# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, May 25, 2008

The LORD reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the LORD is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself: the world also is stablished, that it cannot be moved...Thy testimonies are very sure: holiness becometh thine house, O LORD, for ever. (Psalm 93:1,5)

[\* 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 8

Prayer of Confession and Praise (God's assurance of pardon: 1 John 2:1

\*Psalm of Praise Psalter 149

Confession of Faith WCF 7:4-6

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving** 

\*Song of Preparation Psalter 119M

**Scripture Reading:** Galatians 3:6-29

Sermon: Galatians 3:20-25 Response in Song Psalter 143A

\*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing) Hebrews 13:20-21

\*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

**Sermon:** God's law is not against the promise of God, but serves the interests of the Gospel.

- 1. God's law is not against the promises of God? (v. 21).
  - A. The law could not bring life otherwise righteousness would have been given by the law (v. 21).
  - B. The law confines all under sin from among which believers would look to the promise (v. 22).
- 2. God's law serves the interests of the Gospel (v. 23-25), kept us under guard till faith was revealed (v. 23).
  - A. The law kept us under guard till faith (Christ) was revealed (v. 23).
  - B. The law was the tutor of faith whereas Christ was the embodiment of faith (v. 24).
  - C. The law is no longer needed as a tutor, because we now have the Holy Spirit who has written the law in our hearts (v. 25, cp. Heb. 10:16).

#### **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 (heartback from hospital); Nancy (heart); Niki (Faye's friend); Dick Remick (stroke & Parkinson's); Pastor Boer (heart-diabetes); Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's); Rosie Lloyd (continued testing).
- 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 wisdom and help to Burrell's, as they operate children's day school.
- Dave Card's in intensive job training; Jason's job, house sale, discipline.
- 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; vetting process involved with Carle Van der Merwe, pastoral candidate.
- Rev. Hamid's ministry in sister church in Suriname (First Presbyterian Church).
- CRPC Presbytery in July, and prior preparation.
- 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

- 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.
- 5. This covenant was differently administered in the time of the law, and in the time of the gospel;(1) under the law it was administered by promises, prophecies, sacrifices, circumcision, the paschal lamb, and other types and ordinances delivered to the people of the Jews, all foresignifying Christ to come,(2) which were for that time sufficient and efficacious, through the operation of the Spirit, to instruct and build up the elect in faith in the promised Messiah,(3) by whom they had full remission of sins, and eternal salvation; and is called the Old Testament.(4) (1) 2 Cor. 3:6,7,8,9; (2) Heb. 8,9 & 10; Rom. 4:11; Col. 2:11,12; 1 Cor. 5:7; (3) 1 Cor. 10:1,2,3,4; Heb. 11:13; John 8:56; (4) Gal. 3:7,8,9,14.
- 6. Under the gospel, when Christ the substance(1) was exhibited, the ordinances in which this covenant is dispensed are the preaching of the Word, and the administration of the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper,(2) which, though fewer in number, and administered with more simplicity and less outward glory, yet in them it is held forth in more fulness, evidence, and spiritual efficacy,(3) to all nations, both Jews and Gentiles;(4) and is called the New Testament.(5) There are not therefore two covenants of grace differing in substance, but one and the same under various dispensations.(6) (1) Col. 2:17; (2) Matt. 28:19,20; 1 Cor. 11:23,24,25; (3) Heb. 12:22-27; Jer. 31:33,34; (4) Matt. 28:19; Eph. 2:15-19; (5) Luke 22:20; (6) Gal. 3:14,16; Acts 15:11; Rom. 3:21,22,23,30; Ps. 32:1; Rom. 4:3,6,16,17,23,24; Heb. 13:8.

## **LORD'S SUPPER NEXT SUNDAY**

Lord willing we will again have the joy of celebrating the Lord's Supper next Sunday. In the name of our Lord we therefore call upon members to examine themselves and to prepare this week to come to this Supper in full assurance of faith, (1) believing that they are "worthy" to partake because they believe in Jesus Christ and His suffering and death in their place, and (2) purposing to live their daily lives for His glory, by obeying all that He commands. Visitors who wish to partake must first speak to the Session, and must be

members in good standing of a church which follows the Bible as God's Word.

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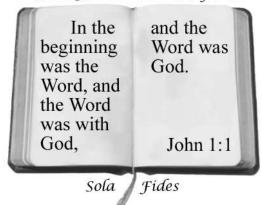
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