## ORDER OF WORSHIP

# Lord's Day, February 12, 2023

God is greatly to be feared in the assembly of the saints, And to be held in reverence by all those around Him. ...Blessed are the people who know the joyful sound! They walk, O LORD, in the light of Your countenance. In Your name they rejoice all day long, And in Your righteousness they are exalted. (Psalm 89:7,15,16)

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter-Hymnal #75 (1,4)

\*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 169 (1,2,6)

\*Opening Prayer

God's Law:

Hebrews 11:8-22

**Prayer of Confession and Praise** 

(God's assurance: Psalm 40:1,2,4a)

\*Song of Praise

Psalter 40A (all)

Confession of Faith & Call to Prepare for Lord's Supper

(see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving** 

Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings

\*Song of Preparation

Psalter 116A (all)

Prayer for God's blessing on His Word

**Scripture Reading:** 

Genesis 49:1-2,16-19,28-33

Sermon: Genesis 49:18, 29-33

\*Respond in Song

Psalter-Hymnal #446 (all)

- \*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)
- \*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: **Genesis 49:18, 29-33** 

Israel's victory of faith in time of death.

#### We see:

- 1. The expectation of his faith (v.18).
- 2. The confession of his faith in the place of burial (vv.29-32).
- 3. The peace of faith in death (v.33).

**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 Heidelberg Catechism

- **1. Q.** What is your only comfort in life and death?
- A. That I am not my own,[1] but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death,[2] to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ.[3] He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood, and has set me free from all the power of the devil.[5] He also preserves me in such a way[6] that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head;[7] indeed, all things must work together for my salvation.[8] Therefore, by His Holy Spirit He also assures me of eternal life[9] and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for Him.[10]
- **18. Q.** But who is that Mediator who at the same time is true God and a true and righteous man?
- <u>A.</u> Our Lord Jesus Christ,[1] whom God made our *wisdom*, our *righteousness and sanctification and redemption* (1Cor. 1:30).
- **19. Q.** From where do you know this?
- A. From the holy gospel, which God Himself first revealed in Paradise.[1] Later, He had it proclaimed by the patriarchs[2] and prophets,[3] and foreshadowed by the sacrifices and other ceremonies of the law.[4] Finally, He had it fulfilled through His only Son.[5]

[1] Gen. 3:15. [2] Gen. 12:3; 22:18; 49:10.

[3] Is. 53; Jer. 23:5, 6; Mic. 7:18-20; Acts 10:43; Heb. 1:1.

[4] Lev. 1:7; John 5:46; Heb. 10:1-10. [5] Rom. 10:4; Gal. 4:4, 5; Col. 2:17.

LORD'S SUPPER PREPARATION

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Lord willing, next Sunday we will again celebrate the Lord's Supper. Let us all prepare for this by examining our hearts and lives and thus partake in a "worthy manner." To examine ourselves, we need to (1) see our sins for what they really are (a terrible thing and worthy of God's judgment in this life and in eternity), (2) confess that we cannot "be good" and cannot find any salvation apart from Jesus Christ, (3) put all of our hope and trust in Jesus as the ONLY Savior from all of our sins, (4) resolve to live a life which continually fights against our sins and seeks to grow in obedience and thankfulness.

<u>Visitors</u>, who are members in good standing of a Bible-believing church, are encouraged to join us; fill out the "declaration" so that we may welcome you.

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#### **CALENDAR**

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Bible Study (email for zoom link if needed)
- <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]

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**OFFERING:** Feb. 5/23—\$ 2,226.00

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## 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.
   Parents training children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).
- HEALTH: PTL for our health...and for restoration to health. Rev. Gibson and others who have issues with health.
- LOVED ONES: Friends & family serving in the military
  Holly's parents (health and God's grace to them).
   Elder Burrell's parents (health); Diana's mother (kidney disease).
   Modolo's in Italy (health & God's blessing in serving Him).

<u>Pray for ministry to the preborn:</u> Pregnancy Centers in our area (Agape). Gibsons (website; presence at PP in Orlando); Michele (Orlando). Legislation in states & in Florida; to stop abortions.

## Pray for Regional Presbytery and the ministry of sister Churches:

- FPC (Suriname; discipline cases); HRPC (North Carolina).
- Pray for covenant children, the youth, and single adults in our churches.

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

- Pray for website management that is needed.
- All who work with RCM (Offices & Boards in US & Canada; GNBS).
- Online students in College & Seminary.
- CLA (school in Suriname).
- SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM).

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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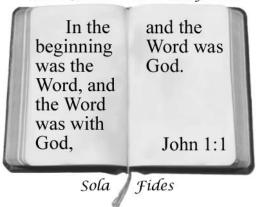
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