ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, November 19, 2023

Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a new song, And His praise in the assembly of saints. Let Israel rejoice in their Maker; Let the children of Zion be joyful in their King. (Psalm 149:1.2)

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Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements (see on back page)]

Preparation for Worship: Psalter 93A (1,2.5)

*God's 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

*Song of Response Psalter-Hymnal #307 (all)

*Opening Prayer

God's Law: Ephesians 6:10-18

Prayer of Confession and Praise

(God's assurance: 2 Samuel 22:29-31)

*Song of Praise Psalter 48B (6,7,10)

Confession of Faith (see bulletin)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings

*Song of Preparation Psalter-Hymnal #484 (all)

Prayer for God's blessing on His Word

Scripture Reading: 1Chronicles 11:1-26
Sermon: 1Chronicles 11:9,10

*Respond in Song Psalter-Hymnal #442 (1,2,3,5,6)

*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)

*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: 1Chronicles 11:9,10

The kingdom grows great as loyal subjects valiantly serve their king.

We see:

- 1. David's kingdom grew great and powerful as the LORD was with him.
- 2. The LORD was with David by giving him mighty men to serve him.
- 3. This valiant service is precious.

Questions for discussion: [see on the table]

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 Canons of Dort

FIRST HEAD OF DOCTRINE: Of Divine Predestination ["U" = Unconditional Election]

Article 11

And as God Himself is most wise, unchangeable, omniscient and omnipotent, so the election made by Him can neither be interrupted nor changed, recalled or annulled; neither can the elect be cast away, nor their number diminished.

Article 12

The elect in due time, though in various degrees and in different measures, attain the assurance of this their eternal and unchangeable election, not by inquisitively prying into the secret and deep things of God, but by observing in themselves, with a spiritual joy and holy pleasure, the infallible fruits of election pointed out in the Word of God — such as a true faith in Christ, filial fear, a godly sorrow for sin, a hungering and thirsting after righteousness, etc.

Article 13

The sense and certainty of this election afford to the children of God additional matter for daily humiliation before Him, for adoring the depth of His mercies, for cleansing themselves, and rendering grateful returns of ardent love to Him, who first manifested so great love towards them. The consideration of this doctrine of election is so far from encouraging remissness in the observance of the divine commands or from sinking men in carnal security, that these, in the just judgment of God, are the usual effects of rash presumption or of idle and wanton trifling with the grace of election in those who refuse to walk in the ways of the elect.

Short Report of Session Meeting of Nov. 15/23

- Discussed several pastoral matters incl. participation at L.S. on Nov.12.
- Had a time of sermon discussion (including the discussion time).
- Discussed the "ministry to the preborn".
- Discussed Elder Burrell's ongoing studies for possible examination of license to exhort.
- Planned for worship services for when Pastor is in Suriname (LD's Nov.26 to Dec.17).
- Decided, Lord willing, to next have Lord's Supper on Jan.28/24.
- Discussed items relating to property maintenance and financial matters.
- Received quarterly financial report to Sept./23.
- Thank you for your prayers, The Session.

CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Wednesday's (6:30 PM)—Bible Study via Zoom (DV resume Jan./24)
- <u>Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; 6: 00-8:00 PM</u> ["Theology" is about discussing biblical truth for all of faith and life]

PRAYER REQUESTS

BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER: (Email 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 <u>country</u>, <u>gov't and world</u>; for <u>persecuted Church in the world</u>.

<u>Pray for King's</u>: (Sermon-Audio, website)

• Personal concerns and issues in the lives of other members.

God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.

Hayden in new job, Lord willing, will be leaving Dec. 18.

Parents training children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).

Pray for widows (Psalm 68:5; James 1:27). Pray for Kiersten & baby.

Pray for Sharilyn's safe trip to Panama/family (leaving Mon. AM).

Pray for Pastor's safe trip to Suriname (leaving Tues. AM).

Pray for Elder Burrell in leading worship each Sunday.

- HEALTH: PTL for our health...and restoration to health. God's blessing in treatment for Rev. Gibson.
- LOVED ONES: Friends & family serving in the military.
 Holly's parents (father's better health and God's grace to them).
 Elder Burrell's parents (health); Diana's mother (kidney disease).
 Modolo's in Italy (homeschooling, family matters, translation projects).

Pray for ministry to the preborn: Pregnancy Centers in our area (Agape).

Gibsons (website & outreach); Michele (Orlando).

Legislation in states & in Florida; to stop abortions.

Pray for Regional Presbytery and the ministry of sister Churches:

First Presbyterian Church (FPC) in Suriname (Rev. Hamid).

Heritage Reformed Presbyterian Church (HRPC) in NC (Rev. Booher). Pray for covenant children, the youth, and single adults in our churches.

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

Mrs. Otis (health).

All who work with RCM (Offices & Boards in US & Canada; GNBS).

Online students in College & Seminary.

CLA (in Suriname) pray for teachers and PTL for progress in construction. SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM).

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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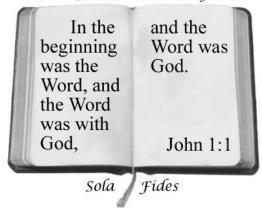
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