

A community of believers devoted to the apostles' doctrine and fellowship in the breaking of bread and in prayers

Order of Worship - July 21, 2024

Call to worship

Hymnal #526: The Solid Rock (My Hope is Built...)

Scripture reading: Psalm 93, pastoral prayer

Overhead: Be Thy Mercy

Sermon: Judgment of This World's System
Revelation 18:1-24

Prayer of response to sermon

Overhead: My Soul Finds Rest (Psalm 62)

Songbook #90: In Christ Alone

The Lord's Supper

Overhead: Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Who are to come to the Lord's Table?

Born-again baptized believers, not practicing willful unrepentant sin, who are united to Christ as part of a sound evangelical church.

Those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins but nevertheless trust that their sins are pardoned and that their continuing weakness is covered by the suffering and death of Christ, and who also desire more and more to strengthen their faith. The Heidelberg Catechism Q.81

1 Corinthians 11:27-30 admonishes us to partake of the Table with self-examination and careful regard for the body of Christ. Failure to do so may subject us to chastisement. If you have significant conflict with others in the church, please refrain from participating today and make efforts to reconcile.

You may give cheerfully in the offering box or through the Zelle app.

Visitors

- ▶ Put your welcome card in the offering box, we have free resources for you!
- ▶ During the sermon: Nursery for children under age 3. Class for ages 4-6 on 1st & 3rd Sundays.
- ▶ Free evangelism materials in the foyer.
- ▶ Elders are available after service to pray or answer questions.

After Service

Agape Fellowship

Elders Joseph LoSardo Damien Garofalo Eli Adamo Ibrahim Haro

Deacons (Wayne)
Sal Molinaro
Paul Chiagoro
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Sermon Outline

Judgment of This World's System Revelation 18:1-24

I. Introduction: Two men, two foundations, and two ends

II. Exposition:

- A. A declaration of "Babylon's" fall (vv.1-8)
 - She has received due wages for her sins (vv.3-8)
- **B.** The inhabitants' reaction to "Babylon's" fall (vv.9-20)
 - Mourning over the loss of their pleasure and gain
- C. The extent of "Babylon's" fall (vv.21-23)
 - Final and complete

III. Application:

- 1. Build your hope on a solid foundation (1 John 2:17)
- 2. Be of this world but not of it (v.4; John 17:14; 2 Cor 7:1)
- 3. Store up your treasures in heaven (Matt 6:20-21)
- 4. Keep your eyes on the eternal kingdom (2 Peter 3:13)