

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, July 17, 2011

Praise is awaiting You, O God, in Zion; And to You the vow shall be performed. O You who hear prayer, To You all flesh will come.

(Psalm 65:1,2)

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Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements]

Preparation for Worship

*The Call to Worship

*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 Welcome to His People

*Psalm of Response

Psalter 150B

*Opening Prayer

God's Law

Isaiah 59:1-8

Prayer of Confession and Praise (God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 65:3-5)

*Psalm of Praise

Psalter 65A (all)

Confession of Faith

(see back)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

*Song of Preparation

Psalter 67A (all)

Scripture Reading:

Isaiah 40:1-5; Luke 3:1-20

Sermon:

Isaiah 40:3-5

*Respond in Song

Psalter 34A (all)

*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)

*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: **Isaiah 40:3-5**

The sound of a voice calling in the wilderness to prepare for the Messiah.

We see:

1. The God-given voice calling in the wilderness in the midst of dark times.
2. The necessity of preparation for the coming of the Messiah.
3. The expectation in the coming of the Messiah.

CALENDAR

- Sundays: 10:00 AM—Worship Service.
- Sundays: after worship—Informal fellowship in food, singing, prayer, discussion and study.

RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS:

Offerings:

Disbursements:

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER: *(Let us know your needs 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:
 - God's blessing on the testimony of King's: SermonAudio, our website, the Good News Bible Study (student's needs and work by graders).
 - Session meeting planned for this week.
 - God's blessing in our work, and all we do; as service to God.
 - The Lord's blessing on the joyful tithing/giving (in box on back table).
 - Burrell's (wisdom in school, in adapting to changes in the industry, including accreditation).
 - Fay's son John (thanks for recovery and pray for grace/salvation); Sharilyn's mother (serious problems with eyes); Dexter's daughter Kimberly (congenital heart issues); Dave's father (lung cancer); Pastor Donnan (health); Gloria Donnan (Alzheimer's); Bob & Debbie, friends of Hash's (salvation--health).
- Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.
- Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters); Milton, Wisconsin (Rev. Gibson).
- Ministry of "Church of Christ the King" in Italy—Giorgio Modolo
- Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:
 - Reformed churches in Indonesia and Philippines and their use of seminary program.
 - Pastor Napoleon Narag in Philippines suffering from polyarteritis nodosa. Fairly serious.
 - Students in various programs; and progress in course production.
 - Plans for new school year at CLA, Suriname; praise that shipment was cleared last week and all arrived "intact."
 - RCM's various needs & challenges (esp. finances & personnel needs)

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 33—Of the Last Judgment

WCF 33.1 God hath appointed a day, wherein He will judge the world in righteousness by Jesus Christ,(1) to whom all power and judgment is given of the Father.(2) In which day, not only the apostate angels shall be judged,(3) but likewise all persons that have lived upon earth shall appear before the tribunal of Christ, to give an account of their thoughts, words, and deeds; and to receive according to what they have done in the body, whether good or evil.(4)

(1)Acts 17:31 (2)John 5:22,27 (3)1 Cor. 6:3; Jude 6; 2 Pet. 2:4
(4)2 Cor. 5:10; Eccl. 12:14; Rom. 2:16; Rom. 14:10,12; Matt. 12:36,37

WCF 33.2 The end of God's appointing this day is for the manifestation of the glory of His mercy, in the eternal salvation of the elect; and of His justice, in the damnation of the reprobate, who are wicked and disobedient. For then shall the righteous go into everlasting life, and receive that fullness of joy and refreshing, which shall come from the presence of the Lord; but the wicked who know not God, and obey not the Gospel of Jesus Christ, shall be cast into eternal torments, and be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of His power.(1)

(1)Matt. 25:31 to the end; Rom. 2:5,6; Rom. 9:22,23; Matt. 25:21;
Acts 3:19; 2 Thess 1:7-10

WCF 33.3 As Christ would have us to be certainly persuaded that there shall be a day of judgment, both to deter all men from sin; and for the greater consolation of the godly in their adversity;(1) so will He have that day unknown to men, that they may shake off all carnal security, and be prepared to say, Come Lord Jesus, come quickly, Amen.(2)

(1)2 Pet. 3:11,14; 2 Cor. 5:10,11; 2 Thess. 1:5-7; Luke 21:7,28; Rom. 8:23-25
(2)Matt. 24:36,42,43,44; Mark 13:35-37; Luke 12:35,36; Rev. 22:20

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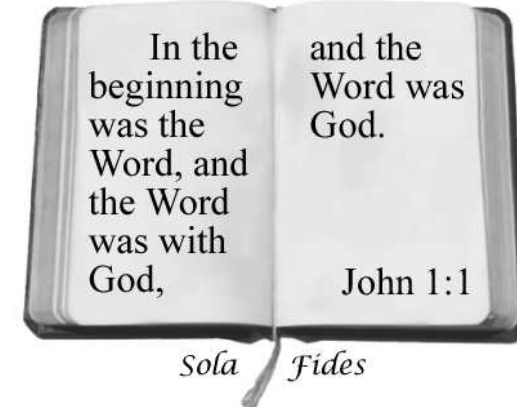
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