God's Law** Deuteronomy 32:1-4, 39-43

**Prayer of Confession and Praise** (God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 72:12-14)

**\*Psalm of Praise** Psalter 72A (all)

**Confession of Faith** (see back)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

**\*Song of Preparation** Psalter 119A (all)

**Scripture Reading:** Acts 28:1-10

**Sermon:** Acts 28:1-10

**\*Respond in Song** Psalter 91A (1,2,4)

**\*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)**

**\*(Moment of Silent Meditation)**

Sermon: Acts 28:1-10

*The ruling Lord turns expected tragedy into ministry.*

We see:

1. The expected tragedy of shipwreck and the unusual kindness of the natives.
2. The expected tragedy of a venomous snake bite and the suffering of no harm; in which the Lord also exposes superstition.
3. The expected tragedy of sickness and the healing by the Lord.

## CALENDAR

- Sundays: 10:00 AM—Worship Service.
- Sundays: after worship—Informal fellowship in food, singing, prayer, discussion and study.

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**OFFERINGS :**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

**BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER:** *(Let us know your needs for prayer!)*

**"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God"** (Phil. 4:6)

- Pray for our country and government, and persecuted church in the world.
- Pray for King's:
  - God's blessing on the testimony of King's: SermonAudio, our website, Good News Bible Study students: Myliesha Martinez (kidney donor) Willie Moor (growth in the Lord); Kendra Bullock (family, salv.); Bradley Fichter (biblical church to attend); Babara Bean (wisdom in dealing with alcoholic husband); Katherine Smith & Mary Holcomb (growth in obedience to God).
  - The Lord's blessing on joyful tithing/giving (in box on back table).
  - God's blessing in our work; and for Dave in his work of necessity.
  - Burrell's school (ministering to teachers & families; enrollment).
  - Elizabeth's son Daryl and Diana's brother Sean (salvation; protection from evil).
  - God's blessing on Andrea Modolo's visit this week and safety in returning (leaving this Friday, Jan. 25).
  - HEALTH: Roy's father (prostate cancer treatment; need of Gospel); Pastor Donnan (heart, eyes); Elizabeth Hicks (blood pressure); Kimberly (Dexter's daughter, heart problems); Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's); Jason (pancreas).
- Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.
  - Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters); Christ Covenant Church in Durand, Illinois (Rev. Gibson).
  - Reformed believers in South Africa (our covenant as Presbytery).
  - Fellowship group meeting in Italy—Giorgio Modolo.
- Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:
  - Reformed churches in Indonesia and Philippines.
  - The programs of study in College and Seminary; new enrollments.
  - Olga working on the Good News Bible Study in Russia.
  - RCM's financial and personnel needs.

The church is called to be a confessing church, that she may be,  
*the pillar and ground of the truth* (1Tim. 3:15,16)

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## **The Belgic Confession**

### **ARTICLE 23 – Our righteousness before God**

We believe that our blessedness lies in the forgiveness of our sins for Jesus Christ's sake and that therein our righteousness before God[1] consists, as David and Paul teach us. They speak of the blessedness of the man to whom God credits righteousness apart from works (Rom 4:6; Ps 32:1). The apostle also says that we are justified freely by His grace, through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus (Rom 3:24).[2]

Therefore we always hold to this firm foundation. We give all the glory to God,[3] humble ourselves before Him, and acknowledge ourselves to be what we are. We do not claim anything for ourselves or our merits,[4] but rely and rest on the only obedience of Jesus Christ crucified,[5] His obedience is ours when we believe in Him.[6]

This is sufficient to cover all our iniquities and to give us confidence in drawing near to God, freeing our conscience of fear, terror, and dread, so that we do not follow the example of our first father, Adam, who trembling tried to hide and covered himself with fig leaves.[7] For indeed, if we had to appear before God, relying – be it ever so little – on ourselves or some other creature, (woe be to us!) we would be consumed.[8] Therefore everyone must say with David, O Lord, do not bring Your servant into judgment, for no one living is righteous before You (Ps 143:2).

1. 1 Jn 2:1.    2. 2 Cor 5:18, 19; Eph 2:8; 1 Tim 2:6.    3. Ps 115:1; Rev 7:10-12.  
4. 1 Cor 4:4; Jas 2:10.    5. Acts 4:12; Heb 10:20.    6. Rom 4:23-25.  
7. Gen 3:7; Zeph 3:11; Heb 4:16; 1 Jn 4:17-19.    8. Lk 16:15; Phil 3:4-9.
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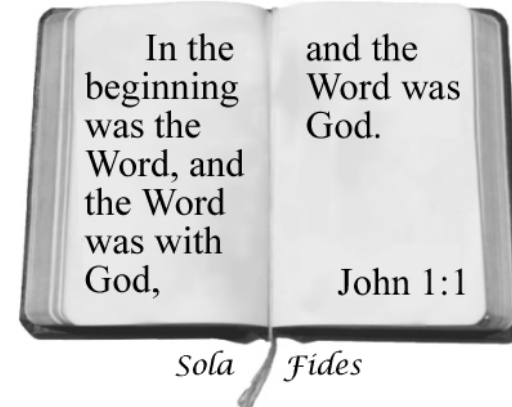
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**Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.**

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