

GRACE



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The Lord's Day Worship

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

* Denotes congregation standing

Cleansed By God

God's Law-Word: – Philippians 4:4-6

Silent Prayers of Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon: Colossians 1:11-14

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)

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. (Psalm 46:1)

There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High. (Psalm 46:4)

God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns. (Psalm 46:5)

The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

(Psalm 46:7)

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord. Amen.

* Hymn # 40 “God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength”

* Invocation and Lord's Prayer

(Found on the back cover of the Trinity Hymnal)

* Hymn # 734 “Gloria Patri”

Consecrated by God

Responsive Reading of God's Word: Rejoicing in God's Provision

I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come? (Ps 121:1)

My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

(Psalm 121:2)

He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber. (Psalm 121:3)

Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

(Psalm 121:4)

The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand. (Psalm 121:5)

The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.

(Psalm 121:6)

The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.

(Psalm 121:7)

The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore. (Psalm 121:8)

To you I lift up my eyes, O you who are enthroned in the heavens!

(Psalm 123:1)

Behold, as the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, as the eyes of a maidservant to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, till he has mercy upon us.

(Psalm 123:2)

Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us, for we have had more than enough of contempt. (Psalm 123:3)

Our soul has had more than enough of the scorn of those who are at ease, of the contempt of the proud. (Psalm 123:4)

So have no fear of them, for nothing is covered that will not be revealed, or hidden that will not be known. (Matthew 10:26)

What I tell you in the dark, say in the light, and what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. (Matthew 10:27)

And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul.

Rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. (Mt 10:28)

Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? And not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. (Matthew 10:29)

But even the hairs of your head are all numbered. (Matthew 10:30)

Fear not, therefore; you are of more value than many sparrows.

(Matthew 10:31)

And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:19)

To our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.

(Philippians 4:20)

* Hymn # 95 “Though Troubles Assail Us”

“God-Centered”

I. A God-Centered Focus

A. For D _____

B. For I _____ (Psalm 130:7-8)

C. For S _____ - S _____

II. A God-Centered Rejection

A. P _____ in H _____ (Psalm 101:5 and 138:6)

B. P _____ in A _____ (Proverbs 6:16-17 and 30:12-13)

C. P _____ (Deut. 29:29, Psalm 121 and 123)

III. A God-Centered Peace

A. C _____ (Isaiah 28:25)

B. Q _____ (Psalm 130:5-6, Lamentations 3:25-26)

IV. A Jesus-Centered Psalm

A. He Had No P _____ or P _____
(Philippians 2:7-8 and Colossians 1:17)

B. He B _____ Us P _____ (John 14:27, 16:33, 20:19-21 and 26)

C. He Should A _____ Be Our F _____
(Hebrews 12:1-3)

Prayer of Application

- * Hymn of Response # 481 “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

Communion with God

Prayers of God’s People

- * Confessing the Faith – Nicene Creed
(Found on Pages 846 of the Trinity Hymnal)

Invitation to the Lord’s Supper



Come to the LORD’s Table 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

Distribution of Bread: # 241 “Thou Dost Reign on High”

Distribution of Wine: # 234 “Tell Me the Story of Jesus”

Commissioned by God

- * Hymn # 131 “Children of the Heavenly Father”

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:** We are delighted to have God’s children worship with us. Their cries, coos, and occasional shrieks are reminders to us of God’s wonderful blessings. However, if you would like, there is nursery care available 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: Vicki)

Sessional Announcement

The Nineteenth Annual Congregational Meeting of Grace OPC will be held at 1:00 pm on January 29, 2017. The session has called for this meeting in accordance with our Form of Government in order to consider the affairs of our church. The election of those certified by the session to serve as deacons will also take place during this meeting.

WELCOME

<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Refreshments</i></p> <p><i>(If you are unable to bring refreshments on your assigned day please call Carrie and she will find a replacement for you)</i></p>	Today	Susan
	January 22	Hannah
	January 29	Icela
	February 5	Betty
	<i>Lord's Supper</i>	<i>Usher</i>
January	Amy	Bob
February	Patty	Mark L.
<i>Greeter</i>	January	Bob
	February	<i>Need a Volunteer</i>

Today

- 9:30 am Worship
- 11:00 am Fellowship
- 11:30 am Sunday School for All Ages
- 5:30 pm Praise Prayer and Study

This Week

- Monday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Car Wash
- Thursday 6:30 pm Hopp Missionary Dinner and Presentation
- Friday 5:00 pm – 12:00 am Youth Game Night at Long Beach OPC
- Saturday 1:00 pm Ladies' Meeting at the Andruss' Home

Next Sunday (Jan. 22)

- 9:30 am Worship
- 11:30 am Sunday School
- 6:00 pm Faith Family at the Andruss' Home

Upcoming

- January 29 12:30 pm Congregational Meeting
- February 3-4 Presbytery Meeting
- February 4 8:30 am Women's Auxiliary of the Presbytery Meeting
- February 17-20 Senior High/Collegian Winter Camp
- February 24-26 Junior High Winter Camp



Happy Birthday Patty (Jan. 20), Donna (Jan. 21), Ruth (Jan. 31), Lorien (Feb.3), Doug (Feb. 9), Michaela (Feb. 10), Daniel (Feb. 13), Icela (Feb. 20), Cameron (Feb. 24), Susan (Feb. 26)

