

ORDER OF SERVICE—MORNING WORSHIP

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PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP: MEDITATION AND SILENT PRAYER, 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO WORSHIP SERVICE.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP AND INVOCATION:

2 KINGS 23.2

And the king went up into the house of the LORD, and all the men of Judah and all the inhabitants of Jerusalem with him, and the priests, and the prophets, and all the people, both small and great: and he read in their ears all the words of the book of the covenant which was found in the house of the LORD

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 14.1-7 (P21)

**THE RECITATION OF GOD'S LAW: EXODUS 20.1-17 (READ IN UNISON BY ALL)

¹ And God spake all these words, saying, ² I *am* the LORD thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. ³ Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

⁴ Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of *any thing* that *is* in heaven above, or that *is* in the earth beneath, or that *is* in the water under the earth: ⁵ Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God *am* a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth *generation* of them that hate me; ⁶ And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

⁷ Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

⁸ Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. ⁹ Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work: ¹⁰ But the seventh day *is* the sabbath of the LORD thy God: *in it* thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that *is* within thy gates: ¹¹ For *in* six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them *is*, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it.

¹² Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

¹³ Thou shalt not kill.

¹⁴ Thou shalt not commit adultery.

¹⁵ Thou shalt not steal.

¹⁶ Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

¹⁷ Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that *is* thy neighbour's.

**THE CONFESSION OF GOD'S PEOPLE:

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF FORGIVENESS TO GOD'S PEOPLE

2 KINGS 22.18-19

But to the king of Judah which sent you to enquire of the LORD, thus shall ye say to him, Thus saith the LORD God of Israel, *As touching* the words which thou hast heard; ¹⁹ Because thine heart was tender, and thou hast humbled thyself before the LORD, when thou heardest what I spake against this place, and against the inhabitants thereof, that they should become a desolation and a curse, and hast rent thy clothes, and wept before me; I also have heard *thee*, saith the LORD.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

ACTS CHAPTER 21

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

MATTHEW 6.9-13

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

LEVITICUS CHAPTER 20

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 15.1-5 (P22)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

BLESSED ARE THE PERSECUTED

MATTHEW 5.10-12; 1 PETER 4.1-4

THE COVENANT MEAL OF CHRIST'S PEOPLE: THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 16.1-11 (P23)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

** Indicates Congregation Standing

ORDER OF SERVICE—EVENING WORSHIP

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GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECITATION OF THE LARGER CATECHISM OF THE WESTMINSTER ASSEMBLY: QUESTION # 57

CALL TO WORSHIP AND INVOCATION:

2 KINGS 23.3

And the king stood by a pillar, and made a covenant before the LORD, to walk after the LORD, and to keep his commandments and his testimonies and his statutes with all *their* heart and all *their* soul, to perform the words of this covenant that were written in this book. And all the people stood to the covenant.

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 17.1-7 (P24)

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

ACTS CHAPTER 22

**THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE-MAKING SUPPLICATION TO GOD FOR THINGS AGREEABLE TO HIS WILL

PLEASE MAKE YOUR REQUESTS KNOWN TO THE PASTOR BEFORE THE SERVICE FOR PUBLIC PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

LEVITICUS CHAPTER 21

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 17.8-15 (P25)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

THE WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH

CHAPTER 1 PARAGRAPH 8: THE PRESERVATION AND USE OF SCRIPTURE

MATTHEW 5.18; ISAIAH 59.21

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 18.1-5 (P26)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

QUESTION: WHAT BENEFITS HATH CHRIST PROCURED BY HIS MEDIATION?

ANSWER:

CHRIST, BY HIS MEDIATION, HATH PROCURED REDEMPTION,^A WITH ALL OTHER BENEFITS OF THE COVENANT OF GRACE.^B

A. HEB. 9:12.

B. 2 COR. 1:20.

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