

Lord's Day—March 10, 2024

Approach to the Lord

Silent Prayer (with about five minutes of silence)

Call to Worship: Revelation 5:8-13

*Hymn 160 *Shepherd of Tender Youth*

*Invocation

*Gloria Patri (Hymn 735)

*Prayer of Confession (opposite page)

Assurance of Pardon: Isaiah 53:10-11

Proclamation of the Word of God

Prayer for Illumination

*Hymn 254 *Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?*

Old Covenant Reading: Deuteronomy 30:1–10

New Covenant Reading: Romans 9:1–13

Sermon: “The Lord Will Change Your Heart”

Response to the Word of God

*Hymn 338 *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*

*Nicene Creed (hymnal page 846)

Prayer of Intercession

Collection

The Supper of Our Lord

Words of Institution and Exhortation

Partaking of the Elements with Prayer

*Hymn 670 *If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee*

*Benediction

*Standing if you are able.

Announcements

All visitors, who are believers in our Lord Jesus Christ, who have been baptized in a true church, and who have made a public profession of their faith are invited to join us for **the Lord's Supper**. A true church bears the following marks: faithful preaching of the Word of God; the faithful exercise of church discipline; and the proper administration of the sacraments of baptism and the Lord's Supper. Please wait until all have been served and we will take the elements of the Lord's Supper together as fellow members of the body of Christ. We have both grape juice and wine. The bread is gluten free.

Our Prayer & Hymn Sing is at 4 p.m. today. All are welcome.

Sunday School is on “**How to Read the Bible**”. This kind of training is necessary for proper reading of the bible.

Go to [cratesforukraine.com](https://www.cratesforukraine.com) for updates on prayer for Ukraine.

Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father; we acknowledge and confess before You; Our sinful nature prone to evil and slothful in good; And all our shortcomings and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned; In wandering from Your ways; in wasting Your gifts; In forgetting Your love. O Lord, have mercy upon us; Who are ashamed and sorry for everything in which we have displeased You. Teach us to hate our errors; Cleanse us from our secret faults; And forgive our sins; For the sake of your dear Son. And O most holy and loving Father; Help us, we beseech You to live in Your light and walk in Your ways; According to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The biblical doctrine of salvation may be summarized as follows:

- 1) There is only one God.
- 2) We are created by this one God.
- 3) We have rebelled against God.
- 4) We deserve God's condemnation.

The Bible declares "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23). "There is no one righteous, not even one" (Romans 3:10). Far from giving God our perfect devotion, we "neither glorified Him as God nor gave thanks to Him" (Romans 1:21). We worshiped and served created things rather than the Creator" (Romans 1:23). Before God the Judge the entire human race stands guilty as rebels.

- 5) Nevertheless, in His great love, God the Father sent his Son Jesus Christ into the world to save sinners by dying in their place on the cross.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him, shall not perish but have eternal life" (John 3:16, alternate translation). "This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loves us and sent his Son as the one who would turn aside his wrath, taking away our sins" (1 John 4:10, alternate translation). At the cross Jesus died as a Substitute. He took the place of sinners and received the punishment their sins deserved (2 Corinthians 5:21, 1 Peter 2:24, 3:18). The Holy God did not lay aside a single demand of his justice. The punishment which sinners deserved fell not upon them, but upon Christ.

- 6) But Jesus did not die for every person: only those who repent and believe in Christ are saved.

Repentance is turning from sin to Christ. Believing in Christ is trusting in him alone for salvation.

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Preaching the Christ of Scripture

Sunday School: 9:30 AM

Worship: 10:30 AM

Prayer & Hymn Sing 2nd & 4th Sundays: 4 PM

Wed. Prayer Meeting: 6:30 PM at Pastor's house

Pastor: Rev. Stephen Migotsky, M. Div.

Elders: David Killmer, Dana Bradford