

Order of Worship

September 1, 2019

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

- *Oh sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth!* (Psalm 96:1 ESV)

Call to Worship:

- God calls us to worship
 - *Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth! Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns! Yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity."* (Psalm 96:9–10 ESV)
- We humbly respond with praise
 - Congregational Song: "Lord Reign in Me"
 - Congregational Song: "As the Deer"

Gospel Assurance:

- Our need for Jesus
 - *Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.*
Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.
For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer.
I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin. (Psalm 32:1-5 ESV)
- God's grace
 - *The saying is trustworthy, for: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he also will deny us; if*

we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself. (2 Timothy 2:11–13 ESV)

- Congregational Song: “Grace Greater than Our Sin”

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

- Congregational Song: “This I Believe”

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:

- Judges 19-21

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.

- Congregational Song: “O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus”

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

- Congregational Song: “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.

- *Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen. (Ephesians 3:20–21 ESV)*

Samson: The Aftermath

Judges 19-21
Pastor Nathan Hogan

Next Week: Exodus 1:1-14