## ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Lord's Day, February 16, 2020

O LORD, You have searched me and known me. You know my sitting down and my rising up; You understand my thought afar off. ... You have hedged me behind and before, And laid Your hand upon me.

(Psalm 139:1-2.5)

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter-Hymnal #448 (1,3)

\*The 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

\*Psalm of Response

Psalter 139A (1,2,3)

\*Opening Prayer

God's Law

Jeremiah 17:5-13

Psalter 25C (all)

**Prayer of Confession and Praise** 

(God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 25)

\*Psalm of Praise

**Confession of Faith** 

(see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving** 

Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings

\*Song of Preparation Psalter-Hymnal #289 (1,3,5)

Prayer for God's blessing on His Word

**Scripture Reading:** 

John 21:12-25

Psalter 139C (10,11,13)

**Sermon:** John 21:17

\*Respond in Song \*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)

\*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

## JOHN: The glory of Jesus—Part 39

Sermon: **John 21:17** 

## The glory of Jesus in restoring Peter to fellowship and service.

#### We see:

- The restoration concerns the matter of *love* to Jesus.
- The full restoration is by a three-time: question-response-command.
- The future result of this restoration will involve suffering to God's glory.

#### **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 Westminster Confession of Faith

## Chapter 17—Of the Perseverance of the Saints

WCF 17.1 They, whom God hath accepted in His Beloved, effectually called and sanctified by His Spirit, can neither totally nor finally fall away from the state of grace; but shall certainly persevere therein to the end, and be eternally saved.(1)

(1)Phil. 1:6; 2 Pet. 1:10; John 10:28,29; 1 John 3:9; 1 Pet. 1:5,9.

WCF 17.2 This perseverance of the saints depends not upon their own free will, but upon the immutability of the decree of election, flowing from the free and unchangeable love of God the Father;(1) upon the efficacy of the merit and intercession of Jesus Christ;(2) the abiding of the Spirit, and of the seed of God within them;(3) and the nature of the covenant of grace:(4) from all which ariseth also the certainty and infallibility thereof.(5)

(1)2 Tim. 2:18,19; Jer. 31:3. (2)Heb. 10:10,14; Heb. 13:20,21; Heb. 9:12-15; Rom. 8:33-39; John 17:11,24; Luke 22:32; Heb. 7:25. (3)John 14:16,17; 1 John 2:27; 1 John 3:9. (4)Jer. 32:40. (5)John 10:28; 2 Thess. 3:3; 1 John 2:19.

WCF 17.3 Nevertheless, they may, through the temptations of Satan and of the world, the prevalency of corruption remaining in them, and the neglect of the means of their preservation, fall into grievous sins;(1) and, for a time, continue therein:(2) whereby they incur God's displeasure,(3) and grieve His Holy Spirit,(4) come to be deprived of some measure of their graces and comforts;(5) have their hearts hardened,(6) and their consciences wounded;(7) hurt and scandalize others,(8) and bring temporal judgments upon themselves.(9)

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(1)Matt. 26:70.72.74.
                          (2)Ps. 51:(title), 14.
                                                     (3)Isa, 64:5.7.9: 2 Sam, 11:27.
(4)Eph. 4:30.
                   (5)Ps. 51:8,10.12; Rev. 2:4; Cant. 5:2,3,4,6.
(6)Isa. 63:17; Mark 6:52; Mark 16:14.
                                                (7)Ps. 32:3,4; Ps. 51:8.
(8)2 Sam. 12:14.
                         (9)Ps. 89:31,32; 1 Cor. 11:32.
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#### **CALENDAR**

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Catechism class [next class TBD]
- <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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### 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 and government</u> and for <u>persecuted church in the world</u>.

<u>Pray for King's</u>: (SermonAudio, website, Good News Bible Study)

- Our individual personal concerns and cares in situations of our lives.
- Pray for Session meeting planned for this week.
- Pray for safe travels for Pastor Poettcker (leaving for Suriname this Friday).
- God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.
   Jason (esp re: his situation for transportation to work)

Card's in Dave's different shifts at work.

Families raising children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).

• LOVED ONES:

Robert (Bert's son); inoperable tumor by ear (struggle of faith).

Arlysse (Sharilyn's sister) pancreatic cancer; Sharilyn with her.

Boaz (in Urk); 1 yr. old, thanks his life spared, pray for further treatment.

Bonnie (Mrs. Dunham's friend); health & unsaved family.

Modolo's in Italy (encouragement & opportunity to witness to Gospel)

• HEALTH: Praise the Lord for our health and pray for those who have problems or concerns with health.

Gibson's; his health, and Debbie's recovery from surgery.

Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.

- Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters health; Sam Ledy). Pray for the youth and single adults in our churches.
- Rev Gibson (ongoing ministry "abortionfreeKC")

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

- All who work with RCM (Florida office; Board in US & Canada; GNBS).
- Students in College & Seminary; CLA in Suriname.
- SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM)

Pray for blessing on worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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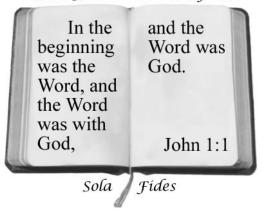
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M. Lord's Day, February 16, 2020

## **Questions for discussion** [Sermon: John 21:17]

| 1. | Why does Jesus ask Peter about his <i>love</i> to Him?  |
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| 2. | Did Jesus ask Peter about his <i>love</i> in order to find out? (explain)   |
| 3. | What may we conclude from the many references to <i>three times</i> in the Bible? And what would it mean in this situation? |
| 4. | On what did Peter base his three answers to Jesus?  |
| 5. | How was Peter's restoration shown?<br>How is this applicable to us?   |
| 6. | What is the result of Peter's restoration?<br>How is this applicable to us?   |
| 7. | In the conclusion of John's Gospel, why is the story not completed or finished?   |