

Grace and Peace Presbyterian Church

Order for the Worship of God — 10:30 a.m. on July 18th 2021

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 34:1-7

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

OPENING HYMN

God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength (TH# 40)

1 God is our refuge and our strength,
our ever-present aid,
and therefore though the earth remove,
we will not be afraid;
though hills amidst the seas be cast,
though foaming waters roar,
yea, though the mighty billows shake
the mountains on the shore.

2 A river flows whose streams make glad
the city of our God,
the holy place wherein the Lord
Most High has his abode.
Since God is in the midst of her,
unmoved her walls shall stand,
for God will be her early help,
when trouble is at hand.

3 The nations raged, the kingdoms moved,
but when his voice was heard,
the troubled earth was stilled to peace
before his mighty word.
The Lord of Hosts is on our side,
our safety to secure;
the God of Jacob is for us
a refuge strong and sure.

4 O come, behold what wondrous works
Jehovah's hand has wrought;
come, see what desolation great
he on the earth has brought.
To utmost ends of all the earth
he causes war to cease;
the weapons of the strong destroyed,
he makes abiding peace.

5 "Be still and know that I am God,
o'er all exalted high;
the subject nations of the earth
my name shall magnify." ...

... The Lord of Hosts is on our side,
our safety to secure,
the God of Jacob is for us
a refuge strong and sure.

Affirmation of Faith The Westminster Shorter Catechism (1647)

Questions 60-62

Leader: How is the sabbath to be sanctified?

People: The sabbath is to be sanctified by a holy resting all that day, even from such worldly employments and recreations as are lawful on other days; and spending the whole time in the public and private exercises of God's worship, except so much as is to be taken up in the works of necessity and mercy.

Leader: What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?

People: The fourth commandment forbids the omission or careless performance of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or

doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

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

People: The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, his challenging a special propriety in the seventh, his own example, and his blessing the sabbath day.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 6:1-8

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 5:11-15

SERMON

Motivations of a Godly Man/Woman

Rev. Steve Wilson

PRAYER

THE LORD'S SUPPER

CLOSING HYMN

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken (TH# 345)

1 Glorious things of thee are spoken,
Zion, city of our God;
he whose word cannot be broken
formed thee for his own abode:
on the Rock of Ages founded,
what can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's walls surrounded,
thou may'st smile at all thy foes.

2 See, the streams of living waters,
springing from eternal love,
well supply thy sons and daughters,
and all fear of want remove;
who can faint, while such a river
ever flows their thirst t'assuage?—
grace which, like the Lord, the giver,
never fails from age to age.

3 Round each habitation hov'ring,
see the cloud and fire appear
for a glory and a cov'ring,
showing that the Lord is near:
thus deriving from their banner
light by night and shade by day,
safe they feed upon the manna
which he gives them when they pray.

4 Savior, if of Zion's city
I, through grace, a member am,
let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in thy name:
fading is the worldling's pleasure,
all his boasted pomp and show;
solid joys and lasting treasure
none but Zion's children know.

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