

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, February 26, 2017

Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good; Blessed is the man who trusts in Him! Oh, fear the LORD, you His saints! There is no want to those who fear Him. (Psalm 34:8,9)

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Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements]

Preparation for Worship: Psalter 150B

*The Call to Worship (see above)

*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 Greeting to His People

*Psalm of Response Psalter 148 (1,5)

*Opening Prayer

God's Law Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Prayer of Confession and Praise

(God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 34:6,7)

*Psalm of Praise Psalter 34A (all)

Confession of Faith (see bulletin)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

*Song of Preparation Psalter 6 (1,2,6)

Scripture Reading: 1Samuel 12:13-25

Sermon: **1Samuel 12:24,25**

*Respond in Song & Prep. for Lord's Supper Psalter 115C (1,2,4)

Administration of the Lord's Supper

*Respond in Song Psalter 116A (all)

*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)

*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: **1Samuel 12:24,25**

God's message to His people: Only fear the LORD.

We see:

1. Fearing the *LORD* is the only *good and right way*.
2. Fearing the *LORD* includes thinking upon His mercies of the past.
3. Fearing the *LORD* includes serving Him in truth with all your heart, and being warned of the result of unfaithfulness.

Questions for discussion: [see on the table]

CALENDAR

- Sundays: 10:00 AM—Worship Service.
 - Sundays: after worship—Informal fellowship in food, singing, prayer, discussion and study.
 - Wednesday's (5:45 PM at school)—Catechism class
(Lord willing after this week class resumes April 5th)
 - Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; at school, 6: 00-8:00 PM
[“Theology” is about discussing biblical truth for all of faith and life]
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PRAYER REQUESTS

BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER: *(Let us know your requests 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.
- Pray for persecuted church in the world.

Pray for King's: (SermonAudio, website, Good News Bible Study)

- **Catechism class on Wed.**
- Our witness in “word and life” to others (as church and individuals).
- The Lord's blessing on joyful tithing/giving (in box on table).
- God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.
Pray for Dave in the work of necessity and having to miss worship.
- Families raising children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).
- Hicks (as members who are away from us).
- Pastor Poettcker's trip and work in Suriname (March 3 to 21).
- **HEALTH:**
Pastor Donnan (pancreatic cancer).
Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's). Jeanne Donnan (stroke recovery).
Verena (results from radiation for cancer).

Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.

- Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Sam Ledy in training & helping in pulpit); Terry Welch, very serious issues from kidney cancer).
- Rev Gibson has cancerous lesion on temple. Pray for treatment.
- Modolo's in Italy (Sabrina having severe headaches).

Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:

- God's blessing on the College & Seminary courses (and students).
Pray for health concerns for Stephen Westcott, Fred Dilella, and Richard Gainer's wife.
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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

WCF 13.1 They, who are once effectually called and regenerated, having a new heart and a new spirit created in them, are further sanctified really and personally, through the virtue of Christ's death and resurrection,(1) by His Word and Spirit dwelling in them;(2) the dominion of the whole body of sin is destroyed,(3) and the several lusts thereof are more and more weakened and mortified,(4) and they more and more quickened and strengthened in all saving graces,(5) to the practice of true holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord.(6)

(1)1 Cor. 6:11; Acts 20:32; Phil. 3:10; Rom. 6:5,6.

(2)John 17:17; Eph. 5:26; 1 Thess. 2:13. (3)Rom. 6:6,14.

(4)Gal. 5:24; Rom. 8:13. (5)Col. 1:11; Eph. 3:16-19.

(6)2 Cor. 7:1; Heb. 12:14.

WCF 13.2 This sanctification is throughout in the whole man,(1) yet imperfect in this life; there abideth still some remnants of corruption in every part:(2) whence ariseth a continual and irreconcilable war; the flesh lusting against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh.(3)

(1)1 Thess. 5:23. (2)1 John 1:10; Rom. 7:18,23; Phil. 3:12.

(3)Gal. 5:17; 1 Pet. 2:11.

WCF 13.3 In which war, although the remaining corruption, for a time, may much prevail,(1) yet, through the continual supply of strength from the sanctifying Spirit of Christ, the regenerate part doth overcome;(2) and so, the saints grow in grace,(3) perfecting holiness in the fear of God.(4)

(1)Rom. 8:23. (2)Rom. 6:14; 1 John 5:4; Eph. 4:15,16.

(3)2 Pet. 3:18; 2 Cor. 3:18. (4)2 Cor. 7:1.

LORD'S SUPPER CELEBRATION

As we come to the Lord's Table, we come remembering His death. The Lord directs our faith to His perfect sacrifice, once offered on the cross, as the only ground of our salvation. He also assures us that He by His death has taken away our sin, the cause of our eternal death, and has obtained for us the life-giving Spirit. By this Spirit He brings us into true communion with Himself and makes us partakers of all His riches, of eternal life, righteousness and glory.

Let us firmly believe all His promises, not doubting that we shall be nourished and refreshed with His body and blood through the working of the Holy Spirit as surely as we receive the bread and wine in remembrance of Him.

Visitors, who are members in good standing of a Bible-believing church, are encouraged to join us and to talk to the Session so that we may welcome you.

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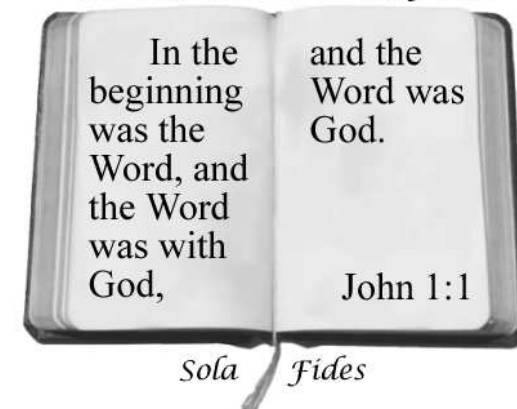
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.

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Questions for discussion
[Sermon: 1Samuel 12:24,25]

1. What does *fear* mean in *Only fear the LORD*?
2. What is the command *fear the LORD* contrasted to?
3. Instead of the *good and right way* of fearing the LORD, what *way* had the people chosen?
4. What does Prov. 1:7 say about the *fear of the LORD*?
5. In truly fearing the LORD, what must we consider?
6. If we do not consider this (from #5) what will we do instead of fearing the LORD?
7. In the fear of the LORD, how do we serve Him?
8. What gracious warning is given regarding fearing the LORD in faithful service?