

GRACE



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The Lord's Day Worship

A.D. August 30, 2015

* Denotes Congregation Standing

Pianist

Announcements and Welcome

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Licentiate David Thibault

Cleansed By God

God's Law Word – I Peter 2:19-21

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon – II Corinthians 8:9 and 5:21

Called By God

* Call to Worship

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

Amen.

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

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

Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. (Psalm 24:7)

Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle! (Psalm 24:8)

Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. (Psalm 24:9)

Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory! (Psalm 24:10)

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord. Amen.

* Hymn # 241 "Thou Dost Reign on High"

* Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

(Found on the back cover of the Trinity Hymnal)

* Hymn # 734 "Gloria Patri"

Consecrated by God

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 21:22-23 and Joshua 10:24-28

New Testament Readings Read Responsively:

And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, (John 3:14)

that whoever believes in him may have eternal life (John 3:15)

“ And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.”
(John 12:32)

He said this to show by what kind of death he was going to die.

(John 12:33)

And though they found in him no guilt worthy of death, they asked Pilate to have him executed.(Acts 13:28)

And when they had carried out all that was written of him, they took him down from the tree and laid him in a tomb. (Acts 13:29)

And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, (Acts 10:39)

The God of our fathers raised Jesus, whom you killed by hanging him on a tree.(Acts 5:30)

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us—for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree"(Galatians 3:13)

so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

(Galatians 3:14)

For the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. (I Corinthians 1:18)

For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart." (I Corinthians 1:19)

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

(I Corinthians 1:20)

For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. (I Corinthians 1:21)

For Jews demand signs and Greeks seek wisdom, (I Corinthians 1:22)

but we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles, (I Corinthians 1:23)

but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. (I Corinthians 1:24)

For the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men. (I Corinthians 1:25)

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. (Galatians 2:20)

But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.

(Galatians 6:14)

* Hymn #251 “Beneath the Cross of Jesus”

* Insert “The Power of the Cross”

Sermon Text: Mark 15:16-26

Sermon Title: “The Crucifixion of the King”

Prayer of Application

* Hymn of Response # 252 “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Communion with God

The Prayers of God’s People

* Confessing the Faith Together – The Nicene Creed

Found on page 846 of the Trinity Hymnal

Commissioned by God

* Hymn # 255 “O Jesus, We Adore Thee”

* Benediction

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.



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

Happy Birthday!



Happy Birthday

Jan (Sept. 16)

Glen (Sept. 18)

Mark L. (Sept. 24)

Happy Anniversary

Jim and Judith

(Sept. 27)



“The Crucifixion of the King”

I. The King Was Crucified with Great Suffering

A. H_____ M_____ (Psalm 22:6 &18)

B. P_____ A_____ (Isaiah 53,
Psalm 69:21)

II. The King Was Crucified O_____ the C_____ - Our S____ O_____ (Exodus 29:14, Leviticus 16:27, Hebrews 13:11-12, II Corinthians 5:21)

III. The King Was Crucified as a C_____ for His B_____ P_____ (Deuteronomy 21:22-23, Galatians 3:13-14 and 2:20)

IV. B_____ in Our C_____ K_____! (Galatians 6:14 and I Corinthians 1:31)

Congregational Meeting Announcement

The Session is calling for a special meeting of the congregation of Grace Orthodox Presbyterian Church to be convened at 12:00 pm on Sunday, September 6, at the church facility. The purpose of the meeting is to seek the congregation’s consent to the appointment of Reverend Charles McIlhenny as an augmented member of the session by the Presbytery of Southern California of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church upon the ordination and installation of Elder David Thibault as the church’s pastor. The meeting is being called in accordance with the OPC Form Of Government, Chapter XIII, Paragraph 10, and Chapter XVI, Paragraphs 1 and 3.

<i>Refreshments</i>	Today	Patty
	September 6	Betty
	September 13	Judith
	September 20	Susan
	<i>Lord's Supper</i>	<i>Usher</i>
August	Judith	Bob
September	Amy	Mark L.



Today

- 11:00 am Fellowship Break
- 11:30 am Sunday School for All Ages
- 5:30 pm All-Church Birthday Party

This Week

- Tuesday 7:00 pm Session Meeting
- Thursday 6:00 pm Missionary Night with the Farniks at the Thibault Home. Dinner will be provided

Next Sunday (September 6)

- 9:30 am Worship Service
- 11:30 am Sunday School for All Ages
- 12:00 pm Congregational Meeting
- 12:30 pm Fellowship Meal
- 2:00 pm SCPA Worship Service
- ~3:30 pm Youth Group at the Thibaults
(Szeneri - Main Dish; Thibault - Chips and Drinks;
Tuggy - Dessert; Wood - Fruit and Vegetables)

Upcoming

- September 12 3:30 pm Ordination Service – Here
- September 19 3:00 pm Kenton and Michaela Wedding
- September 26 1:00 pm Ladies' Blanket Project at Phyllis' Home
- October 15-17 Presbytery Meeting
- October 17 8:30 am Women's Auxiliary of the Presbytery
- October 24 10:00 am Ladies' Tea
- October 25 3:30 pm Reformation Day Service at Long Beach OPC

