

ORDER OF SERVICE—MORNING WORSHIP

30 DECEMBER, 2007 10:00A

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP: MEDITATION AND SILENT PRAYER, 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO WORSHIP SERVICE.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

JOB 19.25-27

For I know *that* my redeemer liveth, and *that* he shall stand at the latter *day* upon the earth: ²⁶ And *though* after^b my skin *worms* destroy this *body*, yet in my flesh shall I see God: ²⁷ Whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another^c; *though* my reins be consumed within me

**INVOCATION

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 43.1-5 (P91)

**THE RECITATION OF GOD'S LAW: EXODUS 20.1-17 (READ IN UNISON BY ALL)

¹ And God spake all these words, saying, ² I *am* the LORD thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. ³ Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

⁴ Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of *any thing* that *is* in heaven above, or that *is* in the earth beneath, or that *is* in the water under the earth: ⁵ Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God *am* a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth *generation* of them that hate me; ⁶ And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

⁷ Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

⁸ Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. ⁹ Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work: ¹⁰ But the seventh day *is* the sabbath of the LORD thy God: *in it* thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that *is* within thy gates: ¹¹ For *in* six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them *is*, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it.

¹² Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

¹³ Thou shalt not kill.

¹⁴ Thou shalt not commit adultery.

¹⁵ Thou shalt not steal.

¹⁶ Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

¹⁷ Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that *is* thy neighbour's.

**THE CONFESSION OF GOD'S PEOPLE:

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

THE LORD'S PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS

JOB 42.5-6

I have heard of thee by the hearing of the ear: but now mine eye seeth thee. ⁶ Wherefore I abhor *myself*, and repent in dust and ashes.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

1 CORINTHIANS CHAPTER 9

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

MATTHEW 6.9-13

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

NUMBERS CHAPTER 25

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 36.8-12 (P72)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

YE ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

MATTHEW 5.13-16

THE COVENANT MEAL OF CHRIST'S PEOPLE: THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 117.129-136 (P279)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

** Indicates Congregation Standing

^b And...: or, After I shall awake, though this body be destroyed, yet out of my flesh

^c another: Heb. a stranger

ORDER OF SERVICE—EVENING WORSHIP

30 DECEMBER, 2007 2:00P

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP: MEDITATION AND SILENT PRAYER, 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO WORSHIP SERVICE.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECITATION OF THE LARGER CATECHISM OF THE WESTMINSTER ASSEMBLY: QUESTION # 73

CALL TO WORSHIP

JOB 38.4-7

Where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? declare, if thou hast understanding. ⁵ Who hath laid the measures thereof, if thou knowest? or who hath stretched the line upon it? ⁶ Whereupon are the foundations thereof fastened? or who laid the corner stone thereof; ⁷ When the morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

**INVOCATION:

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 44.1-8 (P92)

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

1 CORINTHIANS CHAPTER 10

**THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE-MAKING SUPPLICATION TO GOD FOR THINGS AGREEABLE TO HIS WILL

PLEASE MAKE YOUR REQUESTS KNOWN TO THE PASTOR BEFORE THE SERVICE FOR PUBLIC PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

NUMBERS CHAPTER 26

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 90.1-9 (P199)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH CHAPTER 2.1: THE DOCTRINE OF GOD

THE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD-ETERNITY

PSALM 102.23-28

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 102.1-2 (P216)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

QUESTION # 73: HOW DOTH FAITH JUSTIFY A SINNER IN THE SIGHT OF GOD?

ANSWER:

FAITH JUSTIFIES A SINNER IN THE SIGHT OF GOD, NOT BECAUSE OF THOSE OTHER GRACES WHICH DO ALWAYS ACCOMPANY IT, OR OF GOOD WORKS THAT ARE THE FRUITS OF IT,^A NOR AS IF THE GRACE OF FAITH, OR ANY ACT THEREOF, WERE IMPUTED TO HIM FOR HIS JUSTIFICATION;^B BUT ONLY AS IT IS AN INSTRUMENT BY WHICH HE RECEIVETH AND APPLIETH CHRIST AND HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS.^C

A. GAL. 3:11; ROM. 3:28.

B. ROM. 4:5; 10:10.

C. JOHN 1:12; PHIL 3:9; GAL. 2:16.

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