

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, December 3, 2023

*I will praise You with my whole heart; Before the gods I will sing praises to You. I will worship toward Your holy temple, And praise Your name For Your lovingkindness and Your truth; For You have magnified Your word above all Your name. In the day when I cried out, You answered me, And made me bold with strength in my soul. (Psalm 138:1-3)*

\*indicates standing

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Silent Prayer & Meditation

**\*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** (1Cor. 1:3)

**\*Song of Response** Psalter 138B (1,2,3)

**\*Opening Prayer**

**God's Law** Galatians 5:13-26

**Prayer of Confession and Praise**  
(God's assurance: Psalm 138:6-8)

**\*Song of Praise** Psalter 138B (4,5,6)

**Confession of Faith** (see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

**Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Song of Preparation** Psalter-Hymnal #375 (1,2,3)

**Prayer for God's Blessing on His Word**

**Scripture Reading:** 1Corinthians 5:1-13

**Sermon (Rev. Hamid):** 1Corinthians 5:9-13

**\*Respond in Song** Psalter 101 (1,2,4)

**\*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)** (1Peter 5:10-11)

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

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Sermon: 1Corinthians 5:9-13

*For the Church to persist in godly fellowship, immorality must be judged.*

We see that:

1. Godly fellowship calls for judgment within the church.
2. This judgment is to be made according to God's standard for the Church.
3. Godly fellowship requires that godly action be taken against sin.

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

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## The Westminster Confession of Faith

### Chapter 26—Of the Communion of Saints

**WCF 26.1** All saints, that are united to Jesus Christ their Head, by His Spirit, and by faith, have fellowship with Him in His graces, sufferings, death, resurrection, and glory:(1) and, being united to one another in love, they have communion in each other's gifts and graces, (2) and are obliged to the performance of such duties, public and private, as do conduce to their mutual good, both in the inward and outward man.(3)

(1)1 John 1:3; Eph. 3:16-19; John 1:6; Eph. 2:5,6; Phil. 3:10; Rom. 6:5,6; 2 Tim. 2:12

(2)Eph. 4:15,16; 1 Cor. 12:7; 1 Cor. 3:21-23; Col. 2:19

(3)1 Thess. 5:11,14; Rom. 1:11,12,14; 1 John 3:16-18; Gal. 6:10

**WCF 26.2** Saints by profession are bound to maintain an holy fellowship and communion in the worship of God, and in performing such other spiritual services as tend to their mutual edification;(1) as also in relieving each other in outward things, according to their several abilities and necessities. Which communion, as God offereth opportunity, is to be extended unto all those who, in every place, call upon the name of the Lord Jesus.(2)

(1)Heb. 10:24,25; Acts 2:42,46; Isa. 2:3; 1 Cor. 11:20

(2)Acts 2:44,45; 1 John 3:17; 2 Cor. Chapters 8 and 9; Acts 11:29,30

**WCF 26.3** This communion which the saints have with Christ, doth not make them in any wise partakers of the substance of His Godhead; or to be equal with Christ in any respect: either of which to affirm is impious and blasphemous.(1) Nor doth their communion one with another, as saints, take away, or infringe the title or propriety which each man hath in his goods and possessions.(2)

(1)Col. 1:18,19; 1 Cor. 8:6; Isa. 42:8; 1 Tim. 6:15,16; Ps. 45:7; Heb. 1:8,9

(2)Exod. 20:15; Eph. 4:28; Acts 5:4

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## CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Bible Study class (DV resume Jan./24).
- Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; 6: 00-8:00 PM  
[“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 country, gov't and world; for persecuted Church in the world.

Pray for King's: (Sermon-Audio, website)

- Personal concerns and issues in each of our lives.  
God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.  
Parents training children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).  
Pray for widows (Psalm 68:5; James 1:27). Pray for Kiersten (expecting).  
Pray for Pastor's ministry in Suriname (Church & School).

- **HEALTH:** PTL for our health...and restoration to health. 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:

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

Students in College & Seminary.

CLA (Suriname) Classes in second week; construction project.

SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM)

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

# THE KING'S REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

<http://www.krpc.us> {worship live-streamed}

<http://www.sermonaudio.com/krpc>

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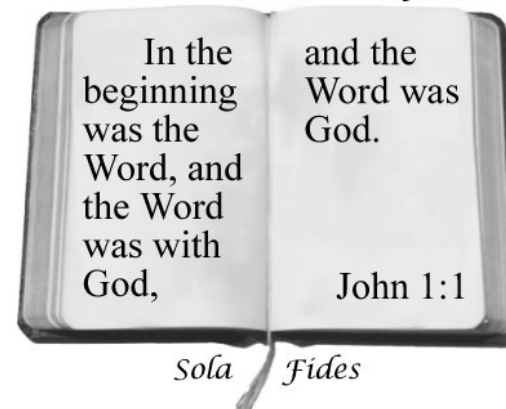
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*Sola Gratia Sola Scriptura*



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

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