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

\* Denotes congregation standing

**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.

**Diaconal Offering** You may designate funds to the deacons by writing ‘Deacons’ in the Memo box of your check. The Deacons would like to designate the fourth Sunday of the month for your diaconal offering, but you may give to the deacons at any time.

**Women’s Ministries Offering** You may designate funds to the Women’s ministries by writing ‘Women’s Ministries’ in the memo of your check. The Women’s Ministry Funds pay for their service projects, support of OPC missionaries, and other church activities.

### **Special Offering Through December 8**

**Thank Offering** This offering supports our denomination’s funding needs giving the majority of support for our missionaries, home missions, Sunday School material, New Horizons magazine, and other expenses.

**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 hymn before the sermon through the remainder of the worship service. The nursery is located behind the bathrooms of this building.

### **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.

# The Lord's Day Worship

December 8, 2019 A.D.

## Cleansed by God

God's Law Word: Matthew 5:13-20

*Silent Prayer of Confession*

Assurance of Pardon: II Timothy 2:8

## 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.**

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. (Isaiah 40:1)

**Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the LORD's hand double for all her sins.** (Isaiah 40:2)

Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. (Isaiah 40:4)

**And the glory of the LORD shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the LORD has spoken."** (Isaiah 40:5)

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord. Amen.**

\* Hymn # 196 "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

\* Invocation and Lord's Prayer

\* Hymn # 736 "Gloria Patri"

## Consecrated by God

Old Testament Responsive Reading: Psalm 89:1-4 and 24-37

I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, forever; with my mouth I will make known your faithfulness to all generations.

**For I said, "Steadfast love will be built up forever; in the heavens you will establish your faithfulness."**

<sup>3</sup> You have said, "I have made a covenant with my chosen one; I have sworn to David my servant:

<sup>4</sup> **"I will establish your offspring forever, and build your throne for all generations."**

My faithfulness and my steadfast love shall be with him, and in my name shall his horn be exalted.

<sup>25</sup> **I will set his hand on the sea and his right hand on the rivers.**

<sup>26</sup> He shall cry to me, 'You are my Father, my God, and the Rock of my salvation.'

<sup>27</sup> **And I will make him the firstborn, the highest of the kings of the earth.**

<sup>28</sup> My steadfast love I will keep for him forever, and my covenant will stand firm for him.

<sup>29</sup> **I will establish his offspring forever and his throne as the days of the heavens.**

<sup>30</sup> If his children forsake my law and do not walk according to my rules,

<sup>31</sup> **if they violate my statutes and do not keep my commandments,**

<sup>32</sup> then I will punish their transgression with the rod and their iniquity with stripes,

<sup>33</sup> **but I will not remove from him my steadfast love or be false to my faithfulness.**

<sup>34</sup> I will not violate my covenant or alter the word that went forth from my lips.

<sup>35</sup> **Once for all I have sworn by my holiness; I will not lie to David.**

<sup>36</sup> His offspring shall endure forever, his throne as long as the sun before me.

<sup>37</sup> **Like the moon it shall be established forever, a faithful witness in the skies."**

New Testament Reading: Mark 10:46-52

\* Hymn # 198 "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates!"

\* Sermon Text: II Samuel 7:1-17

Sermon Title: "The Davidic Covenant Established"

Prayer of Application

\* Hymn # 241 "Thou Dost Reign on High"

### **Communion with God**

Prayers of God's People

\* Confessing Our Faith Together – Nicene Creed (TH page 846)

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

Distribution of Bread: Hymn # 226 “As with Gladness Men of Old”

Distribution of Wine: Hymn # 208 “O Come, All Ye Faithful”

**Commissioned by God**

\* Closing Hymn # 311 “Hail to the Lord’s Anointed”

Benediction

**Schedule - Today**

9:30 am Worship

11:30 am Sunday School

11:30 am Jr. High and High School Christmas Program Practice

5:30 pm Praise, Prayer, and Study

**Next Sunday**

9:30 am Worship

11:30 am Sunday School

12:30 pm Youth Group Christmas Program Practice and Meal  
Preparation (Bring a sack lunch)

5:30 pm Christmas Dinner and Program

**This Week**

Thursday 7:30 pm Prayer Meeting the Thibaults’ House

Saturday 9:00 am Men’s Prayer Breakfast

<i>Refreshments &amp; Nursery (If you are unable to fulfill your assignment on your assigned day please call Amy and she will find a replacement for you)</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Nursery</i>	<i>Refreshments</i>
	Today	Amy & Matthew	Susan
	December 15	Peter & Ruth	Judith
	December 22	Kara & Luke	Raquel
	December 29	Susan & Daniel	Betty
<i>DATE</i>	<i>Greeter</i>	<i>Lord’s Supper</i>	<i>Usher</i>
December	Andrew	Vicki	Andrew
January	TBD <b>See Kenton</b>	TBD <b>See Kenton</b>	TBD <b>See Kenton</b>

**Happy Birthday**

Chris (Dec. 15), Sofia (Jan. 5), Philomena (Jan. 12)



**I. The Biblical Context of the Davidic Covenant**

- A. It Is the F\_\_\_\_\_ Administration of the C\_\_\_\_\_ of  
G\_\_\_\_\_ in the O\_\_\_\_ T\_\_\_\_\_
- B. It Is a P\_\_\_\_\_ of an E\_\_\_\_\_ K\_\_\_\_\_  
(II Samuel 23:2-5, Psalm 89:3-4 and 28-29)
- C. It Is F\_\_\_\_\_ in S\_\_\_\_\_, in the Other K\_\_\_\_\_  
of J\_\_\_\_\_, and Ultimately in J\_\_\_\_\_

**II. The God of the Davidic Covenant**

- A. He Will E\_\_\_\_\_ David’s H\_\_\_\_\_ or  
K\_\_\_\_\_ Forever (II Samuel 7:11-13 and 16,  
Psalm 89:34-37)
- B. He Will R\_\_\_\_\_ Up O\_\_\_\_\_ from David  
(II Samuel 7:12-13, Palm 89:4 and 19-25)
- C. He Will Be a F\_\_\_\_\_ Who L\_\_\_\_\_ and  
D\_\_\_\_\_ David’s Offspring  
(II Samuel 7:14-15 Psalm 89:26-33, Hebrews 12:5-11)

**III. The Blessings of the Davidic Covenant (Mark 10:46-52)**

- A. The King Will Bring D\_\_\_\_\_ to the  
D\_\_\_\_\_
- B. The King Will Bring M\_\_\_\_\_ to S\_\_\_\_\_
- C. The King Will Bring the W\_\_\_\_\_ to L\_\_\_\_\_ to Those Who  
F\_\_\_\_\_ Him