ORDER OF SERVICE-MORNING WORSHIP

23 DECEMBER 2012 10:00A

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

CALL TO WORSHIP ISAIAH 30.18

And therefore will the LORD wait, that he may be gracious unto you, and therefore will he be exalted, that he may have mercy upon you: for the LORD is a God of judgment: blessed are all they that wait for him.

**INVOCATION

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PSALM 146.7-10 (P330)

**THE CONFESSION OF GOD'S PEOPLE:

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

THE LORD'S PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS

ISAIAH 32.17-18

And the work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of righteousness quietness and assurance for ever. ¹⁸ And my people shall dwell in a peaceable habitation, and in sure dwellings, and in quiet resting places;

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE; PSALMS PSALM 19

**Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer Matthew 6.9-13

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

JEREMIAH CHAPTER 43

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE-THE SINGING OF PSALMS PSALM 16.1-11 (P23)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

THE COVENANT REWARD OF CHRIST, A NEW PARENTAGE PART 3 ROMANS 8.14-17

THE DOCTRINE OF ADOPTION

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS PSALM 69.30-36 (P142)

^{**}THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S LAW: EXODUS 20.1-17

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 manservant, nor his ass, nor any thing that *is* thy neighbour's.

^{**}CLOSING PRAYER

^{**}BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

^{**} Indicates Congregation Standing

ORDER OF SERVICE-EVENING WORSHIP

23 DECEMBER 2012 2:00P

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

RECITATION OF THE WESTMINSTER CONFESSION OF FAITH 5.7

CALL TO WORSHIP ISAIAH 33.2

² O LORD, be gracious unto us; we have waited for thee: be thou their arm every morning, our salvation also in the time of trouble

**INVOCATION

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PSALM 147.1-5 (P331)

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE; PSALMS

PSALM 20

**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

JEREMIAH CHAPTER 44

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

PSALM 18.20-27 (P30)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

LORD'S SUPPER: FIRST PREPARATION, NOW OBSERVATION, PART 3

1 CORINTHIANS 11.27-31

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

PSALM 24.1-6 (P43)

Westminster Confession of Faith 5.7

As the providence of God doth, in general, reach to all creatures; so, after a most special manner, it taketh care of His Church, and disposeth all things to the good thereof.^a

a. 1 Tim. 4:10; Amos 9:8–9; Rom. 8:28; Isa. 43:3–5, 14.

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