

## The Lord's Day Worship

A.D. February 21, 2016

NOTE: All Scripture is taken from the English Standard Version except where stated otherwise.

\* Denotes congregation standing

Announcements and Welcome

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#### **Cleansed By God**

God's Law-Word for His People Exodus 20:1-17

And God spoke all these words, saying, "I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

"You shall have no other gods before me.

"You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

"You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

"Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

"You shall not murder.

"You shall not commit adultery.

"You shall not steal.

"You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

"You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's."

Consider the words of the psalmist as we approach the Lord with silent prayers of confession and repentance. "Hide your face from my sins, and blot out my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me." (Psalm 51:9-10)

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon: Galatians 4:4-7

#### **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. The Lord be with you. (cf. I Timothy 1:2)

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

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! (Psalm 95:1)

Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! (Psalm 95:2)

For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods.(Psalm 95:3)

Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker! (Psalm 95:6)

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord. Amen.

- \* Hymn # 97 "We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator"
- \* Invocation and Lord's Prayer
- \* Hymn # 734 "Gloria Patri"

#### **Consecrated by God**

Old Testament Responsive Reading: Psalm 103 (Found on Trinity Hymnal pages 821-822)

New Testament Reading: Romans 11:33-36

\* Hymn # 53 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Sermon Text: Psalm 112

Sermon Title: "The Triumphant Hero"

Prayer of Application

\* Hymn of Response # 34 "The God of Abraham Praise"

## **Communion with God**

Prayers of God's People

\* Confessing the Faith Together: The Nicene Creed Found on page 846 of the Trinity Hymnal

**Invitation to the Lord's Supper** 

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

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Distribution of Bread: # 705 "I Know Whom I Have Believed"
Distribution of Wine: # 253 "There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood"

#### **Commissioned by God**

\* Hymn # 179 "Hallelujah! Thine the Glory"

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

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**



Thomas (Feb. 21), Susan (Feb. 26) Mark P. (Mar. 12), Chuck (Mar. 17), Adam (Mar. 19)



	Today	Vicki
Refreshments	February 28	Susan
	March 6	Patty
	March 13	Judith
	Lord's Supper	Usher
February	Icela	Jan
March	Michaela	Kenton
Greeter	February	Lynn
	March	Kenton and Michaela

#### **Today**

11:00 am Fellowship

11:30 am Sunday School for All Ages 5:30 pm Praise, Prayer, and Study

#### This Week

Tuesday 7:00 pm Outreach Committee Meeting at the Szeneris' Home

Thursday 7:30 pm Prayer Meeting at the Tuggys' Home

#### Next Sunday (February 28)

9:30 am Worship Service

11:00 am Fellowship

11:30 am Sunday School for All Ages

6:00 pm Faith Family at the Andruss' Home

## **Upcoming**

March 4-5 Presbytery at Westminster OPC

March 5 8:30 am Women's Auxiliary of the Presbytery Meeting

March 11 8:00 pm Ladies' Night at the Theater

March 24 7:30 pm Maundy Thursday Service

March 27 Easter

April 1 7:00 pm Game Night at the Mc Clellands' Home

April 8-10 Women's Retreat

April 23 8:30 am Ladies' 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarterly Meeting

# Southern California OPC Women's Retreat



April 8-10, 2016

Camp Maranatha Idyllwild, California

Speaker:

Sherry Wagner



## Topic: What's in your Mirror?

- This Crooked Generation: A history of where we are and how we got here
- Advice from a Tree: Reflecting Christ in the family
- The Choir of Perfect Harmony: Reflecting Christ in the church
- > Autobot or Decepticon?: Reflecting Christ in the world

Sign up now! Save money and register early. Early registration deadline is March 15<sup>th</sup>. Scholarships available for first-time applicants.