

Grace and Peace Presbyterian Church

Order for the Worship of God — 10:30 a.m. on June 27th 2021

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 96:7-13

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

OPENING HYMN

Rejoice the Lord is King (TH# 310)

1 Rejoice, the Lord is King:
your Lord and King adore!
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing,
and triumph evermore.

2 Jesus the Savior reigns,
the God of truth and love;
when he had purged our stains,
he took his seat above. [Refrain]

Refrain:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

3 His kingdom cannot fail,
he rules o'er earth and heav'n;
the keys of death and hell
are to our Jesus giv'n. [Refrain]

4 He sits at God's right hand
till all his foes submit,
and bow to his command,
and fall beneath his feet. [Refrain]

5 Rejoice in glorious hope!
Our Lord, the Judge, shall come,
and take his servants up
to their eternal home. [Refrain]

Affirmation of Faith The Westminster Shorter Catechism (1647)
Questions 49-52

Leader: Which is the second commandment?

People: The second commandment is, Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven 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: thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; and showing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

Leader: What is required in the second commandment?

People: The second commandment requires the receiving, observing, and keeping pure and entire, all such religious worship and ordinances as God hath appointed in his word.

Leader: What is forbidden in the second commandment?

People: The second commandment forbids the worshiping of God by images, or any other way not appointed in his word.

Leader: What are the reasons annexed to the second commandment?

People: The reasons annexed to the second commandment are, God's sovereignty over us, his propriety in us, and the zeal he hath to his own worship.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 22:34-40

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 3:14-21

SERMON

A Prayer for the Ages
Rev. Wendell Stoltzfus

PRAYER

THE LORD'S SUPPER

CLOSING HYMN

Trust and Obey (TH# 672)

1 When we walk with the Lord
in the light of his Word,
what a glory he sheds on our way!
While we do his good will,
he abides with us still,
and with all who will trust and obey.

2 Not a shadow can rise,
not a cloud in the skies,
but his smile quickly drives it away;
not a doubt or a fear,
not a sigh nor a tear,
can abide while we trust and obey.
[Refrain]

Refrain:
Trust and obey, for there's no other way
to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and
obey.

3 Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow
we share, but our toil he doth richly
repay; not a grief nor a loss, not a frown
or a cross, but is blest if we trust and
obey. [Refrain]

4 But we never can prove
the delights of his love
until all on the altar we lay;
for the favor he shows,
and the joy he bestows,
are for them who will trust and obey.
[Refrain]

5 Then in fellowship sweet
we will sit at his feet,
or we will walk by his side in the way;
what he says we will do,
where he sends we will go,
never fear, only trust and obey.
[Refrain]

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