

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE

January 12, 2025

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Welcome of Guests and Announcements

Prelude

ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship Is. 12:2, 4-6

Behold, God is our salvation; trust in Him and do not be afraid;

For Jehovah, the Lord, is our strength and song; He also has become our salvation.

Praise the Lord; call upon His name; declare His deeds among the peoples; make mention that His name is exalted.

We will sing to the Lord, for He has done excellent things; this is known in all the earth.

Cry out and shout, O inhabitants of Zion, for great is the Holy One of Israel in your midst!

Prayer of Invocation

* Hymn # 1.....**"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"**

* Old Testament Scripture Reading.....Psalm 82

CONFESSION OF SIN

Based on Calvin's *Form of Church Prayers* (1545).....read responsively

Lord God! Eternal and Almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before Your holy Majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and corruption, prone to do evil, unable of ourselves to do any good, who, by reason of our depravity, transgress without end Your holy commandments.

Therefore, we have drawn upon ourselves, by Your just sentence, condemnation and death.

But, O Lord! with heartfelt sorrow, we repent and deplore our offenses.

We condemn ourselves and our evil ways, with true repentance, beseeching that Your grace may relieve our distress. Be pleased to have compassion on us, O most gracious God, Father of all mercies, for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

And grant us the daily increase of the grace of Your Holy Spirit, that, acknowledging from our inmost heart our own unrighteous-

ness, we may be touched with sorrow that shall work true repentance, and that Your Spirit, mortifying all sin within us, may produce the fruits of holiness and righteousness well pleasing in Your sight.

We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the promise of God to all who repent of their sins and trust in Christ:

"Come now, and let us reason together," Says the Lord, "Though your sins are like scarlet, They shall be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They shall be as wool." Is. 1:18-19

Therefore I declare to you, that:

"You who once were alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now He has reconciled in the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy and blameless, and above reproach in His sight." Col. 1: 21-22

Amen!

CONFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

* Hymn # 493.....**"We Have Not Known Thee As We Ought"**

* New Testament Scripture Reading.....Luke 1:1-4

The Westminster Shorter Catechism.....read responsively

Q. 1. What is the chief end of man?

A. **Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy him forever.**

Q. 2. What rule hath God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him?

A. **The Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy him.**

Q. 3. What do the Scriptures principally teach?

A. **The Scriptures principally teach, what man is to believe concerning God, and what duty God requires of man.**

Q. 4. What is God?

A. **God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth.**

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

* Doxology.....page xvi

* Offertory Prayer

* Hymn # 529.....**"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"**

MEANS OF GRACE

Prayer of Intercession

* Reading of the Word of God.....Genesis 3:1-6

Sermon: "Temptation and Fall"Dr. Jones

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

* Hymn # 460....."Amazing Grace!"

* Benediction

* Congregational Threefold Amen

Genesis 3:1-6 (NKJV)

¹ Now the serpent was more cunning than any beast of the field which the LORD God had made. And he said to the woman, "Has God indeed said, 'You shall not eat of every tree of the garden?'"

² And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat the fruit of the trees of the garden; ³ but of the fruit of the tree which *is* in the midst of the garden, God has said, 'You shall not eat it, nor shall you touch it, lest you die.' "

⁴ Then the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. ⁵ For God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."

⁶ So when the woman saw that the tree *was* good for food, that it *was* pleasant to the eyes, and a tree desirable to make *one* wise, she took of its fruit and ate. She also gave to her husband with her, and he ate.

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Pastor

" To Glorify God, and Enjoy Him Forever "

DeRidder Presbyterian Church Announcements

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We welcome all worshippers, especially our new visitors.
Please talk to the pastor about scheduling a visit in your home this week.

COMMUNION – We observe the Lord’s Supper each Lord’s Day during our corporate worship. The cups all contain wine.

SCRIPTURE READINGS – Please take the time now to mark the places in your Bibles for the Scripture readings later in the service.

FELLOWSHIP MEAL – Next Sunday we will have a Fellowship Meal at the church. Please plan now to attend.

BIBLE STUDY – This Wednesday we will continue our study of John Owen’s *In-dwelling Sin in Believers*. Please read Chapter 5 and answer the questions on the hand-out sheet.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday

Sunday School..... 9:45 A.M.
Fellowship & Coffee..... 10:30 A.M.
Corporate Worship..... 11:00 A.M.
The URL for YouTube is:..... <https://www.youtube.com/@revdrjones>

Wednesday

Bible Study & Prayer Meeting..... 6:30 P.M.

Pregnancy Care Center

420 McMahan Street
DeRidder, Louisiana 70634
(337) 463-9500

Office Hours:
Tues. and Wed. 8:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

DeRidder Presbyterian Church Prayer Requests

THE CHURCH

DeRidder PC..... 10 new families; evangelistic zeal
Vanguard Presbyterian Church
Southwest Presbytery..... Meeting Jan. 24, 2025
Persecuted Christians..... Islamic countries; China; North Korea; India

MISSIONARIES

Vanguard Presbyterian Church..... Endorsed Missions Organizations
Church Planting International (CPI)..... www.cpimission.org
(Myanmar, Uganda, India, Portugal, Russia)
Reformed Evangelistic Fellowship (REF)..... www.refglobal.org
(USA)
Westminster Biblical Missions (WBM)..... www.wbminc.org
(Europe, Mexico, Nepal, Pakistan)
African Bible Colleges..... Students and teachers
Bill Carr (PCA Native American Ministry Regional Director)..... Fargo, ND
Pregnancy Care Center..... Financial needs; wisdom for board and volunteers

CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN

(Under Age 20)

Laynie Burch (com member) Aria Morrison (com member)
Matthew Lungrin (com member) Kamden Waldrop (com member)
Theresa Lungrin (non com member) Kenna Waldrop (com member)

SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Chaplain Steven and Sarah Lanolos & family (Navy)..... Okinawa, Japan
Steven Lungrin..... LA National Guard
Cody Waldrop & family..... Fort Johnson

GENERAL HEALTH & OTHER CONCERNS

Becky Barberousse..... Back, neck, and abdominal pain
Brenda Brown (Chris Brown’s mother)..... Diabetes and other health issues
Don and Cheryl Dobson (Griffith’s friends)..... General health
Scott Hill (missionary; wife Ruth)..... Recovery from stroke
Kent Jacobs (Lessie’s cousin)..... Needs kidney transplant
Gail Lowe (Lorraine’s sister)..... Diabetes; home from hospital
Greg Prudhomme..... Back and knees, recovery from prostate surgery
Margo Roll..... Age 92; heart problems; declining health
Ellis Smith..... Torn meniscus; recovery from surgery
Phyllis Word..... Pacemaker; Lyme disease

CANCER

Scott Bailey and family..... Cancer
Sandra Smith Irish (friend of Lessie’s)..... Breast cancer; desires no treatment
Dorothy Knox..... Age 87; colon cancer; recovery from heart valve surgery
Rick Light (former pastor of Eastern Heights PC)..... Prostate cancer
Jane Roberts (Dewey Roberts’ wife)..... Lung cancer has spread; desires no treatment
Pamela Roper..... Slow growing kidney cancer under observation
Marge Smith..... Lung cancer in remission
Tom Smith (missionary; wife Mylicah)..... Cancerous tumor in colon; chemo
Abby Swygard (Jeremy’s wife; Kirk of the Way)..... Gall bladder cancer in remission
Christina Watson (Chris’ mother)..... Recovery from lung cancer surgery
Janice Wright..... Cancer in remission

TEMPTATION AND FALL

Text: Genesis 3:1–6

I. DEVIL IN DISGUISE

A. The Serpent In The Garden

B. That Old Serpent

C. Satan's Sin

II. DEVIL'S DIALOGUE

A. Doubt

B. Distortion

C. Denial

D. Distrust

III. DEVILISH DISOBEDIENCE

A. Lust Of The Flesh

B. Lust Of The Eyes

C. Pride Of Life

D. Deliberate Sin