

ORDER OF SERVICE—MORNING WORSHIP

21 OCTOBER, 2007 10:00A

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

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

2 CHRONICLES 6.14

And said, O LORD God of Israel, *there is* no God like thee in the heaven, nor in the earth; which keepest covenant, and *shewest* mercy unto thy servants, that walk before thee with all their hearts

**INVOCATION

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PSALM 31.9-18 (P58)

**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 LORD'S PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS

2 CHRONICLES 6.26-27

When the heaven is shut up, and there is no rain, because they have sinned against thee; *yet if they pray* toward this place, and confess thy name, and turn from their sin, when thou dost afflict them; ²⁷ Then hear thou from heaven, and forgive the sin of thy servants, and of thy people Israel, when thou hast taught them the good way, wherein they should walk; and send rain upon thy land, which thou hast given unto thy people for an inheritance.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

ROMANS CHAPTER 5

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

MATTHEW 6.9-13

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

NUMBERS CHAPTER 5

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

PSALM 31.19-24 (P59)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

BLESSED ARE THE PERSECUTED PART 8—1 PETER 4.12FF

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 32.1-6 (P60)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

** Indicates Congregation Standing

ORDER OF SERVICE—EVENING WORSHIP

21 OCTOBER, 2007 2:15P

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

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECITATION OF THE LARGER CATECHISM OF THE WESTMINSTER ASSEMBLY: QUESTION # 63

CALL TO WORSHIP

2 CHRONICLES 6.19-20

Have respect therefore to the prayer of thy servant, and to his supplication, O LORD my God, to hearken unto the cry and the prayer which thy servant prayeth before thee: ²⁰ That thine eyes may be open upon this house day and night, upon the place whereof thou hast said that thou wouldest put thy name there; to hearken unto the prayer which thy servant prayeth toward this place.

**INVOCATION:

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PSALM 32.7-11 (P61)

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

ROMANS CHAPTER 6

**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

NUMBERS CHAPTER 6

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

PSALM 33.1-11 (P62)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

WESTMINSTER CONFSSION OF FAITH CHAPTER 2.1: THE DOCTRINE OF GOD

PROOFS? FOR THE EXISTENCE OF GOD

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

PSALM 33.12-22 (P63)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

QUESTION # 63: WHAT ARE THE SPECIAL PRIVILEGES OF THE VISIBLE CHURCH?

ANSWER:

THE VISIBLE CHURCH HATH THE PRIVILEGE OF BEING UNDER GOD'S SPECIAL CARE AND GOVERNMENT;^A OF BEING PROTECTED AND PRESERVED IN ALL AGES, NOT WITHSTANDING THE OPPOSITION OF ALL ENEMIES;^B AND OF ENJOYING THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS, THE ORDINARY MEANS OF SALVATION,^C AND OFFERS OF GRACE BY CHRIST TO ALL THE MEMBERS OF IT IN THE MINISTRY OF THE GOSPEL, TESTIFYING, THAT WHOSOEVER BELIEVES IN HIM SHALL BE SAVED,^D AND EXCLUDING NONE THAT WILL COME UNTO HIM.^E

A. ISA. 4:5-6; 1 TIM. 4:10.

B. PS. 115:1-2, 9; ISA. 31:4-5; ZECH. 12:2-4, 8-9.

C. ACTS 2:39, 42.

D. PS. 147:19-20; ROM. 9:4; EPH. 4:11-12; MARK 16:15-16

E. JOHN 6:37.

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