ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, July 31, 2022

I will extol You, O LORD, for You have lifted me up, ... You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; You have put off my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness, ... To the end that my glory may sing praise to You and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give thanks to You forever. (Psalm 30:1a,11,12)

[* indicates standing]

Prelude: [Welcome, Announcements] Since LS today, fellowship in meal only.

Preparation for Worship: Psalter-Hymnal #54 (1,2,3)

*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-Hymnal #52 (1,2,5)

*Opening Prayer

God's Law:

Isaiah 61:1-3

Prayer of Confession and Praise

(God's assurance: Psalm 139:11,12)

*Song of Praise

Psalter 139B (5.6.8)

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: 2Corinthians 4:16 – 5:11
Sermon: 2Corinthians 5:1-4
*Respond in Song & Prep. for LS
Psalter 138B (1,2,)

Administration of the Lord's Supper

*Respond in Song Psalter 138B (4,5,6)

*Benediction (God's parting Word of blessing)

*(Moment of Silent Meditation)

Sermon: 2Corinthians 5:1-4

Living by faith in the present life of afflictions.

We see:

- 1. The believer *knows* he is body and soul.
- 2. The believer faces troubles (groans) in this life.
- 3. In the midst of troubles, the believer should not *desire* escape but glory.

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)

The Apostles' Creed

This Creed is called the *Apostles' Creed*, not because it is a production of the apostles themselves, but because it contains a brief summary of their teachings. It sets forth their doctrine, as has been well said, "in sublime simplicity, in unsurpassable brevity, in beautiful order, and with liturgical solemnity." In its present form, it is of no later date than the fourth century. More than any other creed of Christendom, it may justly be called an ecumenical symbol of faith.

{The articles of our common and undoubted Christian faith}

- 1. I believe in God the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.
- 2. And in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord;
- 3. Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary;
- 4. Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell.
- 5. *On the third day He arose from the dead;*
- 6. He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
- 7. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
- 8. I believe in the Holy Spirit;
- 9. I believe a holy catholic Christian Church, the communion of saints;
- 10. The forgiveness of sins;
- 11. The resurrection of the body;
- 12. And the life everlasting. Amen.

LORD'S SUPPER CELEBRATION

May the Lord strengthen our faith as we receive the visible and physical elements as a reminder of the invisible and spiritual truth of salvation through the suffering and death of our only Savior and Lord. And also, in this Supper, may the Lord revive in us the hope of His coming, and bringing us to glory.

Let us, proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.

Visitors, who are members in good standing of a Bible-believing church, are encouraged to join us; fill out the "declaration" so that we may welcome you.

CALENDAR

- Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Bible Study class to resume in Fall.
- <u>Pizza & Theology—Last Friday of month; 6: 00-8:00 PM</u> ["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 <u>country</u>, <u>gov't and world</u>; for <u>persecuted Church in the world</u>.

<u>Pray for King's</u>: (Sermon-Audio, website)

- Pray for Session Mtg planned for this week.
- Personal concerns and issues in the lives of others.
 God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.
 Parents training children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).
- HEALTH: PTL for our health...and restoration to health. Rev. Gibson
- LOVED ONES: Friends & family serving in the military
 Holly's parents (father's better health and God's grace to them).
 Elder Burrell's parents (health); Diana's mother (kidney disease).
 Modolo's in Italy (God's blessing & encouragement; esp. homeschooling).

Pray for ministry to the preborn: Pregnancy Centers in our area (Agape).

Rev Gibson (website); Michele (Orlando).

Legislation in states & in Florida; to stop abortions.

Pray for Regional Presbytery and the ministry of sister Churches:

- FPC (Suriname); HRPC (North Carolina).
- Pray for full restoration to health for 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 (Offices & Boards in US & Canada; GNBS).
- Students in College & Seminary
- CLA (Suriname); summer break and planning for new school year.
- SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM)

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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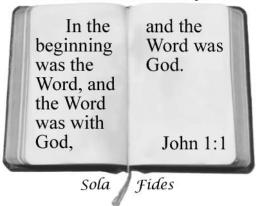
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Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M. Lord's Day, July 31, 2022

Questions for discussion[Sermon: 2Corinthians 5:1-4]

1.	What two-fold <i>house</i> do we have in this life? Is this true for everyone?
2.	In what sense do we have an eternal house?
3.	What does we groan (vv.2,4) refer to? How does this speak to those who claim, "God wants to heal you of all physical problems"?
4.	In this groaning, what is our deep <i>desire</i> , and what is NOT to be our <i>desire</i> ?
5.	What does it mean to be <i>further clothed</i> ?
6.	So, how are we to live in this life, esp facing afflictions?