

# THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SERVICE

January 10, 2021

## PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Welcome of Guests and Announcements

Prelude

## ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship

Is. 12:2, 4-6

"Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid;

**For the LORD GOD is my strength and song,**

And He has become my salvation."

**And in that day you will say, "Give thanks to the LORD, call on His name.**

Make known His deeds among the peoples;

**Make them remember that His name is exalted."**

Praise the LORD in song, for He has done excellent things;

**Let this be known throughout the earth.**

Cry aloud and shout for joy, O inhabitant of Zion,

**For great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel.**

Prayer of Invocation

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

\* Old Testament Scripture Reading.....Job 6:1-13

## CONFESSION OF SIN

By John Calvin and Théodore de Bèze.....said in unison

My brothers, let each of us present himself before the Lord to offer humble confession of his sins, by following these words:

**Lord God, Eternal and All-Powerful Father, we recognize and we confess before your Holy Majesty that we are but wretched sinners, born in corruption, inclined to evil, and incapable in ourselves to do that which is good, but instead we transgress every day and in many ways your holy commandments, with the result that we call down upon ourselves, by your just judgment, condemnation, and death.**

**But, Lord, we are greatly grieved to have offended you, and we condemn ourselves and our vices, returning humbly to your grace with a serious repentance, and crying out to you to aid us in our misery. Therefore, please have pity toward us, most gracious God, Father of compassion, and forgive our sins for the love of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior.**

**Grant us, also, the continual and growing grace of your Holy Spirit, so that, recognizing more and more our faults and being vigorously moved, we will renounce them with our whole heart, and receive from you that portion of the fruit of righteousness and holiness that is agreeable to your will, 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:

*"Say to them, 'As I live!' declares the Lord GOD, 'I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that the wicked turn from his way and live. Turn back, turn back from your evil ways! Why then will you die, O house of Israel?' "*

Ezek. 33:11

Therefore I declare to you, that:

*Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and of death.*

Rom. 8:1-2

**Amen!**

## CONFESSION OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

\* Hymn # 57....."Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul"

\* New Testament Scripture Reading.....Matthew 3:13-17

The Westminster Shorter Catechism.....read responsively

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 # 243....."Praise the Savior Now and Ever"

## MEANS OF GRACE

Prayer of Intercession

\* Reading of the Word of God.....Psalm 119:153-160

Sermon: "Advocate, Atonement, and Author".....Dr. Jones

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

**RESPONSE AND BLESSING**

- \* Hymn # 254.....“Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed”
- \* Benediction
- \* Congregational Threefold Amen

Psalm 119:153-160 (NASB)

- <sup>153</sup> Look upon my affliction and rescue me,  
For I do not forget Your law.
- <sup>154</sup> Plead my cause and redeem me;  
Revive me according to Your word.
- <sup>155</sup> Salvation is far from the wicked,  
For they do not seek Your statutes.
- <sup>156</sup> Great are Your mercies, O LORD;  
Revive me according to Your ordinances.
- <sup>157</sup> Many are my persecutors and my adversaries,  
Yet I do not turn aside from Your testimonies.
- <sup>158</sup> I behold the treacherous and loathe *them*,  
Because they do not keep Your word.
- <sup>159</sup> Consider how I love Your precepts;  
Revive me, O LORD, according to Your lovingkindness.
- <sup>160</sup> The sum of Your word is truth,  
And every one of Your righteous ordinances is everlasting.

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# DeRidder Presbyterian Church



January 10, 2021

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 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.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** – Happy Belated Birthday to Asa Godwin, last Tuesday, January 5, 2021.

**BIBLE STUDY** – This Wednesday we will resume our Bible Study. The plan is to take up the chapters in the Heidelberg Catechism that were missed for various reasons. This week we will study Lord’s Day 11 from the study guide.

## 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/dGyPzsaqRyE>

### Wednesday

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

### Community Pregnancy 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

FRPC.....Meeting place destroyed by hurricane; future plans  
Bethel PCA.....Cleanup and recovery from hurricane  
DeRidder PCA.....10 new families; evangelistic zeal  
Southern Louisiana Presbytery.....Presbyterian Church in America  
Persecuted Christians.....Pastor Wang Yi & Early Rain Covenant Church, China

### MISSIONARIES

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

### EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Sarah (Jones) Lanclos.....Girl; due May 12, 2021

### CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN (Under Age 20)

Abigail Godwin (assoc member) Cora Saladin (assoc member)  
Matthew Lungrin (com member) Evelyn Saladin (assoc member)  
Theresa Lungrin (non com member)

### SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Chaplain Ken and Sarah Godwin & family.....Fort Polk  
Chaplain Sebastian and Saemi Kim & family.....Fort Polk  
Greg and Ariann Gillen & family.....Fort Polk  
Jon and Rita Munson & family.....Fort Polk  
Joe and Erin Saladin & family.....Fort Polk

### GENERAL HEALTH & OTHER CONCERNS

Becky Barberousse.....Knee pain  
Pam (Bruce’s sister).....Salvation  
Kendra Joseph.....Success of ITP treatments  
Greg Prudhomme.....Back and knee injury; scar tissue in right eye  
Margo Roll.....General health  
Ellis Smith.....Burned hands  
Smith family.....Cleanup and recovery from fire  
Mitch Thompson.....Back and mobility problems  
Janice Wright.....Multiple blood clots; unknown disease

### CANCER

Mollie Anderson.....Breast cancer in remission  
Kent Bergeron (RE at Three Rivers PCA).....Continued recovery  
Sam Crifasse (friend of Doug’s).....Bladder cancer  
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

## **ADVOCATE, ATONEMENT, AND AUTHOR**

Text: Psalm 119:153–160

### **I. PRAYER FOR RESCUE**

A. In Affliction

B. As Advocate

C. As Atonement

D. As Author Of Salvation

### **II. RECOGNITION OF MERCIES**

A. The State Of The Wicked

B. The Mercies Of God

C. The Numerous Adversaries

### **III. REACTION OF THE SAINTS**

A. Toward The Treacherous

B. Toward The Lord

C. Toward The Lord's Word