

# Shreveport Grace Church

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## OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP

### SUNDAY

[Live Streaming \(Audio and Video\)](#)

WORSHIP - 11:00 AM

**Choruses from Chorus Book**

**Scripture Reading:** [Psalm 47](#) (Bob)

**Call to Worship:** 'The Wondrous Work of Grace'

**Scripture Reading:** [Hebrews 10](#) (Mike)

**Hymn # 309-** 'Beneath the Cross of Jesus'

**Scripture Reading:** [Exodus 29:29-46](#) (David)

**Message-** 'A Sanctified Priesthood'

**Hymn # 355-** 'From Every Stormy Wind That Blows'

**The LORD's Table**

**Hymn # 272-** 'The Solid Rock'

[Live Streaming \(Audio and Video\)](#)

### WEDNESDAY

7:00 PM- Studies in the book of Esther

### FRIDAY

7:00 AM- International Worship (Malawi)

10:00 AM- Bible Study in French

### SATURDAY

8:00 AM- Fellowship in Christ

### SUNDAY

7:00 AM- International Worship (Malawi)

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**Radio Broadcasts every Sunday Morning (CST):**

**9:00 KWKH AM Radio 1130, Shreveport, LA area or LIVE streaming @ <http://1130thetiger.com/listen-live>**

## Call to Worship

(Tune # 228– ‘My Faith Has Found a Resting Place’)

**T**he Mighty Spirit of the LORD,  
Broke through my stony heart.  
And by a wondrous work of Grace,  
New Life He did impart.  
I trust no more upon the works,  
Which in the flesh I wrought.  
But now I rest in Christ alone,  
Who my redemption bought.

To justice Jesus paid the debt,  
Which I could never pay.  
And by His sacrificial death,  
He washed my sin away.  
Redeemed by blood poured out for me,  
When Christ was crucified,  
By Faith I now the Son embrace,  
Because I'm justified.

Led by the Spirit of the LORD,  
I walk this earthly road.  
No condemnation do I dread,  
Christ paid the debt I owed.  
Ere long when I the Savior see,  
I shall be glorified.  
Awaking in His likeness then,  
I shall be satisfied.

## Biblical Worship

*"Then they that gladly received his word were baptized:  
and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.  
And they continued stedfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship,  
and in breaking of bread, and in prayers."*

[\(Acts 2:41-42\)](#)

## The Gospel of Christ

*"...separated unto the gospel of God (Which he had promised afore by his prophets in the holy scriptures,) Concerning his Son Jesus Christ our LORD, which was made of the seed of David according to the flesh; And declared to be the Son of God with power, according to the spirit of holiness, by the resurrection from the dead..."*

[\(Romans 1:1-4\)](#)

The Gospel is Christ set forth fulfilling the promise to save His people from their sin. The Word was with God and the Word was God and the Word was made flesh, [John 1:1-14](#). He was born of a virgin as prophesied and fulfilled all prophecy concerning Him that was promised to come, [Galatians 4:4](#). He is the Messiah, the Messenger of the Covenant, [Malachi 3:1](#). God was manifest in the flesh and His name is Jesus Christ Who is the Son of God and the Son of Man being fully God and fully man. He lived perfectly before God the Father fulfilling the whole law, having no sin in Him.

He came for the purpose of saving His people from their sin, [Matthew 1:21](#). He calls them His sheep, some from the Jews and some from a different fold of the Gentiles, [John 10:15-16](#). His sheep were given to Him by the Father before the creation of the world and due to their sin, He was sent to redeem them and pay their ransom, [Ephesians 1:4](#). He had to satisfy the Father's justice and the demands of the law for their sin against Him. The wage of sin is death and that is why Jesus went to the cross willingly, [1 Peter 2:24](#). He bore their sin in His body on the cross, He offered Himself up as the Perfect Sacrifice and as their High Priest He entered into the Holiest of Holies, [Hebrews 10:19](#).

The Father poured out His wrath on Jesus for the punishment of the sin of His elect. Just before Jesus gave up the Ghost and died, He cried out triumphantly IT IS FINISHED! [John 19:30](#). He declared that the work of propitiation was accomplished and that He had redeemed His people. When Christ died and rose again, He was justified in the Spirit while representing His people as their Mediator. Since Christ was justified in the Spirit, those that He was representing were justified and acquitted with Him, [Romans 8:30](#); [1 Timothy 3:16](#). The Scriptures declare His church, the children of the

Promise, even the children of the adoption, were buried with Him and raised with Him, [Ephesians 2:4-6](#). That is how fully He represented them as if they were there with Him. He rose from the grave on the third day proving that the whole work of salvation was accomplished and that there is now no condemnation for those in Christ Jesus and therefore the elect of God are no longer under the law but under the Grace of God, [Romans 4:25](#); [Romans 8:1](#).

The LORD Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to be the Comforter of His people and to quicken them from spiritual death unto Spiritual Life, to convince them of their sin and to testify to them that Jesus Christ has saved them from their sin, [John 16:12-14](#). He reveals to them the righteousness of God in Christ, which was imputed to His chosen people when Christ died. In doing so, He gives them the Gift of Faith and repentance in which they believe on the LORD Jesus Christ, their God and Savior. Thereby, their election is made known to them by the power of the Holy Spirit and they have the assurance of salvation, [Romans 8:16](#).

Mike Holt

## True Peace

**F**ear not; for I have redeemed thee. [Isa. 43:1](#)

***Fear not; for thou shalt not be ashamed: neither be thou confounded;  
for thou shalt not be put to shame: for thou shalt forget the shame of thy youth,  
and shalt not remember the reproach of thy widowhood any more.  
For thy Maker is thine husband; the LORD of hosts is his name;  
and thy Redeemer the Holy One of Israel. [Isa. 54:4-5](#)***

***I have blotted out, as a thick cloud, thy transgressions, and, as a cloud,  
thy sins: return unto me; for I have redeemed thee. [Isa. 44:22](#)***

***With the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot. [1 Pet. 1:19](#)***

***My Father, which gave them me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand. [John 10:29](#)***

**Grace be to you and peace from God the Father, and from our LORD Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father: to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen. [Gal. 1:3-5](#)**

*Daily Light on the Daily Path*

### **The Believer's Perfection**

***"For by one offering He hath perfected forever them that are sanctified."***

***[\(Hebrews 10:14\)](#)***

**S**criptures declare that by one Offering God HAS PERFECTED forever those that HE sanctified (set apart in Christ in election, redemption and regeneration). It is the particular grace of God to cause the sinner to own his or her sin and to know that ***"...in this flesh dwelleth NO GOOD THING."*** [\(Romans 7:18\)](#) It is the Grace of God to give His children eyes to look by Faith to Christ Who fulfilled all that God the Father's law and justice required both in His perfect obedience to the precepts of His law but also in paying its penalty. So complete was His work of righteousness that He earned and established, that upon completion of His death, God the Father justified once and for all, every sinner for whom Christ paid the debt. What a comfort for God's true children that when the Spirit of God makes them feel the weight of their sin, they are also made to see the preciousness of the blood that His Son shed, whereby they are accepted in the Beloved [Christ Jesus], [Ephesians 1:6](#). As one dear child of God declared, "The believer's perfection is in Christ. Oh that He may condescend to teach me and lead me to look straight out of self to the glorious Christ!" What others have as their goal in striving for perfection, we as the LORD's redeemed ones have as a reality already because of Christ's death. We dare not look within ourselves, nor even to the graces of the Spirit as our perfection. We look to the LORD Jesus Christ alone and believe the report of His Word, ***"And ye are complete in Him."*** [\(Colossians 2:10\)](#)

*Ken Wimer*