

# THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE

December 12, 2021

## PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Welcome of Guests and Announcements

Prelude

## ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship

Ps. 31:1-5

In You, O Lord, I put my trust;

**Let me never be ashamed;**

Deliver me in Your righteousness.

**Bow down Your ear to me, deliver me speedily;**

Be my rock of refuge, a fortress of defense to save me.

**For You are my rock and my fortress;**

Therefore, for Your name's sake, lead me and guide me.

**Pull me out of the net which they have secretly laid for me, for**

**You are my strength.**

Into Your hand I commit my spirit;

**You have redeemed me, O Lord God of truth.**

Prayer of Invocation

\* Hymn # 110....."Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah"

\* Old Testament Scripture Reading.....Job 27:1-12

## CONFESSION OF SIN

If we say that we have no sin,

**We deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.**

If we confess our sins,

**He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

1 John 1:8-9

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

**Almighty and most merciful God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought, in word, and in deed.**

We have not loved You with all our heart and soul, nor with all our mind and strength.

**We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves.**

We beseech You, O God, to forgive what we have been, to help us to amend what we are, and, by Your mercy, to direct what we shall be,

**So that we may henceforth walk in the way of Your commandments, and do those things which are pleasing in Your sight, 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:

*"Knowing that a man is not justified by the works of the law but by faith in Jesus Christ, even we have believed in Christ Jesus, that we might be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law; for by the works of the law no flesh shall be justified."*

Gal. 2:16

**Amen!**

## CONFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

\* Hymn # 38....."Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

\* New Testament Scripture Reading.....Matthew 13:24-30

The Westminster Shorter Catechism.....read responsively

Q. 106. What do we pray for in the sixth petition?

**A. In the sixth petition, which is, And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, we pray that God would either keep us from being tempted to sin, or support and deliver us when we are tempted.**

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

\* Doxology.....page xvi

\* Offertory Prayer

\* Hymn # 197....."Comfort, Comfort Ye My People"

## MEANS OF GRACE

Prayer of Intercession

\* Reading of the Word of God.....Mark 12:13-17

Sermon: "The Taxation Trap" .....Dr. Jones

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

## RESPONSE AND BLESSING

\* Hymn # 246....."Man of Sorrows! What a Name"

\* Benediction

\* Congregational Threefold Amen

Mark 12:13-17 (NKJV)

<sup>13</sup> Then they sent to Him some of the Pharisees and the Herodians, to catch Him in *His* words. <sup>14</sup> When they had come, they said to Him, "Teacher, we know that You are true, and care about no one; for You do not regard the person of men, but teach the way of God in truth. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar, or not? <sup>15</sup> Shall we pay, or shall we not pay?" But He, knowing their hypocrisy, said to them, "Why do you test Me? Bring Me a denarius that I may see *it*." <sup>16</sup> So they brought *it*. And He said to them, "Whose image and inscription *is* this?" They said to Him, "Caesar's." <sup>17</sup> And Jesus answered and said to them, "Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." And they marveled at Him.

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# DeRidder Presbyterian Church

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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 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 Bible Study.

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday

Sunday School.....9:45 A.M.  
Fellowship & Coffee.....10:30 A.M.  
Corporate Worship.....11:00 A.M.  
This Sunday the URL for YouTube is:.....<https://youtu.be/s8wNqPUBcWM>

### Wednesday

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

### Community Pregnancy 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 Presbytery  
Persecuted Christians.....Afghanistan  
Pastor Wang Yi & Early Rain Covenant Church, China  
Pastor James Coates & GraceLife Church, Canada  
Pastor Steve Richardson & Vanguard mission, Tillsonburg, Ontario, Canada

## MISSIONARIES

African Bible Colleges.....Students and teachers  
Bill Carr (Native American Ministry Regional Director).....Fargo, ND  
Scott Clement.....(RE Plains PCA, Zachary) Navojoa, Sonora, Mexico  
Pregnancy Care Center.....Financial needs; wisdom for board and volunteers

## CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN (Under Age 20)

Laynie Burch (com member)	Matthew Lungrin (com member)
Abigail Godwin (assoc member)	Theresa Lungrin (non com member)
Abigail Holly (non com member)	Aria Morrison (non com member)
Andrew Holly (com member)	Cora Saladin (assoc member)
Noah Holly (com member)	Evelyn Saladin (assoc member)
Stephen Holly (com member)	

## SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Chaplain Ken and Sarah Godwin & family.....Fort Polk  
Chaplain Sebastian and Saemi Kim & family.....Fort Polk  
Philip and Carrie Friedrich.....Fort Polk  
Greg and Ariann Gillen & family.....Fort Polk  
Steven Lungrin.....Fort Polk  
Patrick McCrary (USMC).....Virginia  
Jon and Rita Munson & family.....Fort Gordon  
Michael Pike.....Fort Polk  
Joe and Erin Saladin & family.....Fort Polk  
Cody and Caitlin Waldrop & family.....Fort Polk

## GENERAL HEALTH & OTHER CONCERNS

Mica Holly & baby.....Healthy pregnancy  
Pam (Bruce’s sister).....Salvation  
Greg Prudhomme.....Back and injuries to knees, scar tissue in right eye  
Edward Ramirez (Ref Bap pastor, San Antonio).....Recovery from leg amputation  
Mary Salter (Jamie Moak’s mother).....Dementia  
Rowan Stumpff (5 yrs. old) & family.....Terminal neurological disorder

## CANCER

Mollie Anderson.....Breast cancer in remission  
Kent Bergeron (RE at Three Rivers PCA).....Continued recovery  
Sam Crifasse (friend of Doug’s).....Bladder cancer in remission  
Chaplain Scott Hammond (Ft. Polk).....Stage 4 prostate cancer; chemo and radiation  
Stella Hodge (Bruce’s mother).....Salvation; breast cancer  
Rita Munson.....Ovarian Clear Cell Carcinoma (OCCC); immunotherapy success  
Marian Richardson.....Cancer; benign tumor in ear  
Marge Smith.....Lung cancer  
Anna Wiggins.....Lymphoma; MD Anderson  
Janice Wright.....Recurrence of cancer

## THE TAXATION TRAP

Text: Mark 12:13–17

### I. THE DECEPTIVE QUESTION

A. The Enemy Of My Enemy...

B. Hypocritical Flattery

C. Gotcha!

## II. THE RIGHTEOUS REPLY

A. Seeing Right Through Them

B. Coin Of The Realm

C. True Tribute