# ORDER OF WORSHIP

# Lord's Day, June 6, 2021

Give ear to my words, O LORD, Consider my meditation. ... You are not a God who takes pleasure in wickedness, Nor shall evil dwell with You. ... But as for me, I will come into Your house in the multitude of Your mercy; In fear of You I will worship toward Your holy temple.

(Psalm 5:1,4,7)

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter-Hymnal #81 (1,3)

\*God's 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

\*Song of Response

Psalter 5B (1,2,3)

\*Opening Prayer

God's Law:

1John 3

**Prayer of Confession and Praise** 

(God's assurance: Psalm 133)

\*Song of Praise

Psalter 133A (all)

**Confession of Faith** 

(see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving** 

Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings

\*Song of Preparation

Psalter-Hymnal #289 (1,3,5)

Prayer for God's blessing on His Word

**Scripture Reading:** 

Genesis 4:1-8

Sermon:

**Genesis 4:3-8** 

\*Respond in Song

Psalter 51D (1,2,4)

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

\*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

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Sermon: Genesis 4:3-8

Cain shows the love of sin and its sad consequences. (Part A)

### We see:

- 1. The lover of sin worships God (vv. 3-5).
- 2. The lover of sin is warned by God (vv. 6,7).
- 3. The downward spiral of sin (v. 8).

**Ouestions 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)

## The Heidelberg Catechism

- **4. Q.** What does God's law require of us?
- A. Christ teaches us this in a summary in Matthew 22: You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.[1] This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets.[2] [1] Deut. 6:5. [2] Lev. 19:18.
- **5. Q.** Can you keep all this perfectly?
- <u>A.</u> No,[1] I am inclined by nature to hate God and my neighbor.[2] [1] Rom. 3:10, 23; I John 1:8, 10. [2] Gen. 6:5; 8:21; Jer. 17:9; Rom. 7:23; 8:7; Eph. 2:3; Tit. 3:3.

## The Westminster Confession of Faith

- WCF 6.1 Our first parents, being seduced by the subtlety and temptation of Satan, sinned in eating the forbidden fruit.(1) This their sin, God was pleased, according to His wise and holy counsel, to permit, having purposed to order it to His own glory.(2)
  (1)Gen. 3:13; 2 Cor. 11:3. (2)Rom. 11:32.
- WCF 6.2 By this sin, they fell from their original righteousness and communion with God,(1) and so became dead in sin,(2) and wholly defiled in all the parts and faculties of soul and body.(3)

(1)Gen. 3:6,7,8; Eccl. 7:29; Rom. 3:23. (2)Gen. 2:17; Eph. 2:1. (3)Tit. 1:15; Gen. 6:5; Jer. 17:9; Rom. 3:10-18.

<u>WCF 6.3</u> They being the root of all mankind, the guilt of this sin was imputed,(1) and the same death in sin and corrupted nature conveyed to all their posterity, descending from them by ordinary generation.(2)

(1)Gen. 1:27,28; Gen. 2:16,17; Acts 17:26; Rom. 5:12,15,16,17,18,19; 1 Cor. 15:21.22.45.49.

(2)Ps. 51:5; Gen. 5:3; Job 14:4; Job 15:14.

### **CALENDAR**

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Catechism class. To resume in Fall of 2021
- 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.

(Sermon-Audio, website, ministry to preborn) Pray for King's:

- 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. Dave in challenges at work and Card family in his different shifts. Parents raising children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere). Beth Card training & working in Minnesota on an organic farm.
- HEALTH: PTL for our health; pray for those with concerns/trials. Rev Gibson (ongoing health issue).
- LOVED ONES: Friends &family serving in the military. Elder Burrell's parents; Diana's mother (kidney disease). Bonnie (Mrs. Dunham's friend); health & unsaved family. Modolo's in Italy (translating Reformed books; homeschooling).

## Pray for ministry to the preborn:

- J.D. as coordinator.
- Rev Gibson (Abortion-Free KC)
- Michele (Pro-Life Action Ministries (plam.org))
- Pray for all legislation aimed to stop abortions.

# Pray for Regional Presbytery and the ministry of sister Churches:

- First Presbyterian Church (FPC) in Suriname (Rev. Hamid).
- Heritage Reformed Presbyterian Church (HRPC) in NC (Rev. Booher).
- Pray for covenant children, the youth, and single adults in our churches.

# 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
- PTL for two new students in College (from CLA)
- CLA (Suriname); now having "vacation school" for about a month.
- SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM)

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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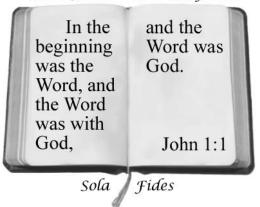
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M. Lord's Day, June 6, 2021

# Questions for discussion [Sermon: Genesis 4:3-8]

1.	What should impress us about the fact that both Cain and Abel brought <i>offerings</i> to God.
2.	What were these first recorded offerings about?
3.	What does it mean that God <i>respected</i> one offering and did <i>not respect</i> the other? How did Cain know God did <i>not respect</i> his offering?
4.	What was the <u>difference</u> (how do we learn this?!)?
5.	How did God respond to Cain and His offering?
6.	What takes place (with Cain and with us) if we do not head the warnings from God about sin?
7.	How should Cain (and you & me) rule over sin?