

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE

October 11, 2026

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Welcome of Guests and Announcements

Prelude

ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship

Ps. 67:1-7

God be merciful to us and bless us, And cause His face to shine upon us,

That Your way may be known on earth, Your salvation among all nations.

Let the peoples praise You, O God; Let all the peoples praise You.

Oh, let the nations be glad and sing for joy! For You shall judge the people righteously, And govern the nations on earth.

Let the peoples praise You, O God; Let all the peoples praise You.

Then the earth shall yield her increase; God, our own God, shall bless us.

God shall bless us, And all the ends of the earth shall fear Him.

Prayer of Invocation

* Hymn # 668.....**"Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode"**

* Psalter Reading (read responsively).....Psalms 150, page 841

CONFESSION OF SIN

Our help is in the name of the LORD,

Who made heaven and earth.

Ps. 124:8

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit,

A broken and contrite heart – these, O God, You will not despise.

Ps. 51:17

Let us, therefore, humbly confess our sins unto our heavenly Father saying,

Almighty and merciful Father, we have strayed from Your ways like lost sheep.

We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have sinned against Your holy laws.

We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done, and there is no health in us.

But You, O LORD, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders.

Grant, O most merciful Father, for Jesus' sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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

Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die."

Jn. 11:25-26a

Amen!

CONFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

* Psalter Selection.....**Psalm 4, page 2 (tune to Hymn 568)**

* New Testament Scripture Reading.....Luke 15:8-10

The Heidelberg Catechism (Lord's Day 41).....read responsively

Q. 108 What does the seventh commandment teach us?

A. That all uncleanness is accursed of God: and that therefore we must with all our hearts detest the same, and live chastely and temperately, whether in holy wedlock, or in single life.

Q. 109 Does God forbid in this commandment, only adultery, and such like gross sins?

A. Since both our body and soul are temples of the holy Ghost, he commands us to preserve them pure and holy; therefore he forbids all unchaste actions, gestures, words, thoughts, desires, and whatever can entice men thereto.

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

* Doxology.....page xvi

* Offertory Prayer

* Hymn # 669.....**"Commit Now All Your Griefs"**

MEANS OF GRACE

Prayer of Intercession

* Reading of the Word of God.....Genesis 42:25-43:14

Sermon: "Let Me Bear The Blame Forever" Dr. Jones
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

RESPONSE AND BLESSING

* Hymn # 670.....**"If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee"**

* Benediction

* Congregational Threefold Amen

* Congregation Standing

Genesis 42:25–43:14 (NKJV)

²⁵ Then Joseph gave a command to fill their sacks with grain, to restore every man's money to his sack, and to give them provisions for the journey. Thus he did for them. ²⁶ So they loaded their donkeys with the grain and departed from there. ²⁷ But as one of *them* opened his sack to give his donkey feed at the encampment, he saw his money; and there it was, in the mouth of his sack. ²⁸ So he said to his brothers, "My money has been restored, and there it is, in my sack!" Then their hearts failed *them* and they were afraid, saying to one another, "What is this *that* God has done to us?"...

⁸ Then Judah said to Israel his father, "Send the lad with me, and we will arise and go, that we may live and not die, both we and you *and* also our little ones. ⁹ I myself will be surety for him; from my hand you shall require him. If I do not bring him *back* to you and set him before you, then let me bear the blame forever. ¹⁰ For if we had not lingered, surely by now we would have returned this second time."

¹¹ And their father Israel said to them, "If *it must be* so, then do this: Take some of the best fruits of the land in your vessels and carry down a present for the man—a little balm and a little honey, spices and myrrh, pistachio nuts and almonds. ¹² Take double money in your hand, and take back in your hand the money that was returned in the mouth of your sacks; perhaps it was an oversight. ¹³ Take your brother also, and arise, go back to the man. ¹⁴ And may God Almighty give you mercy before the man, that he may release your other brother and Benjamin. If I am bereaved, I am bereaved!"

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Reverend Dr. James A. Jones, Jr.
Pastor

" To Glorify God, and Enjoy Him Forever "

DeRidder Presbyterian Church Announcements

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We welcome all worshipers, 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 center cups contain grape juice for those who cannot partake of the wine in good conscience.

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 on *The Redeemed Man*. Please read the Part 3, chapter 18 on pages 221–233.

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 McMahon 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
Knox Presbytery..... Vanguard Presbyterian Church
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)

Annabel Curran (non-com member)	Matthew Lungrin (com member)
Callum Curran (non-com member)	Theresa Lungrin (com member)
Declan Curran (non-com member)	Roger Patterson (non-com member)
Phoebe Curran (non-com member)	Kamden Waldrop (com member)
Anne Lungrin (com member)	Kenna Waldrop (com member)

SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Steven Bowman.....Fort Polk
Shane Curran & family.....Fort Polk
Chaplain Steven and Sarah Lanclos & family (Navy).....Lemoore, CA
Steven Lungrin.....LA National Guard
Alex Patterson & family.....Fort Polk
Cody Waldrop & family.....Fort Polk

GENERAL HEALTH & OTHER CONCERNS

Gary Clowers.....Recovery from knee surgery
Cheryl Dobson (Griffith’s friend).....General health
Lessie Griffith.....Recovery from knee surgery
Scott Hadden (Ellis’ cousin).....GPA disease
Jim Jones.....Osteoporosis treatments
Gail Lowe (Lorraine’s sister).....Diabetes
Greg Prudhomme.....Back and knees

CANCER

Alexis Conner (Jim’s niece).....Breast cancer
Sandra Smith Irish (friend of Lessie’s).....Breast cancer; desires no treatment
Dick Jones (pastor of Grace Covenant PC).....Stomach cancer in remission
Anastasia Miller (Caleb & Abigail’s daughter).....Abdominal cancer has returned
Pamela Roper.....Kidney cancer; nodules in lungs not cancer
Marge Smith.....Lung cancer in remission
Christina Watson (Chris’ mother).....Lung cancer
Janice Wright.....Cancer in remission; recovering from stroke

LET ME BEAR THE BLAME FOREVER

Text: Genesis 42:25–43:14

I. THE JOURNEY HOME

- A. Sacks And Provisions
- B. Money Discovered
- C. What Has God Done To Us?

II. REPORT TO JACOB

- A. Much Of What Happened
- B. More Money Found
- C. Jacob Mourns
- D. Ruben Tries To Help

III. THE FOOD RUNS OUT

- A. Return Commanded
- B. Judah Speaks
- C. Israel Accuses His Sons
- D. Judah Intercedes
- E. Israel Relents
- F. Will You Relent?