

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Lord's Day, April 28, 2024

*Those who trust in the LORD Are like Mount Zion, Which cannot be moved, but abides forever: As the mountains surround Jerusalem, So the LORD surrounds His people From this time forth and forever: (Ps.125:1,2)*

[\* indicates standing]

**Prelude:** [Welcome, Announcements (see on back page)]

**Preparation for Worship:** Psalter-Hymnal #322 (1,2)

**\*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 #267 (all)

**Opening Prayer**

**God's Law** Romans 3:9-20

**Prayer of Confession and Praise**

(God's assurance: Romans 3:21-26)

**\*Song of Praise** Psalter 72A (all)

**Confession of Faith** (see bulletin)

**Prayer of Requests with Thanksgiving**

**Worship in giving of Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Song of Preparation** Psalter 85B (all)

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

**Scripture Reading:** Psalm 14

**Sermon:** **Psalm 14**

**\*Respond in Song** Psalter 92C (1,2,3,5)

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

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

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Sermon: **Psalm 14**

*They have all turned aside.*

We see:

1. The *heart* of the wicked as the universal condition of *all*.
2. The eyes of the *LORD God* on *all*.
3. The comfort and prayer of the godly.

**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 Heidelberg Catechism

**2. Q.** What do you need to know in order to live and die in the joy of this comfort?

**A.** First, how great my sins and misery are;[1] second, how I am delivered from all my sins and misery;[2] third, how I am to be thankful to God for such deliverance.[3]

[1] Rom. 3:9, 10; 1 John 1:10. [2] John 17:3; Acts 4:12; 10:43.

[3] Matt. 5:16; Rom. 6:13; Eph. 5:8-10; 1Pet. 2:9, 10.

**3. Q.** From where do you know your sins and misery?

**A.** From the law of God.[1]

[1] Rom. 3: 20

**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?

**A.** No,[1] I am inclined by nature to hate God and my neighbor.[2]

[1] Rom. 3:10, 23; 1 John 1:8, 10.

[2] Gen. 6:5; 8:21; Jer. 17:9; Rom. 7:23; 8:7; Eph. 2:3; Tit. 3:3.

**6. Q.** Did God, then, create man so wicked and perverse?

**A.** No, on the contrary, God created man good[1] and in His image,[2] that is, in true righteousness and holiness,[3] so that he might rightly know God His Creator,[4] heartily love Him, and live with Him in eternal blessedness to praise and glorify Him.[5]

[1] Gen. 1:31. [2] Gen. 1:26, 27. [3] Eph. 4:24. [4] Col. 3:10. [5] Ps. 8.

**7. Q.** From where, then, did man's depraved nature come?

**A.** From the fall and disobedience of our first parents, Adam and Eve, in Paradise,[1] for there our nature became so corrupt[2] that we are all conceived and born in sin.[3]

[1] Gen. 3. [2] Rom. 5:12, 18, 19. [3] Ps. 51:5.

**8. Q.** But are we so corrupt that we are totally unable to do any good and inclined to all evil?

**A.** Yes,[1] unless we are regenerated by the Spirit of God.[2]

[1] Gen. 6:5; 8:21; Job 14:4; Is. 53:6. [2] John 3:3-5.

## CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday's (6:00 PM)—Bible Study via Zoom>**resume ASAP.**
- 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, gov't and world; for persecuted Church in the world.

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

- Personal concerns and issues in the lives of other members.  
God's blessing in our work, and all we do, as service to Him.  
Hayden in job training (at Ascension Island).  
Parents training children (to know God's blessing and grace to persevere).  
Pray for widows (Psalm 68:5; James 1:27).  
Pray for Pastor's safe travels (leaving this Tues. AM).  
Pray for Elder Burrell in leading worship in Pastor's absence.
- 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 father (cancer concerns).  
Modolo's in Italy (homeschooling, family relations, translation).

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

Gibsons (website & outreach); Michele (Orlando).  
Legislation in states & in Florida; 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 (Offices & Boards in US & Canada; GNBS).  
Pray for Mrs. Otis and God to bless the new protocol to fight cancer.  
Online students in College & Seminary.  
CLA (in Suriname) God's blessing on all who work there & the students.  
SALT (ministry of Pastor Poettcker with RCM).

Pray for blessing on our worship in Tithes & Offerings.

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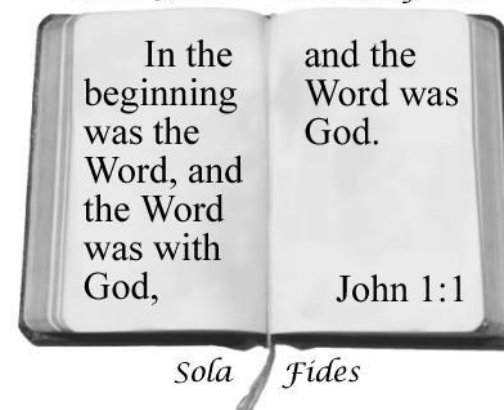
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**Worship Service: Sundays 10:00 A.M.**

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