

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, September 7, 2008

*Mercy and truth have met together; Righteousness and peace have kissed... Righteousness will go before Him, And shall make His footsteps our pathway.* (Psalm 85: 10,13)

[\* 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 150B

**\*Opening Prayer**

**God's Law**

Deuteronomy 11:18-28

**Prayer of Confession and Praise** (God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 87)

**\*Psalm of Praise**

Psalter-Hymnal 166

**Confession of Faith**

(see back)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

**\*Song of Preparation**

Psalter 119K (1,3,4)

**Scripture Reading:**

Isaiah 1:18-31; Romans 5:1-11

**Sermon:**

(see below)

**Respond in Song & Prep. for Lord's Supper**

Psalter-Hymnal 355 (1,3,4)

**Celebration of the Lord's Supper**

**Response in Song**

Psalter-Hymnal 326 (1,2,4)

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

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

Sermon: **God's Word as summarized in Belgic Confession art. 20**

*God has shown His justice and mercy in Christ.*

We see:

1. The justice and mercy of God are not two polar opposites.
2. Mercy is perfectly merciful.
3. Salvation is only realized in Christ because He bore god's justice and in that way earned God's mercy for believers.

## CALENDAR

- Sundays - 10:00 AM – Worship Service.
- Sundays - 6:00 PM—Bible study at the manse in Fellsmere.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

### RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS:

Offerings: August 31—

Disbursements: NA

### 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 country and gov't; the U.S. military around the world, the war on terror.
- Pray for the persecuted church in the world.
- Pray for sick: Pastor Donnan (heart, diabetes); Rev. Cameron Fraser (radiation); Susan Kueffer (cancer); Olive Kueffer (heart); Niki (Faye's friend, knee); Mariena (Pastor Poettcker's niece, brain tumors); Pastor Boer (heart-diabetes); Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's).
- 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.
  - Each of our daily callings, in work & home, as service to the Lord.
  - Jason Donnan; living and working in North Carolina.
  - Ron & Faye as they travel to Tennessee and will be away for 2 weeks
  - The Lord's blessing on the joyful tithing/giving (in box at back table).
- Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:
  - Colleagues and their families in Albania, Italy, China, Zambia, Suriname, Russia.
  - Education program: Bible Study, College & Seminary work & students.
  - Suriname: Christian Liberty Academy.
  - RCM's financial needs; work on and outreach through new website.

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

### **BELGIC CONFESSION OF FAITH**

#### **Article 20 - The justice and mercy of God in Christ**

We believe that God, who is perfectly merciful and just, sent His Son to assume that nature in which disobedience had been committed, to make satisfaction in that same nature; and to bear the punishment of sin by His most bitter passion and death. God therefore manifested His justice against His Son when He laid our iniquity on Him, and poured out His goodness and mercy on us, who were guilty and worthy of damnation. Out of a most perfect love He gave His Son to die for us and He raised Him for our justification that through Him we might obtain immortality and life eternal.

#### **CANONS OF DORT -- Chapter 1, Article 1**

As all men have sinned in Adam, lie under the curse, and are deserving of eternal death, God would have done no injustice by leaving them all to perish and delivering them over to condemnation on account of sin,...

### **LORD'S SUPPER CELEBRATION**

Let us be reminded of the supreme sacrifice which our Savior made to pay the debt we owe to God for our sins. Let us then partake "proclaiming His death" (declaring that we have confessed our sins and believe that He died in our place). Let us also partake vowing to grow in obedience by "eating and being nourished" by His Word and thus being filled with His Spirit.

May the Lord strengthen our faith as we receive the visible and physical elements as a reminder of the invisible and spiritual truth of salvation through the suffering and death of our only Savior and Lord. May we in this way "*proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.*"

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.

#### **Short Report of Session Meeting of September 3, 2008**

- Discussed various pastoral concerns including participation at the Lord's Supper on July 13/08.
- Decided on future preaching schedule and that next Lord's Supper will be Oct. 12, Lord willing.
- Had a time of sermon discussion.
- With thanks to treasurer, we received financial report to July/08. Are thankful to announce that Ron Hash has agreed to take on the work of treasurer for King's, effective August 1/08. We thank Nancy for her past work as treasurer.
- Agreed to help church in Suriname pay for part of cost for Pastor Hamid to attend the second Presbytery meeting of each year.
- Next meeting, Lord willing, will be Sept. 30/08.
- Thank you for your prayers, The Session.

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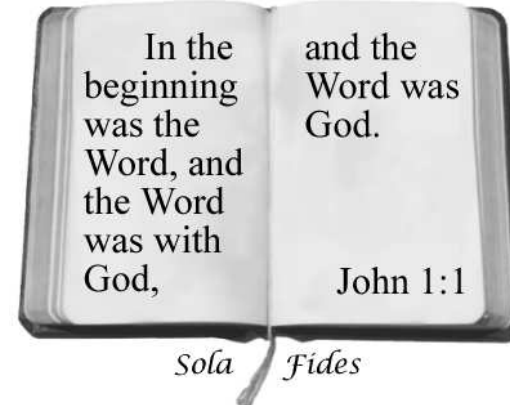
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*Sola Gratia Sola Scriptura*



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

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