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## Order of Worship

January 13, 2019

Preparing Our Hearts: If you arrive a little early, prepare your heart for worship by reading and thinking about this text:

- *For we walk by faith, not by sight.* (2 Cor. 5:7 ESV)

Call to Worship:

- God calls us to worship
  - *I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.*  
(Ps. 9:1-2 ESV)
- We humbly respond with praise
  - “O Worship The King”
  - “Better Is One Day”

Gospel Assurance:

- Our need for Jesus
  - “O Great God”
- God’s grace
  - *I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.*  
(Ezek. 36:25-27 ESV)
  - “Love Divine All Loves Excelling”

What We Believe: As a church we want to affirm our unity in what we believe.

- *We believe when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons.*  
(Gal. 4:4-5 ESV)

Prayer: We bring our requests to the Lord through Jesus Christ.

Church Life/Greeting: In Christ, we live and fellowship together as believers. We take time to learn what is going on in our church, and to greet one another as we worship.

Prayer for Understanding: We pray that God will open our hearts and minds to the preaching of His Word.

Sermon:

- 2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Lord's Supper: In taking communion together, we remember the death of Christ as we proclaim it to one another as we consume the elements.

- “Jesus, I Am Resting”

Praise to God (Doxology): We end our time of worship together as we resound in praises together.

- “O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing”

God Blesses: We go into the world this week with God's blessings as He enables us to serve Him.

- *The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.* (1 Thess. 5:28 ESV)

## **Confidence and Accountability**

2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Pastor Nathan Hogan

## **Discussion Questions**

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1. What is Paul's confidence and hope in verses 6-8? What does this mean for us when we die? When Jesus returns?
2. What does Paul mean when he says we all must appear before the judgment seat of Christ?
3. Why is this important for us to remember? Why do we neglect this truth?
4. Should our future accountability before the Lord undermine our confidence in the Lord? Why not?

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**Next Week: 2 Corinthians 5:11-15**