

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, November 23, 2014

Praise waiteth for thee, O God, in Sion: and unto thee shall the vow be performed. O thou that hearest prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come. Iniquities prevail against me: as for our transgressions, thou shalt purge them away. Blessed is the man whom thou choosest, and causest to approach unto thee, that he may dwell in thy courts: we shall be satisfied with the goodness of thy house, even of thy holy temple. (Psalm 65:1-4)

[* indicates standing]

Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements]

Preparation for Worship by silent prayer

***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 Welcome to His People**

***Psalm of Response (back of bulletin)** Psalter 134B

***Opening Prayer**

God's Law Exodus 32-33

Prayer of Confession and Praise
(God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 34:17-18,21-22)

***Psalm of Praise** Psalter 65A

Confession of Faith WCF 3 (1-5)

Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving

***Song of Preparation** Psalter 145C

Scripture Reading: Romans 8:31-9:18

Sermon Romans 9:14-16

***Song of Response** Psalter 110

***Benediction** (God's parting Word of blessing) 2 Corinthians 13:11, 14

*(**Moment of Silent Meditation**)

The righteousness of God's sovereign mercy.

1. How Sovereign Mercy is Asserted
2. How It is Proved from Scripture
3. How Its Righteousness is Maintained

CALENDAR

- Sundays: 10:00 AM—Worship Service.
- Sundays: after worship—Informal fellowship in food, singing, prayer, discussion and study.
- Pizza & Theology—will not be held this Friday due to Thanksgiving.

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)
 - 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).
 - Pastor Poettcker's work in Suriname through Dec. 18).
 - **HEALTH:** Each of us (young or older); Pastor Donnan (heart, thyroid, adrenals, eyes); Gloria Donnan (Alzheimers), colds going around.
- Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.
 - Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid); Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters); Pray for wisdom and direction for Rev. Gibson seeking a call in Kansas City and for Des Moines church seeking pastoral help.
- Fellowship group meeting in Italy—Giorgio Modolo (encouragement).
- Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:
 - Pray for Liberia; threat of Ebola disease and problems relating to it.
 - All who work in RCM, including the grading, programming, and editing for the Good News Bible Study.
 - Urgent need of finding a reliable and effective programmer for GNBS
 - Seminary and B.Ed. students in various countries.
 - Completion of the seminary courses for the M.Div. program and all involved.
 - RCM and its personnel's financial needs, esp. Pastor Poettcker, Pastor Otis
 - Website and newsletter outreach.

Psalm 134B

Bless the Lord all servants of the Lord, Ye who nightly guard the house of the Lord

Lift up your hands in the holy place, and pray and bless the Lord alone.

The Lord who made the heaven and the earth, Bless you from out of Zion.

Westminster Confession of Faith Chapter 3

Of God's Eternal Decree

1. God, from all eternity, did, by the most wise and holy counsel of his own will, freely, and unchangeably ordain whatsoever comes to pass (1): yet so, as thereby neither is God the author of sin (2), nor is violence offered to the will of the creatures; nor is the liberty or contingency of second causes taken away, but rather established.(3) 1) Eph. 1:11; Rom. 11:33; Heb. 6:17; Rom. 9:15,18. (2) James 1:13,17; 1 John 1:5. (3) Acts 2:23; Matt. 17:12; Acts 4:27,28; John 19:11; Prov. 16:33.
2. Although God knows whatsoever may or can come to pass upon all supposed conditions(1), yet hath he not decreed anything because he foresaw it as future, or as that which would come to pass upon such conditions. (1) (1) Acts 15:18; 1 Sam. 23:11,12; Matt. 11:21,23. (2) Rom. 9:11,13,16,18.
3. By the decree of God, for the manifestation of his glory, some men and angels (1) are predestinated unto everlasting life; and others foreordained to everlasting death.(2) 1) 1 Tim. 5:21; Matt. 25:41. (2) Rom. 9:22,23; Eph. 1:5,6; Prov. 16:4.
4. These angels and men, thus predestinated, and foreordained, are particularly and unchangeably designed, and their number so certain and definite, that it cannot be either increased or diminished.(1) (1) 2 Tim. 2:19; John 13:18.
5. Those of mankind that are predestinated unto life, God, before the foundation of the world was laid, according to his eternal and immutable purpose, and the secret counsel and good pleasure of his will, hath chosen, in Christ, unto everlasting glory (1), out of his mere free grace and love, without any foresight of faith, or good works, or perseverance in either of them, or any other thing in the creature, as conditions, or causes moving him thereunto (2); and all to the praise of his glorious grace.(3) (1) Eph. 1:4,9,11; Rom. 8:30; 2 Tim. 1:9; 1 Thess. 5:9. (2) Rom. 9:11,13,16; Eph. 1:4,9. (3) Eph. 1:6,12.

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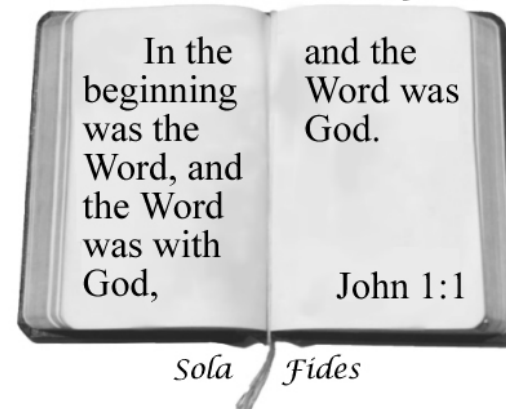
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.

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Questions for Discussion

1. What is the purpose of even the "hard texts" in the Word of God
2. What does God's "sovereignty" mean?
3. What comfort does God's sovereign mercy provide the true believers?
4. What does God mean when He says that it is not of him that wills or him that runs?
5. What place is there for willing and running with respect to man in regards to his salvation?
6. Did Moses change God's mind about blotting out people from the book of life after Moses ask Him to blot him out if God did not save all of Israel.
7. What is wrong with the question, "Is there unrighteousness with God?"