

ORDER OF SERVICE—MORNING WORSHIP

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PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP: MEDITATION AND SILENT PRAYER, 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO WORSHIP SERVICE.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

2 CHRONICLES 2.4

Behold, I build an house to the name of the LORD my God, to dedicate *it* to him, *and* to burn before him sweet incense, and for the continual shewbread, and for the burnt offerings morning and evening, on the sabbaths, and on the new moons, and on the solemn feasts of the LORD our God. This *is an ordinance* for ever to Israel.

**INVOCATION

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 28.1-9 (P52)

**THE RECITATION OF GOD'S LAW: EXODUS 20.1-17 (READ IN UNISON BY ALL)

¹ And God spake all these words, saying, ² I *am* the LORD thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. ³ Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

⁴ Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of *any thing* that *is* in heaven above, or that *is* in the earth beneath, or that *is* in the water under the earth: ⁵ Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God *am* a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth *generation* of them that hate me; ⁶ And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

⁷ Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

⁸ Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. ⁹ Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work: ¹⁰ But the seventh day *is* the sabbath of the LORD thy God: *in it* thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that *is* within thy gates: ¹¹ For *in* six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them *is*, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it.

¹² Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

¹³ Thou shalt not kill.

¹⁴ Thou shalt not commit adultery.

¹⁵ Thou shalt not steal.

¹⁶ Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

¹⁷ Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that *is* thy neighbour's.

**THE CONFESSION OF GOD'S PEOPLE:

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

THE LORD'S PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS

2 CHRONICLES 6.37, 39

Yet *if* they bethink themselves in the land whither they are carried captive, and turn and pray unto thee in the land of their captivity, saying, We have sinned, we have done amiss, and have dealt wickedly... Then hear thou from the heavens, *even* from thy dwelling place, their prayer and their supplications, and maintain their cause, and forgive thy people which have sinned against thee.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

ROMANS CHAPTER 3

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

MATTHEW 6.9-13

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

NUMBERS CHAPTER 3

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 29.1-6 (P53)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

BLESSED ARE THE PERSECUTED PART 7

HOW CAN PERSECUTION BE A BLESSED THING? PART 4, HEBREWS 12.4-10

THE COVENANT MEAL OF CHRIST'S PEOPLE: THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 29.7-11 (P54)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

** Indicates Congregation Standing

ORDER OF SERVICE—EVENING WORSHIP

14 OCTOBER, 2007 2:15P

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GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECITATION OF THE LARGER CATECHISM OF THE WESTMINSTER ASSEMBLY: QUESTION # 62

CALL TO WORSHIP

2 CHRONICLES 5.13

It came even to pass, as the trumpeters and singers *were* as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the LORD; and when they lifted up *their* voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of musick, and praised the LORD, *saying*, For *he is* good; for his mercy *endureth* for ever: that *then* the house was filled with a cloud, *even* the house of the LORD

**INVOCATION:

PRAYER FOR THE WORSHIP SERVICE

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 30.1-7A (P55)

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, NEW TESTAMENT:

ROMANS CHAPTER 4

**THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE-MAKING SUPPLICATION TO GOD FOR THINGS AGREEABLE TO HIS WILL

PLEASE MAKE YOUR REQUESTS KNOWN TO THE PASTOR BEFORE THE SERVICE FOR PUBLIC PRAYER

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE, OLD TESTAMENT

NUMBERS CHAPTER 4

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 30.7B-12(P56)

CHRIST'S INSTRUCTION TO HIS PEOPLE: THE PREACHED WORD

WESTMINSTER CONFSSION OF FAITH CHAPTER 2.1: THE DOCTRINE OF GOD

PROOFS? FOR THE EXISTENCE OF GOD

**THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE: THE SINGING OF PSALMS

PSALM 31.1-8 (P57)

**CLOSING PRAYER

**BENEDICTION AND DISMISSAL

QUESTION # 62: WHAT IS THE VISIBLE CHURCH?

ANSWER:

THE VISIBLE CHURCH IS A SOCIETY MADE UP OF ALL SUCH AS IN ALL AGES AND PLACES OF THE WORLD DO PROFESS THE TRUE RELIGION,^A AND OF THEIR CHILDREN.^B

A. 1 COR. 1:2; 12:13; ROM. 15:9–12; REV. 7:9; PS. 2:8; 22:27–31; 45:17; MATT. 28:19–20; ISA. 59:21.

B. 1 COR. 7:14; ACTS 2:39; ROM. 11:16; GEN. 17:7

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