

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, July 31, 2016

*Truly my soul silently waits for God; From Him comes my salvation. He only is my rock and my salvation; He is my defense; I shall not be greatly moved.* (Psalm 62:1,2)

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Silent Prayer

\***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 62B (1,2)

\***Opening Prayer**

**God's Law** Deuteronomy 5:1-21

**Prayer of Confession and Praise**  
(God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 103:2-4)

\***Psalm of Praise** Psalter 103A (1,2,4)

**Confession of Faith & Call to prepare for L.S.** (see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

\***Song of Preparation** Psalter 49B (4,5,10)

**Scripture Reading:** 2Kings 5:1-27

**Sermon:** **2Kings 5:19-27**

\***Respond in Song** Psalter 139A (1,2,4)

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

\***(Moment of Silent Meditation)**

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**ELISHA—Prophet of the Word of God-Part 13**

Sermon: **2Kings 5:19-27**

*The glory of the healing power of the Word of God is darkened and then vindicated.*

We see:

1. This glory is darkened by the sin of Gehazi.
2. This glory is vindicated by Gehazi's sin being exposed and judged.

**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
- 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 this week Wed.**
- Our witness in "word and life" to others (as church and individuals), and the salvation of loved ones and "neighbors."
- 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.
- Families raising children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).
- Hicks (as members who are away from us).
- **HEALTH:** Pastor Donnan (eyes, heart, diabetes, pancreatic cancer treatment). Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's). Pastor Donnan's sister Jeanne (rehab from stroke).

Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.

- Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters; wisdom re: candidate; Terry Welch-kidney cancer).
- Modolo's in Italy (direction; encouragement).

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

- The planning effort of the RCM Board with regard to RCM's future.
- GNBS (progress of programming; Roy Burrell, Fed Calderone).
- Doctoral students in seminary completing their theses.
- Outreach of the Bible courses and educational courses.
- Course production for the M.Div. program.

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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 15.1** Repentance unto life is an evangelical grace,(1) the doctrine whereof is to be preached by every minister of the Gospel, as well as that of faith in Christ.(2)

(1)Zech. 12:10; Acts 11:18. (2)Luke 24:47; Mark 1:15; Acts 22:21.

**WCF 15.2** By it, a sinner, out of the sight and sense, not only of the danger, but also of the filthiness and odiousness of his sins, as contrary to the holy nature, and righteous law of God; and upon the apprehension of His mercy in Christ to such as are penitent, so grieves for and hates his sins, as to turn from them all unto God,(1) purposing and endeavoring to walk with Him in all the ways of His commandments.(2)

(1)Ezek. 18:30,31; Ezek. 36:31; Isa. 30:22; Ps. 51:4; Jer. 31:18,19; Joel 2:12,13;

Amos 5:15; Ps. 119:128; 2 Cor. 7:11.

(2)Ps. 119:6,59,106; Luke 1:6; 2 Kings 23:25.

**WCF 15.6** As every man is bound to make private confession of his sins to God, praying for the pardon thereof (1) upon which, and the forsaking of them, he shall find mercy;(2) so he that scandalizeth his brother, or the Church of Christ, ought to be willing, by a private or public confession and sorrow for his sin, to declare his repentance to those that are offended;(3) who are thereupon to be reconciled to him, and in love to receive him.(4)

(1)Ps. 51:4,5,7,9,14; Ps. 32:5,6. (2)Prov. 28:13; 1 John 1:9.

(3)James 5:16; Luke 17:3,4; Josh. 7:19; Ps. 51. (4)2 Cor. 2:8.

### LORD'S SUPPER PREPARATION

Lord willing, we will again celebrate the Lord's Supper next Sunday.

Let each one examine his life and, considering his own sin and God's wrath, be sure that he humbles himself in repentance before God.

Let each examine his heart to be sure that he trusts in Jesus Christ alone for his salvation, and that he believes his sins are forgiven by grace alone, because of the sacrifice of Christ on the cross for him.

Let each examine his conscience to be sure that he desires to live in faith and obedience before the Lord and his neighbor.

Let us examine ourselves, lest we eat and drink judgment upon ourselves. May we receive this sacrament as a comfort and strengthening of our faith.

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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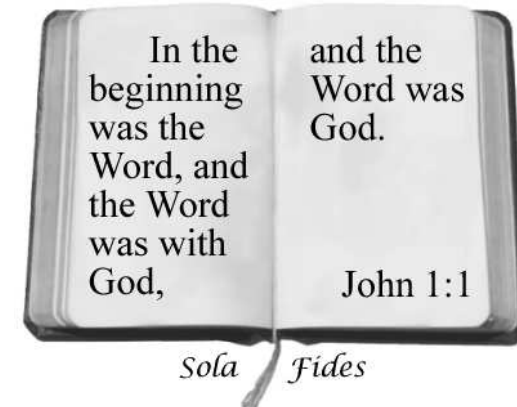
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**Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.**

**Lord's Day, July 31, 2016**

## **Questions for discussion**

### **[Sermon: 2Kings 5: 20-27]**

1. Why should we be rather “understanding” of Gehazi in what he did? (Does this help to warn us?)
2. Instead of seeing the glory of God in healing Naaman what did Gehazi “see”?
3. Compare Elisha and Gehazi in their reaction to the things Naaman was able to give.
4. In summary, how did Gehazi sin against Elisha?
5. In summary, how did Gehazi sin against Naaman?
6. How, especially, did Gehazi sin against the LORD?
7. What was the first stage of God vindicating His honor?
8. What was the judgment God brought on Gehazi?  
Why must we say “this is how it must be”?