

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, July 12, 2015

Oh, sing to the LORD a new song! Sing to the LORD, all the earth. Sing to the LORD, bless His name; Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all peoples. (Psalm 96:1-3)

[* indicates standing]

Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements]

Preparation for Worship: Psalter 138B (1,4)

***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 96A (1,3)

***Opening Prayer**

God's Law Ephesians 5:1-17

Prayer of Confession and Praise

(God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 94:12-14, 18-19)

***Psalm of Praise** Psalter 94A (1,3,4)

Confession of Faith (see bulletin)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

***Song of Preparation** Psalter 25A (all)

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 24:30-34; Philippians 2:12-16

Sermon: (Rev. Hamid) **Proverbs 24:30-34**

***Respond in Song** Psalter 119M (all)

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

***(Moment of Silent Meditation)**

Sermon: **Proverbs 24:30-34**

By observing the lazy, the wise in Christ receives instruction as to the end of such a way.

We see:

1. There is a required wisdom BEFORE such instruction can be received.
2. The wise observes that the way of the lazy is one of neglect and waste.
3. He is instructed that such a way leads to lack and poverty.

CALENDAR

- Sundays: 10:00 AM—Worship Service.
- Sundays: after worship—Informal fellowship in food, singing, prayer, discussion and study.
- Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; at school, 6: 30-8:30 PM
["Theology" is about discussing biblical truth for all of faith and life]

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER: *(Let us know 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 persecuted church in the world.

Pray for King's: (SermonAudio, website, Good News Bible Study)

- Salvation of loved ones and others we know.
- The Lord's blessing on joyful tithing/giving (in box on back table).
- God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.
- Families raising children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).
- Burrell's school (ministering to teachers & families; enrollment).
- Hicks (as members who are away from us).
- Donnan's safe travels; leaving this week for about 2 weeks.
- HEALTH: Pastor Donnan (eyes, heart, diabetes). Gloria Donnan (ongoing recovery; Alzheimer's). Pastor Poettcker's sister-in-law Helen.

Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.

- Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters; seeking pastoral help); Rev. Gibson (pastoral calling).
- Modolo's in Italy (direction; encouragement).

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

- GNBS (progress of programming, ongoing work in editing for various languages and courses). Cheryl Evans grading of students.
- Course production for the M.Div. program.
- Italian and Albanian courses being edited and publishing preparation.
- Financial needs for RCM and RCM personnel.

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

86. Q. Since we have been delivered from our misery by grace alone through Christ, without any merit of our own, why must we yet do good works?

A. Because Christ, having redeemed us by His blood, also renews us by His Holy Spirit to be His image, so that with our whole life we may show ourselves thankful to God for His benefits,[1] and He may be praised by us.[2] Further, that we ourselves may be assured of our faith by its fruits,[3] and that by our godly walk of life we may win our neighbors for Christ.[4]

[1] Rom. 6:13; 12:1, 2; 1 Pet. 2:5-10. [2] Matt. 5:16; 1 Cor. 6:19, 20.

[3] Matt. 7:17, 18; Gal. 5:22-24; II Pet. 1:10, 11.

[4] Matt. 5:14-16; Rom. 14:17-19; 1 Pet. 2:12; 3:1, 2.

87. Q. Can those be saved who do not turn to God from their ungrateful and impenitent walk of life?

A. By no means. Scripture says that no unchaste person, idolater, adulterer, thief, greedy person, drunkard, slanderer, robber, or the like shall inherit the kingdom of God.[1]

[1] 1 Cor. 6:9, 10; Gal. 5:19-21; Eph. 5:5, 6; 1 John 3:14.

88. Q. What is the true repentance or conversion of man?

A. It is the dying of the old nature and the coming to life of the new.[1]

[1] Rom. 6:1-11; 1 Cor. 5:7; II Cor. 5:17; Eph. 4:22-24; Col. 3:5-10.

89. Q. What is the dying of the old nature?

A. It is to grieve with heartfelt sorrow that we have offended God by our sin, and more and more to hate it and flee from it.[1]

[1] Ps. 51:3, 4, 17; Joel 2:12, 13; Rom. 8:12, 13; II Cor. 7:10.

90. Q. What is the coming to life of the new nature?

A. It is a heartfelt joy in God through Christ,[1] and a love and delight to live according to the will of God in all good works.[2]

[1] Ps. 51:8, 12; Is. 57:15; Rom. 5:1; 14:17. [2] Rom. 6:10, 11; Gal. 2:20.

91. Q. But what are good works?

A. Only those which are done out of true faith,[1] in accordance with the law of God,[2] and to His glory,[3] and not those based on our own opinion or on precepts of men.[4]

[1] Joh. 15:5; Rom. 14:23; Heb. 11:6. [2] Lev. 18:4; 1 Sam. 15:22; Eph. 2:10. [3] 1 Cor. 10:31. [4] Deut. 12:32; Is. 29:13; Ezek. 20:18, 19; Matt. 15:7-9.

Questions for discussion: [see on the table]

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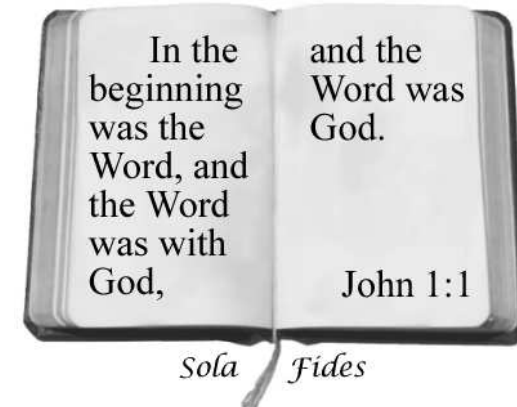
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.

Lord's Day, July 12, 2015

Questions for discussion

[Sermon: Proverbs 24:30-34]

1. What does the believer need in order to look and be able to see?
2. Why does sinful man, even though he sees the sinful acts, reasons away from the sinful nature of man?
3. What enables the wise in Christ to see the consequences of their actions?
4. What is the difference between “working to pay the bills” and “working as unto the Lord?”
5. How can a believer be “spiritually poor”?