

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, May 17, 2020

Give unto the LORD the glory due to His name; Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness. ...The voice of the LORD makes the deer give birth, And strips the forests bare; And in His temple everyone says, "Glory!" ...The LORD will give strength to His people; The LORD will bless His people with peace. (Psalm 29:2,9,11)

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter-Hymnal # 491 (*Gloria Patri*)

\***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 Greeting to His People**

\***Psalm of Response** Psalter-Hymnal #51 (1,3,4)

\***Opening Prayer**

**God's Law** Psalm 2

**Prayer of Confession and Praise**

(God's assurance of pardon: Psalm 2:12b)

\***Psalm of Praise** Psalter-Hymnal #431 (1,2,9)

**Confession of Faith** (see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

**Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings**

\***Song of Preparation** Psalter 119K (1,2,4)

**Prayer for God's blessing on His Word**

**Scripture Reading:** Hebrews 1:1-4; 13:18-25

**Sermon:** **Hebrews 1:1-3**

\***Respond in Song** Psalter 2 (1,3,4)

\***Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)**

\***(Moment of Silent Meditation)**

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**HEBREWS: The absolute greatness of Jesus as Son—Part 1**

(So that God's people will not become complacent and compromise, but persevere)

Sermon: **Hebrews 1:1-3**

*Jesus is greater than the prophets and thus the complete and final Word of God.*

We see:

1. In the *past* God spoke in the *prophets* (v.1)
2. Now God speaks in a *Son* (v.2a).
3. The greatness of this *Son* (vv. 2b,3).

**Questions for discussion:** [see on the table]

The church is called to be a confessing church, that she may be,  
the pillar and ground of the truth (1Tim. 3:15,16)

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**The Westminster Confession of Faith**

**Chapter 1—Of the Holy Scriptures**

**WCF 1.1** Although the light of nature, and the works of creation and providence do so far manifest the goodness, wisdom, and power of God, as to leave men inexcusable;(1) yet are they not sufficient to give that knowledge of God, and of His will, which is necessary unto salvation:(2) therefore it pleased the Lord, at sundry times, and in divers manners, to reveal Himself, and to declare that His will unto His Church;(3) and afterwards, for the better preserving and propagating of the truth, and for the more sure establishment and comfort of the Church against the corruption of the flesh, and the malice of Satan and of the world, to commit the same wholly unto writing;(4) which maketh the Holy Scripture to be most necessary;(5) those former ways of God's revealing His will unto His people being now ceased.(6)

**The Belgic Confession**

**Article 10 – Jesus Christ True and Eternal God**

We believe that Jesus Christ according to His divine nature is the only-begotten Son of God,<sup>1</sup> begotten from eternity, not made, nor created – for then He would be a creature – but of the same essence with the Father, equally-eternal, who reflects the glory of God and bears the very stamp of His nature (Heb 1:3), and is equal to Him in all things.<sup>2</sup> He is the Son of God, not only from the time that He assumed our nature but from all eternity,<sup>3</sup> as these testimonies, when compared with each other, teach us: Moses says that God created the world;<sup>4</sup> the apostle John says that all things were made by the Word which he calls God.<sup>5</sup> The letter to the Hebrews says that God made the world through His Son;<sup>6</sup> likewise the apostle Paul says that God created all things through Jesus Christ.<sup>7</sup> Therefore it must necessarily follow that He who is called God, the Word, the Son, and Jesus Christ, did exist at that time when all things were created by Him. Therefore He could say, Truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am (John 8:58), and He prayed, Glorify Thou Me in Thy own presence with the glory which I had with Thee before the world was made (John 17:5). And so He is true, eternal God, the Almighty, whom we invoke, worship, and serve.

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## CALENDAR

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Catechism class
- Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; 6: 00-8:00 PM  
[“Theology” is about discussing biblical truth for all of faith and life]

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**BE FAITHFUL IN PRAYER:** (*Email 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 for persecuted church in the world.

Pray for King's: (Sermon-Audio, website, Good News Bible Study)

- Our individual personal concerns and cares in situations of our lives.
- God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.
- **LOVED ONES:**  
Elder Burrell's mother (difficult time to know what illness is);  
patience and wisdom for Elder Burrell.  
Arlisse (Sharilyn's sister) PTL for good results from CT scan last week.  
Bonnie (Mrs. Dunham's friend); health & unsaved family.  
Modolo's in Italy (relations with family & opportunity to witness to Gospel)
- **HEALTH:** PTL for our health; pray for those with concerns/trials.

Pray for Regional Presbytery and sister churches and their needs.

- Ministry of CRPC churches: Suriname (Rev. Hamid);  
Des Moines, Iowa (Rev. Waters health; Sam Ledy).  
Pray for covenant children, the youth and single adults in our churches.
- Rev Gibson (health & ongoing ministry of “abortionfreeKC”)

Pray for King's mission work through Reformation Christian Ministries:

- All who work with RCM (Florida office; Board in US & Canada; GNBS).
- Students in College & Seminary.
- CLA (Suriname); pray for planning for exams & end of school year.
- SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM)

Pray for blessing on worship in Tithes & Offerings.

### Short Report of Session Meeting of May 14/20

- Discussed several pastoral matters.
- Decided to continue to wait to again celebrate the LS.
- Discussed matters relating to future preaching schedule.
- Next meeting, Lord willing, June 10/20.
- Thank you for your prayers, The Session.

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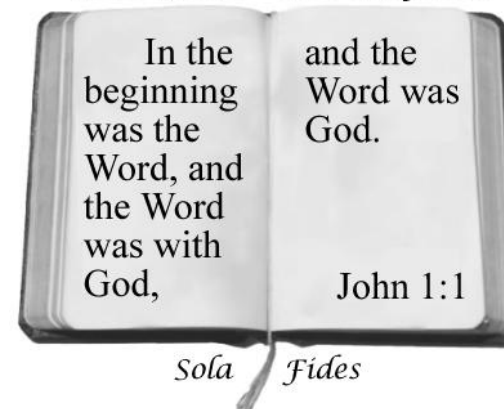
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*Sola Gratia Sola Scriptura*



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**Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.**

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