ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, May 18, 2008

I will praise thee, O Lord, among the people: I will sing unto thee among the nations. For thy mercy is great unto the heavens, and thy truth unto the clouds. Be thou exalted, O God, above the heavens: let thy glory be above all the earth. (Psalm 57:9-11)

[* indicates standing]

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 29B

*Opening Prayer

God's Law Hebrews 10:11-28

Prayer of Confession and Praise (God's assurance of pardon: 1 John 1:9

*Psalm of Praise Psalter 105A

Confession of Faith WCF 7:1-4

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

*Song of Preparation

Psalter 105B

Scripture Reading:Galatians 3:6-29Sermon:Galatians 3:15-20

Response in Song

Psalter 106A

*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing) Gal. 3:28-29; Num. 6:24-26

*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: God's promise is an inheritance for Abraham and his Seed and cannot be earned by keeping the law

- 1. God's promise is a testament which even amongst men is firm and to which nothing can be added or subtracted (v. 15).
- 2. God's promise is ultimately with Christ (Seed), i.e. with God Himself and cannot be annulled (v. 16, 17).
- 3. God's promise is an inheritance (testament) which cannot be earned (law-keeping) (v. 18).
- 4. Then what purpose is the law?
 - A. To show transgressions till the promised Seed come (v. 19)
 - B. It was temporary, brought by angels and a mediator (v. 20)
- 5. Mediator not of one, but God is one? (v. 20)

CALENDAR

- Sundays 10:00 AM Worship Service.
- <u>Sundays 6:00 PM</u>—Bible study at the manse in Fellsmere.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS:

Offerings:

Disbursements:

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 <u>country</u> and gov't; the <u>U.S. military</u> around the world, the war on terror. [Timothy Metts and Harry Lewis]
- Pray for the <u>persecuted church</u> in the world.
- <u>Pray for sick</u>: Pastor Donnan (heart, diabetes); Sharilyn (recovery); Rev. Cameron Fraser (radiation); Susan Kueffer (ongoing cancer treatment); Olive Kueffer (heart-back from hospital); Nancy (heart); Niki (Faye's friend); Dick Remick (stroke & Parkinson's); Pastor Boer (heart-diabetes); Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's); Rosie Lloyd (new mass, MRI shows gone again, doctors will retest again).
- Pray for King's membership matters:
- God's blessing on the testimony of King's, that through word and deed the Lord may draw others to hear the Word and unite with us in worship.
- God to use the sermonaudio website of King's to minister to others who listen to the sermons. Work of our pastors.
- God's grace to Jason; that the Lord may use His discipline to grant true repentance; new job in Raleigh, North Carolina.
- God's wisdom and help to Burrell's, as they operate children's day school.
- Dave Card's in intensive job training.
- Rev. Poettcker's trip to Suriname (May 3-26), for church and school there.
- The Lord's blessing on the joyful tithing/giving (in box at back table).
- Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.
 - Milton CRPC; wisdom in decision regarding calling a pastor.
- Rev. Hamid's ministry in sister church in Suriname (First Presbyterian Church).
- The "Church of Christ the King" in Italy, led by Giorgio Modolo.
- Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:
- Colleagues and their families in Albania, Italy, China, Zambia, Suriname, Russia.
- Pray for editing process of Italian Westminster Larger Catechism.
- Education program: Bible Study, College & Seminary work & students.
- Suriname: Christian Liberty Academy; needs for teachers for next year.
- RCM's financial needs and URGENT employee(s) needed (for effectiveness of website notice of job opportunity).

Psalm 29B

Oh give to Jehovah, you sons of the Mighty, Both glory and strength to Jehovah accord.

O give to the Lord His name's greatness of glory! In splendor of holiness worship the Lord.

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

WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH Chapter 7, Of God's Covenant with Man

- 1. The distance between God and the creature is so great, that although reasonable creatures do owe obedience unto Him as their Creator, yet they could never have any fruition of Him as their blessedness and reward, but by some voluntary condescension on God's part, which He hath been pleased to express by way of covenant.(1). (1) Isa. 40:13-17; Job 9:32,33; 1 Sam. 2:25; Ps. 113:5,6; Ps. 100:2,3; Job 22:2,3; Job 35:7,8; Luke 17:10; Acts 17:24,25.
- 2. The first covenant made with man was a covenant of works,(1) wherein life was promised to Adam, and in him to his posterity,(2) upon condition of perfect and personal obedience.(3) (1) Gal. 3:12; (2) Rom. 10:5; Rom. 5:12-20; (3) Gen. 2:17; Gal. 3:10.
- 3. Man, by his fall, having made himself uncapable of life by that covenant, the Lord was pleased to make a second,(1) commonly called the Covenant of Grace, whereby He freely offereth unto sinners life and salvation by Jesus Christ, requiring of them faith in Him, that they may be saved;(2) and promising to give unto all those that are ordained unto eternal life His Holy Spirit, to make them willing, and able to believe.(3) (1) Gal. 3:21; Rom. 8:3; Rom. 3:20,21; Gen. 3:15; Isa. 42:6; (2) Mark 16:15,16; John 3:16; Rom. 10:6,9; Gal. 3:11; (3) Ezek. 36:26,27; John 6:44,45.
- 4. This covenant of grace is frequently set forth in the Scripture by the name of a Testament, in reference to the death of Jesus Christ the testator, and to the everlasting inheritance, with all things belonging to it, therein bequeathed.(1) (1) Heb. 9:15,16,17; Heb. 7:22; Luke 22:20; 1 Cor. 11:25.

Colleagues of RCM to remember in regular prayer: Dr. Stephen Westcott (UK); Rev. Eugene Kashirsky (Tver, Russia); Rev. Mikhail Polubojarinov (St. Petersburg, Russia), Pastor Johnny Zhao (Qihe, China) and elders Stephan, Liu, & Wang (involved in school), Giorgio and Sabrina Modolo (Vittorio Veneto, Italy), Andrea and Piera Modolo (Turin, Italy), Pastor Paolo Castellina (London), Elder Faustin Kazadi (Lubumbashi, Congo DR), Pastor Julius Pezulu (Ndola, Zambia), Philip Stott (South Africa), Rev. & Mrs. Barry Beukema (Thunder Bay, Ontario), Rev. & Mrs. Wes Bredenhof (Langley, British Columbia), Rev. & Mrs. Asgar Hamid (Paramaribo, Suriname), Nardi & Enkeleida Doka (Durrës, Albania), Brian McRae (GNBS, Georgia), George & Cynthia Molenaar (Hudsonville, Michigan), David Zelenka (Port Angeles, Washington), and others with RCM in various capacities as volunteers.

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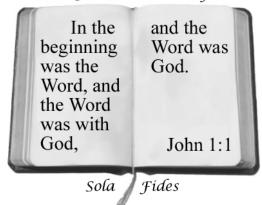
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