

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, June 18, 2023

Serve the LORD with gladness; Come before His presence with singing.
...For the LORD is good; His mercy is everlasting, And His truth
endures to all generations. (Psalm 100:2,5)

[* indicates standing] **Since LS today, fellowship in meal only.**

Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements (see on back page)]

Preparation for Worship: Silent Prayer

(Hab. 2:20;...the LORD is in His holy temple. Let all the earth keep silence before Him.)

***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 100A (1,2,4)

***Opening Prayer**

God's Law: Luke 11:14-28

Prayer of Confession and Praise

(God's assurance: Psalm 51:17)

***Song of Praise** Psalter 51D (1,2,4)

Confession of Faith (see bulletin)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings

***Song of Preparation** Psalter 108C (1,2)

Prayer for God's blessing on His Word

Scripture Reading: Acts 8:1-25

Sermon: Acts 8:4-24

***Respond in Song & Prep. for LS** Psalter-Hymnal #420 (1,3,5)

Administration of the Lord's Supper

***Respond in Song** Psalter #449 (all)

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

*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: Acts 8:4-24

The kingdom of Christ triumphs in Samaria over demonic charm.

We see:

1. The demonic powers in Samaria, including a false profession of faith.
2. Christ rules over the demonic powers and gives liberty and joy.
3. The receiving of the Holy Spirit through the hands of the apostles and the historic rebuke of "simony."

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]

The Apostles' Creed

{The articles of our common and undoubted Christian faith}

1. *I believe in God the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.*
2. *And in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord;*
3. *Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary;*
4. *Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;*
He descended into hell.
5. *On the third day He arose from the dead;*
6. *He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty;*
7. *From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.*
8. *I believe in the Holy Spirit;*
9. *I believe a holy catholic Christian Church, the communion of saints;*
10. *The forgiveness of sins;*
11. *The resurrection of the body;*
12. *And the life everlasting. Amen.*

LORD'S SUPPER CELEBRATION

May the Lord strengthen us in faith and assurance of salvation, as we remember the great purchase price of our redemption -- by eating of the bread and drinking of the cup (which is a picture to believers of His suffering and death for our salvation).

Let us in this way *proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.*

His sacrifice brings us together as nothing else can.

Visitors, 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.

CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Wednesday's (6:30 PM)—Bible Study via Zoom (**DV resume in Fall**)
- 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 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).
Pray for widows (Psalm 68:5; James 1:27). Pray for Kiersten (expecting).
Pray for Session Mtg planned for this week.

- HEALTH: PTL for our health...and restoration to health. Rev. Gibson

- 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).

Pray for ministry to the preborn: 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:

First Presbyterian Church (FPC) in Suriname (Rev. Hamid).

Safe travels for Hamid's (leaving this Tues. to visit & help with CLA shipment)

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).

Online students in College & Seminary.

CLA (school in Suriname) “Vacation school” to June 23.

SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM).

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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

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

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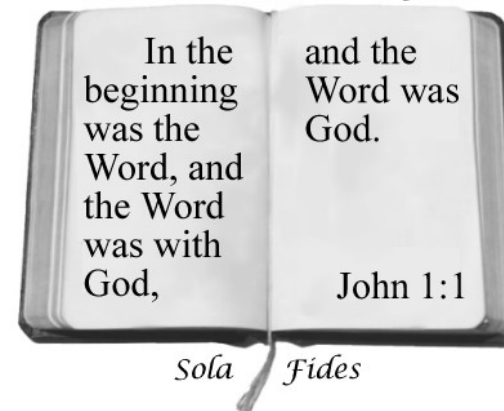
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.

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