

Order for the Worship of God

11 A.M.

The Prelude

The Welcome & Exhortation to Worship

The Introit *Christ We Adore Thee* Dubois

* **The Call to Worship – Psalm 73:25-26**

* **Hymn of Praise No. 76** *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*

* **The Prayer of Invocation**

* **The Confession of Faith – The Heidelberg Catechism**

Q. What is your only comfort in life and death?

A. *That I am not my own, but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death, to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood and has set me free from all the power of the devil. He also preserves me in such a way that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, all things must work together for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit He also assures me of eternal life and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for Him.*

The Pastoral Prayer

Choral Response *Almighty Father*

The LORD's Tithes and Our Offerings

(Please sign & pass the registration pad)

The Offertory

* **The Doxology** Old Hundredth
Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Anthem *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* Gilbert Martin
When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died, my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, that I should boast, save the death of Christ, my God! All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood. See, from His head, His hands, His feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down! Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown? Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small; love, so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all! Amen!

* **Hymn of Preparation No. 481** *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus*
(Children K4-1st grade dismissed to children's church)

* **The New Testament Reading** – Mark 14:32-42 (pgs. 851)

The Sermon *Man of Sorrows: The Prayer of Gethsemane* Rev. Joel Smit

The Private Confession of Sin

The Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty and most merciful Father; we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. O LORD, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; According to Your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our LORD. And grant, O merciful Father, for His sake; that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life; To the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon – Ephesians 2:4-5

“But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved)”

Hymn of Preparation. No. 246 (1-3) *Man of Sorrows! What a Name*
Fencing the Table
The Words of Institution
Prayer of Consecration
Distribution of the Elements
Prayer of Thanksgiving

* **Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 246 (4-5)** *Man of Sorrows! What a Name*

* **The Benediction**

* **The Congregational Chorus Psalm 23:6** CRIMOND
Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me; and in God's house forevermore my dwelling place shall be.

* **The Postlude**

* The congregation stands.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH

LORD's Day - 9:15 A.M. - Prayer Time
9:45 A.M. - Adult & Children Sunday School
10:30 A.M. - Fellowship Time
11:00 A.M. - Worship of Almighty God
6:00 P.M. - Evening worship of Almighty God
Tuesday - 10:00 A.M. - Love Circle meeting
7:15 P.M. - Gentleness Circle meeting
Wednesday - 5:45 P.M. - Pork tenderloin dinner
7:00 P.M. - Adult Bible study, King's Kids
FACT, Choir Rehearsal
Saturday - 8:45 A.M. - Kindness Circle meeting

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL: On Wednesday, February 7th we will have pork tenderloin, roasted red potatoes, green beans, rolls, and dessert for dinner. The cost is \$4 per person with a \$12 cap per family. If you plan to eat dinner, please sign the sign-up sheet.

FACT: Formally known as the PYF, FACT (Fellowship & Covenant Together) meets every Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Lions' Den. We encourage all youth to come out and participate in these times of Bible study and fellowship. Please be on the lookout for upcoming events and engagement opportunities.

FEBRUARY CIRCLE MEETINGS

Tuesday, February 6th—10:00 A.M.

Love Circle - Will meet in the church parlor. Nursery is provided.

Tuesday, February 6th—7:15 P.M.

Gentleness Circle - Will meet at the home of Page Whitfield.

Saturday, February 10th—8:45 A.M.

Kindness Circle - Will meet in the church fellowship hall.

NORTON PARK: It is time again to fill the pantry at Norton Park Elementary. We currently have \$700 in our reserves and need approximately \$2,000 to efficiently fill the pantry as we are now serving over 60 families. Please support this outreach ministry. Our next scheduled date to fill the pantry is February 13th.

WEDDING DIRECTORS NEEDED: The Deacons are looking for SPC members who are willing to serve as wedding directors in accordance with SPC's new Wedding Policy. The wedding director will assist in organizing wedding ceremonies at the church and will also help ensure that the wedding party adheres to the Wedding Policy. The wedding director will be paid by the wedding party on a per-wedding basis. Please see Matt Ramsey if you are interested.

UPCOMING GREETER SCHEDULE

February 4th

Church Wing— Rose Zang
School Wing— Jim & Janice Pitts

February 11th

Church Wing— Dan & Donna Hall
School Wing— David & Gail Stallings

UPCOMING NURSERY WORKERS

If you have a conflict, change your date with someone else and contact the staffing coordinator. Please note: You may request a CD for the message preached during your time of service; see the audio team in the sound booth for a copy.

February 4th

Infant— Crystal Katrek/Margaret MacGregor
Toddler— Amanda Stevenson/Max Thelen
2's & 3's—Tansy Ridings/Danny Powell
Extra—Josh Stevenson
Floater—Gina Fogarty
Children's Church—Ella Becker

February 11th

Infant— Hortense Bediam/Ruth O'Neal
Toddler— Ellen Milberger/Jamie Hughes
2's & 3's—Rose Zang/Dwight Thomas
Extra— James Wesley
Floater—Mary MacGregor
Children's Church—Emma Hovey

Evening Worship
6:00 P.M.

*“So the LORD was with Joshua, and His fame was in all the land.”
~ Joshua 6:27*

- The Prelude
The Words of Welcome
* The Call to Worship Psalm 80:1-3 (pg. 491)
* The Psalm – 43A AZMON CM
* The Prayer of Invocation
* The Hymn – 393 *Come, Let Us Join with One Accord*
Psalter Reading Psalm 62 (pg. 806)
The Offering & Prayer of Dedication
The Offertory
The Evening Prayer
The Hymn – 529 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*
* The Reading of God's Word Joshua 7:1-12 (pg. 182-83)
The Sermon *Defeat – How Sin Effects the Whole Church*
Rev. Joel Smit
* Hymn of Thanksgiving – 559 *Father, I Know That All My Life*
* The Benediction
The Postlude

Elders

*Let the elders that rule well be counted worthy of double honor, especially they who labor in the word and doctrine.
~ I Timothy 5:17*

<i>Class of 2018</i>	<i>Class of 2019</i>	<i>Class of 2020</i>
Rob Hines	Rob MacGregor	Dan Hall
John Milberger	David Owen	Bill Pruett
David Stallings		

Elder Emeritus

Gene Hall Chip Howell Don Wilkes

Deacons

For they that have used the office of a deacon well purchase to themselves a good standing, and great boldness in the faith which is in Christ Jesus. ~ I Timothy 3:13

<i>Class of 2019</i>	<i>Class of 2020</i>	
Dervon Douglas	Mike Becker	Matt Ramsey
Danny Powell	Andy Fogarty	James Wesley
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