

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE

February 12, 2023

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Welcome of Guests and Announcements

Prelude

ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship

Ps. 37:5-9

Commit your way to the Lord, trust also in Him, and He shall bring it to pass.

He shall bring forth your righteousness as the light, and your justice as the noonday.

Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for Him;

Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way, because of the man who brings wicked schemes to pass.

Cease from anger, and forsake wrath;

Do not fret – it only causes harm.

For evildoers shall be cut off;

But those who wait on the Lord, they shall inherit the earth.

Prayer of Invocation

* Hymn # 73.....**“Rejoice, All People, Homage Give”**

* Old Testament Scripture Reading.....Psalm 23

CONFESSION OF SIN

From the Dutch Psalter of Peter Dathenus (1566).....read responsively

O eternal God and merciful Father, we humble ourselves before Your great Majesty against which we have frequently and grievously sinned.

We acknowledge that we deserve nothing less than eternal death.

We are unclean before You and children of wrath.

We continually transgress Your commandments, failing to do what You have commanded us, and doing that which You have expressly forbidden.

We all like sheep have gone astray; we have turned everyone to his own way.

We acknowledge our waywardness, and are heartily sorry for all our sins.

We confess, to our humiliation and to the praise of Your mercy, that our transgressions are innumerable, and that our debt is so great that we cannot even begin to repay.

We are not worthy to be called Your children, nor to lift up our eyes heavenward to You in prayer.

Nevertheless, O Lord God and gracious Father, we know that You do not desire the death of the sinner, but rather that he should turn to You and live.

We know that Your mercy toward those who turn to You is infinite, and so we take courage to call upon You from the depths of our hearts, trusting in our Mediator Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God Who takes away the sin of the world.

Forgive all our sins for Christ's sake. Have compassion upon us in our infirmities.

Wash us in the pure fountain of His blood, so that we may become clean and white as snow.

Cover us with His innocence and righteousness, for the glory of Your Name.

Deliver our understanding from all blindness, and our hearts from all willfulness and rebellion.

We pray this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the promise of God to all who repent of their sins and trust in Christ:

Jesus said, “I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die.”

Jn. 11:25-26a

Amen!

CONFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

* Hymn # 462.....**“Grace! 'Tis a Charming Sound”**

* New Testament Scripture Reading.....Matthew 26:31-35

The Westminster Shorter Catechism.....read responsively

Q. 14. What is sin?

A. **Sin is any want of conformity unto, or transgression of, the law of God.**

Q. 15. What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?

A. **The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created, was their eating the forbidden fruit.**

Q. 16. Did all mankind fall in Adam's first transgression?

A. **The covenant being made with Adam, not only for himself, but for his posterity; all mankind, descending from him by ordinary generation, sinned in him, and fell with him, in his first transgression.**

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

* Doxology.....page xvi

* Offertory Prayer

* Hymn # 575....."Soldiers of Christ, Arise"

MEANS OF GRACE

Prayer of Intercession

* Reading of the Word of God.....1 Timothy 1:18-20

Sermon: "Fight the Good Fight".....Dr. Jones

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

* Hymn # 580....."Lead On, O King Eternal"

* Benediction

* Congregational Threefold Amen

1 Timothy 1:18-20 (NKJV)

¹⁸ This charge I commit to you, son Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you may wage the good warfare, ¹⁹ having faith and a good conscience, which some having rejected, concerning the faith have suffered shipwreck, ²⁰ of whom are Hymenaeus and Alexander, whom I delivered to Satan that they may learn not to blaspheme.

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Pastor

" To Glorify God, and Enjoy Him Forever "

DeRidder Presbyterian Church Announcements

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We welcome all worshippers, especially our new visitors.
Please talk to the pastor about scheduling a visit in your home this week.

COMMUNION – We observe the Lord’s Supper each Lord’s Day during our corporate worship. The center cups contain grape juice for those who cannot partake of the wine in good conscience.

SCRIPTURE READINGS – Please take the time now to mark the places in your Bibles for the Scripture readings later in the service.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL – Next Sunday we will have a Fellowship Meal at the church. Please plan now to attend.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – Happy Birthday to Becky Hodge, this Tuesday, February 14.

BIBLE STUDY – This Wednesday we will read the fourth chapter of *Words to Winners of Souls* by Horatius Bonar.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School.....9:45 A.M.
Fellowship & Coffee.....10:30 A.M.
Corporate Worship.....11:00 A.M.
This Sunday the URL for YouTube is:.....<https://youtu.be/WudBkrTWflg>

Wednesday

Bible Study & Prayer Meeting.....6:30 P.M.

Pregnancy Care Center

420 McMahon Street
DeRidder, Louisiana 70634
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Office Hours:
Tues. and Wed. 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

DeRidder Presbyterian Church Prayer Requests

THE CHURCH

DeRidder PC.....10 new families; evangelistic zeal
Vanguard Presbytery.....Vanguard Presbyterian Church
New Life Presbyterian mission.....Tillsonburg, Ontario, Canada
Persecuted Christians.....Afghanistan; China

MISSIONARIES

African Bible Colleges.....Students and teachers
Bill Carr (Native American Ministry Regional Director)..... Fargo, ND
Pregnancy Care Center.....Financial needs; wisdom for board and volunteers

CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN

(Under Age 20)

Laynie Burch (com member) Aria Morrison (non com member)
Abigail Godwin (assoc member) Kamden Waldrop (com member)
Matthew Lungrin (com member) Kenna Waldrop (com member)
Theresa Lungrin (non com member)

SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Chaplain Steven and Sarah Lanclous & family (Navy).....Okinawa, Japan
Steven Lungrin.....Fort Polk
Jon and Rita Munson & family... Jon to DC until November; Rita in GA with children
Adrian and Stephanie Stark & family.....Fort Polk
Cody and Caitlin Waldrop & family.....Fort Polk

EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Lydia Bergman Sarah Lanclous
Alison Clowers

GENERAL HEALTH & OTHER CONCERNS

Pam (Bruce’s sister).....Salvation
Doug Barberousse.....Back pain
Don and Cheryl Dobson (Griffith’s friends).....General health
Robert Griffith.....Disc problem in lower back
Kent Jacobs (Lessie’s cousin).....Needs kidney transplant
Ron Ladwig (Lisa’s nephew).....Three strokes
Greg Prudhomme.....Back and knees, upcoming back surgery

CANCER

Mollie Anderson.....Breast cancer in remission
Brenda Brown (Chris Brown’s mother).....Cancer recurrence; recovery from Covid
Sam Crifasse (friend of Doug’s).....Bladder cancer in remission
Stella Hodge (Bruce’s mother).....Salvation; breast cancer
Rita Munson.....Ovarian Clear Cell Carcinoma (OCCC) in remission
Pamela Roper.....Kidney cancer; to MD Anderson for surgery
Marge Smith.....Lung cancer in remission
Janice Wright.....Cancer in remission

