

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, February 21, 2021

*Blessed is the man whose strength is in You, Whose heart is set on pilgrimage. As they pass through the Valley of Baca, They make it a spring; The rain also covers it with pools. They go from strength to strength; Each one appears before God in Zion (Psalm 84:5-7)*

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter 139C (10,13)

**\*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 #159 (all)

**\*Opening Prayer**

**God's Law:** Ephesians 4:17-24

**Prayer of Confession and Praise**

(God's assurance: Job 5:17-18; Hebrews 12:6)

**\*Song of Praise** Psalter 84B (all)

**Confession of Faith** (see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

**Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Song of Preparation** Psalter 119R (1,3,4)

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

**Scripture Reading:** Isaiah 28

**Sermon:** **Isaiah 28:23-29**

**\*Respond in Song** Psalter 92C (1,3,5)

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

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

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Sermon: **Isaiah 28:23-29**

*A proverb to teach of the "wonderful" work of the LORD with His people.*

We see:

1. The LORD plows so that He may sow.
2. The LORD sows selectively so that He may also thresh.
3. The LORD threshes to obtain a crop (fruit).

**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 5—Of Providence

**WCF 5.5** The most wise, righteous, and gracious God doth oftentimes leave, for a season, His own children to manifold temptations, and the corruption of their own hearts, to chastise them for their former sins, or to discover unto them the hidden strength of corruption and deceitfulness of their hearts, that they may be humbled;(1) and, to raise them to a more close and constant dependence for their support upon Himself, and to make them more watchful against all future occasions of sin, and for sundry other just and holy ends.(2)

### Chapter 13—Of Sanctification

**WCF 13.1** They, who are once effectually called and regenerated, having a new heart and a new spirit created in them, are further sanctified really and personally, through the virtue of Christ's death and resurrection,(1) by His Word and Spirit dwelling in them;(2) the dominion of the whole body of sin is destroyed,(3) and the several lusts thereof are more and more weakened and mortified,(4) and they more and more quickened and strengthened in all saving graces,(5) to the practice of true holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord.(6)

**WCF 13.2** This sanctification is throughout in the whole man,(1) yet imperfect in this life; there abideth still some remnants of corruption in every part:(2) whence ariseth a continual and irreconcilable war; the flesh lusting against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh.(3)

**WCF 13.3** In which war, although the remaining corruption, for a time, may much prevail,(1) yet, through the continual supply of strength from the sanctifying Spirit of Christ, the regenerate part doth overcome;(2) and so, the saints grow in grace,(3) perfecting holiness in the fear of God.(4)

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**Short Report of Session Meeting of Feb. 18/21**

Please see report on back table.

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## CALENDAR

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Catechism class. To resume in Fall of 2021
  - Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; 6: 00-8:00 PM  
[“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 country and government and for persecuted church in the world.

Pray for King's: (Sermon-Audio, website, Good News Bible Study)

- Our individual personal concerns and cares in situations of our lives. God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him. Dave in challenges at work and Card family in his different shifts. Parents raising children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).
- **HEALTH:** PTL for our health; pray for any with concerns/trials. Rev Gibson & Debbie; Mr. Dunham (kidney disease).
- **LOVED ONES:** Friends & family serving in the military. Elder Burrell's parents; Diana's mother (kidney disease). Bonnie (Mrs. Dunham's friend); health & unsaved family. Modolo's in Italy (ministry in translating Reformed books; homeschooling of grandchildren; witness of the Gospel).

Pray for Regional Presbytery.

- Ministry of First Presbyterian Church (FPC) in Suriname (Rev. Hamid). Pray for covenant children, the youth, and single adults in our churches
- Church Plant in NC and Elder Booher's work towards exam for ordination.
- Rev Gibson (ongoing ministry of “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 (Suriname), still dealing with “lockdowns” and online teaching.
- SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM)

Pray for blessing on worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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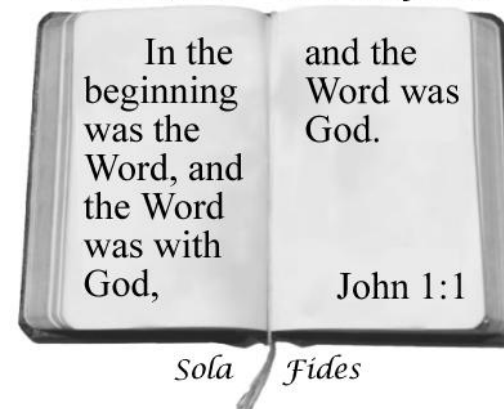
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*Sola Gratia Sola Scriptura*



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

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**Questions for discussion**  
**[Sermon: Isaiah 28:23-29 ]**

1. What is the purpose of this parable (our text)?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. From this parable:  
(a) why does the farmer plow and (b) how long does he plow?  
How do both of these relate to us?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. What is the point of the farmer using selective methods of sowing the different seeds?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What must happen (in farming) to get “fruit” from a crop?!  
How does this relate to us?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. What is our comfort, especially when we get thinking that the trials and chastisements are too hard (and never seem to end)?