

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, January 23, 2011

All the ends of the world shall remember and turn to the LORD, and all the families of the nations shall worship before You. For the kingdom is the LORD's, and He rules over the nations...A posterity shall serve Him. It will be recounted of the Lord to the next generation, they will come and declare His righteousness to a people who will be born, that He has done this. (Psalm 22:27,28,30,31)

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Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements]

Preparation for Worship by silent prayer

***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 22H (9,11)

***Opening Prayer**

God's Law

Proverbs 6:16-23

Prayer of Confession and Praise (God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 4:6-8)

***Psalm of Praise**

Psalter-Hymnal #7 (all)

Confession of Faith

(see back)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

***Song of Preparation**

Psalter-Hymnal #35 (1,2,3)

Scripture Reading:

Acts 2:29-41

Sermon:

Acts 2:37-41

***Respond in Song**

Psalter 22I (all)

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

***(Moment of Silent Meditation)**

Sermon: **Acts 2:37-41**

The Lord uses the command of the Gospel to advance His Kingdom.

We see:

1. The command to *repent* comes in the context of a sincere conviction of guilt.
2. The command of the Gospel and its corresponding promise.
3. The Kingdom advances as the Holy Spirit uses the Word to increase the Church of Jesus Christ.

CALENDAR

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

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, the Good News Bible Study (student's needs and work by graders).
 - **Membership discussion after the regular discussion time.**
 - God's blessing on each of us in our work, and all we do; as service to Him and for His glory.
 - Hicks (Asia's growth & development; Dexter's work).
 - **Dave's training & exams for FPL (preparing for exam on Jan. 24)**
 - Burrell's (Diana's pregnancy; annual re-licensing of school).
 - **Bruce's brother Craig (still recovering from head trauma, seizure past week; trial this week, pray for justice in crime against him)**
 - **Friend of Bruce's, Josh (had surgery for serious condition in heart, pray for recovery);** Dave's father (lung cancer); Olive Kueffer (praise God for His grace to her); Pastor Donnan (hypothyroidism, bronchitis & heart); **Gloria Donnan (deteriorating condition due to Alzheimer's);** friends of Hash's, Bob & Debbie (Bob needing surgery, selling of house and business, salvation).
 - The Lord's blessing on the joyful tithing/giving (in box on back table).
- Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.
 - Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters); Milton, Wisconsin (Rev. Gibson).
 - From Des Moines CRPC: Dick Swisher (seriously ill from bone cancer) and Rev. Waters (suffering from shingles).
 - Ministry of "Church of Christ the King" in Italy—Giorgio Modolo
- Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:
 - **Justin Wisehart (GNBS programmer) dangerous situation with the severe flooding in Australia; also pray for churches there.**
 - Students in various programs; thanks for new enrollments.
 - RCM's various needs & challenges (esp. finances & 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)

The Westminster Confession of Faith

Chapter 10—Of Effectual Calling

WCF 10.1 All those whom God hath predestinated unto life, and those only, He is pleased, in His appointed and accepted time, effectually to call,(1) by His Word and Spirit,(2) out of that state of sin and death in which they are by nature, to grace and salvation by Jesus Christ;(3) enlightening their minds spiritually and savingly to understand the things of God;(4) taking away their heart of stone, and giving unto them a heart of flesh;(5) renewing their wills, and, by His almighty power determining them to that which is good;(6) and effectually drawing them to Jesus Christ;(7) yet so as they come most freely, being made willing by His grace.(8)

(1)Rom. 8:30; Rom. 11:7; Eph. 1:10,11. (2)2 Thess. 2:13,14; 2 Cor. 3:3,6.

(3)Rom. 8:2; Eph. 2:1-5; 2 Tim. 1:9,10.

(4)Acts 26:18; 1 Cor. 2:10,12; Eph. 1:17,18. (5)Ezek. 36:26.

(6)Ezek. 11:19; Phil. 2:13; Deut. 30:6; Ezek. 37:27. (7)Eph. 1:19; John 6:44,45.

(8)Cant. 1:4; Ps. 110:3; John 6:37; Rom. 6:16,17,18.

WCF 10.2 This effectual call is of God's free and special grace alone, not from anything at all foreseen in man;(1) who is altogether passive therein, until, being quickened and renewed by the Holy Spirit,(2) he is thereby enabled to answer this call, and to embrace the grace offered and conveyed in it.(3)

(1)2 Tim. 1:9; Tit. 3:4,5; Eph. 2:4,5,8,9; Rom. 9:11.

(2)1 Cor. 2:14; Rom. 8:7; Eph. 2:5.

(3)John 6:37; Ezek. 36:27; John 5:25.

WCF 10.3 Elect infants, dying in infancy, are regenerated and saved by Christ through the Spirit,(1) who worketh when, and where, and how He pleaseth.(2) So also are all other elect persons, who are incapable of being outwardly called by the ministry of the Word.(3)

(1)Luke 18:15,16; Acts 2:38,39; John 3:3,5; 1 John 5:12; Rom. 8:9.

(2)John 3:8. (3)1 John 5:12; Acts 4:12.

Short Report of Session Meeting of Jan. 18/11

- Discussed various pastoral matters including participation at Lord's Supper on Jan. 16/11.
- Plan to celebrate next Lord's Supper, God willing, on Feb.6/11.
- Next meeting, Lord willing, is planned for Feb. 8/11.
- Thank you for your prayers, The Session.

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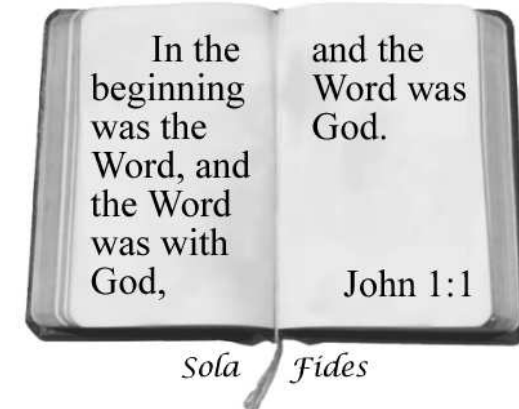
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.

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