

GRACE



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The Lord's Day Worship

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NOTE: All Scripture is taken from the English Standard Version Bible

* Denotes Congregation Standing

Pianist

Miss Carrie Thibault

Announcements and Welcome

Licentiate David Thibault

Cleansed By God

God's Law Word – Philippians 2:3-8

Silent Prayers of Confession and Repentance

Assurance of God's Pardon: Philippians 2:9-11

Called by God

* Call to Worship

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

(Matthew 28:19)

Amen.

Grace, mercy, and peace to you from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. (cf. I Timothy 1:2) The Lord be with you.

And also with you. Amen! (cf. Ruth 2:4)

Let us worship God Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, (Ephesians 1:3)

even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. (Ephesians 1:4)

In love he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, (Ephesians 1:5)

to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. (Ephesians 1:6)

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord. Amen.

* Hymn # 165 "Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim"

* Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

* #735 "Gloria Patri"

Consecrated By God

Responsive Readings of Christian Servants:

Numbers 11:16-30 and Philippians 1:12-18

Then the LORD said to Moses, "Gather for me seventy men of the elders of Israel, whom you know to be the elders of the people and officers over them, and bring them to the tent of meeting, and let them take their stand there with you.

And I will come down and talk with you there. And I will take some of the Spirit that is on you and put it on them, and they shall bear the burden of the people with you, so that you may not bear it yourself alone.

And say to the people, 'Consecrate yourselves for tomorrow, and you shall eat meat, for you have wept in the hearing of the LORD, saying, "Who will give us meat to eat? For it was better for us in Egypt."

Therefore the LORD will give you meat, and you shall eat.

You shall not eat just one day, or two days, or five days, or ten days, or twenty days,

but a whole month, until it comes out at your nostrils and becomes loathsome to you, because you have rejected the LORD who is among you and have wept before him, saying, "Why did we come out of Egypt?"

But Moses said, "The people among whom I am number six hundred thousand on foot, and you have said, 'I will give them meat, that they may eat a whole month!'

Shall flocks and herds be slaughtered for them, and be enough for them? Or shall all the fish of the sea be gathered together for them, and be enough for them?"

And the LORD said to Moses, "Is the LORD's hand shortened? Now you shall see whether my word will come true for you or not."

So Moses went out and told the people the words of the LORD. And he gathered seventy men of the elders of the people and placed them around the tent.

Then the LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the Spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. And as soon as the Spirit rested on them, they prophesied. But they did not continue doing it.

Now two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the Spirit rested on them. They were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied

in the camp.

And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp."

And Joshua the son of Nun, the assistant of Moses from his youth, said, "My lord Moses, stop them."

But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the LORD's people were prophets, that the LORD would put his Spirit on them!"

And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel,

so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ.

And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear.

Some indeed preach Christ from envy and rivalry, but others from good will.

The latter do it out of love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel.

The former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely but thinking to afflict me in my imprisonment.

What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is proclaimed, and in that I rejoice. Yes, and I will rejoice.

Songs of Christian Servants:

- * Bulletin Insert page 6 "Make Me A Servant"
- * Hymn # 590 "Jesus, Master, Whose I Am"
- * Sermon Texts: Mark 9:30-41
Sermon Title: "What Makes A Christian Great?"

Prayer of Application

- * Hymn # 433 "O God of Mercy, God of Might"

Communion with God

Prayer of God's People

- * Confessing the Faith Together

The Nicene' Creed – Found on page 846 in the back of the Hymnal



Invitation to the Lord's Supper

You are cordially invited to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a believer in Christ, have been baptized, are a communicant member in a Bible-believing church, and regularly attend church worship. We use wine in our celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Reverend Charles McIlhenny

Distribution of Bread: Hymn # 327 verses 1-3 "One Day He's Coming"

Distribution of Wine: Hymn # 327 verses 4-5 "One Day He's Coming"

Commissioned by God

- * Hymn # 585 "Take My Life, And Let It Be"
- * Benediction

****NURSERY** is provided for children under 3 from the sermon through the remainder of the worship service. The nursery is located in the room behind the kitchen. (Nursery Worker Today: Susan Wood)

Our Tithes and Offerings to God

An integral part of our worship is to bring God a token of our increase. Your tithes and offerings may be placed in the small box at the back of the room. As we will give thanks to God for his gifts *during* the service, we encourage you to make your offering *before* the service.



<i>Refreshments</i>	Today	Patty Yamazaki
	November 16	Susan Wood
	November 23	Tuggy Family
	November 30	Thibault Family
	<i>Lord's Supper</i>	<i>Usher</i>
November	Lorien Tuggy	Glen & Vicki Tuggy
December	Patty Yamazaki	Need A volunteer

“What Makes A Christian Great?”

I. Serving with the H_____ M_____

of C_____ (Verses 30-32, Philippians 2:3-11, Mark 10:42-45)

II. Serving Without C_____ R_____

(Verses 33-35, I Corinthians 3:4-7 and 9:13-18, II Corinthians 10:12)

III. Serving Those Who Are W_____ and

H_____ (Verses 36-37, Exodus 22:22-24, Isaiah 1:16-23, James 1:27)

A. Jesus P_____ and E_____ a

C_____

B. This Done in C_____ N_____

IV. Serving G_____ with All of Christ's

O_____ S_____ - Avoiding

N_____ E_____ and

J_____ in Service (verses 38-40, Numbers 11:16-30, Philippians 1:12-18)

V. Serving in Seemingly I_____ W_____

(verse 41, Acts 9:36-43, Matthew 25:40)



Today

- 11:00 am Fellowship Break
11:30 am Sunday School For All Ages
1:00 pm Youth Group at the Thibaults' Home
(Szeneri – Chips and Drinks, Thibault –Fruit
Tuggy – Main Dish, Wood – Dessert)
5:30 pm Praise, Prayer, and Study

This Week

- Tuesday 7:00 pm Outreach Committee Meeting at Szeneris' Home
Thursday 7:30 pm Prayer Meeting at the Tuggys' Home
Saturday 5:30 pm Harvest Dinner: Speaker – Chris Hartshorn
See Betty or Icela for how you may help

Next Sunday (November 16)

- 9:30 am Worship Service
11:30 am Sunday School for all ages
5:30 pm Praise, Prayer, and Study

Upcoming

- November 22 11:30 am Ladies Lunch and Walk
November 23 6:00 pm Faith Family (Make Christmas Gifts for Royale residents to be given when we go caroling there)
November 27 10:00 am Thanksgiving Day Service
November 28 5:00 pm – 10:00 pm Presbytery Youth Service Project
See David for how you may get involved
(Operation Shoebox)
December 7 2:30 pm Youth Group Christmas Party
December 13 6:00 pm Women's Christmas Party
December 14 5:00 pm Caroling at Royale followed by Faith Family
December 20 11:00 am Youth Christmas Dinner Preparation Day
December 21 5:30 pm Christmas Dinner and Program hosted by our Youth **NOTE THE DATE CHANGE**

