



ORDER FOR THE
PUBLIC WORSHIP *of* GOD

February 9, 2014
11:00 a.m.


Second
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Singing God's Praise

*As you enter the Sanctuary, please assume a quiet and respectful attitude of worship.
Please silence your mobile devices.*

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

You are invited to pray and reflect on the following prayer as you prepare for worship.

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins,
and give us the liberty of that abundant life
which you have made known to us in Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ;
who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever. Amen.

ORGAN PRELUDE:

Variations on "All Creatures of Our God and King" Denis Bedard
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" Dan Miller

*Samuel Metzger, organ
Priscilla Tsai, violin*

CHORAL INTROIT: "Cantate Domino"Becki Mayo
Text from Psalm 98

Sing to the Lord a new song, sing to the Lord all the earth.
Sing to the Lord a new song, Cantate Domino.
Worship the Lord with music, worship the Lord with song.
Worship the Lord with music, Cantate Domino.
Cantate Domino, sing to God; Cantate Domino, sing to God!
Serve the Lord with gladness, serve the Lord with praise.
Serve the Lord with gladness, Cantate Domino.

*Music Makers and Spirit & Song Choirs
Terri Theil, Director
Molly Johnson, Accompanist
Dee Walker, Flute*

CALL TO WORSHIP A. Mitchell Moore

✦HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 1 "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" OLD HUNDREDTH

✦PSALTER LESSON: Select verses from Psalm 90. Jay Cofield

Lord, you have been our dwelling place
in all generations.

**Before the mountains were brought forth,
or ever you had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God.**

The years of our life are seventy,
or even by reason of strength eighty;
yet their span is but toil and trouble;
they are soon gone, and we fly away.

**So teach us to number our days
that we may get a heart of wisdom.**

Return, O Lord! How long?
Have pity on your servants!

**Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love,
that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.**

Let your work be shown to your servants,
and your glorious power to their children.

**Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us,
and establish the work of our hands upon us;
yes, establish the work of our hands!**

✦DOXOLOGY..... OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

✦PRAYER OF ADORATION

Seeking God's Help

EPISTLE LESSON Ephesians 6:5-8
(page 979 in pew Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God, our heavenly Father,
Forgive us
for our reluctance to follow the path of our crucified Lord,
where the way up is down,
the way to live is to die,
and the way to exaltation is humble service.**

**Pardon us
for valuing the approval of others more than Yours
and for not working cheerfully and contentedly
in our chosen vocations.**

**Liberate us
by Your Spirit
from the shackles of our sin
into the freedom of serving our True Master
the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: "Worker's Prayer" Keith and Kristyn Getty
"Sleepers Wake," J.S. Bach

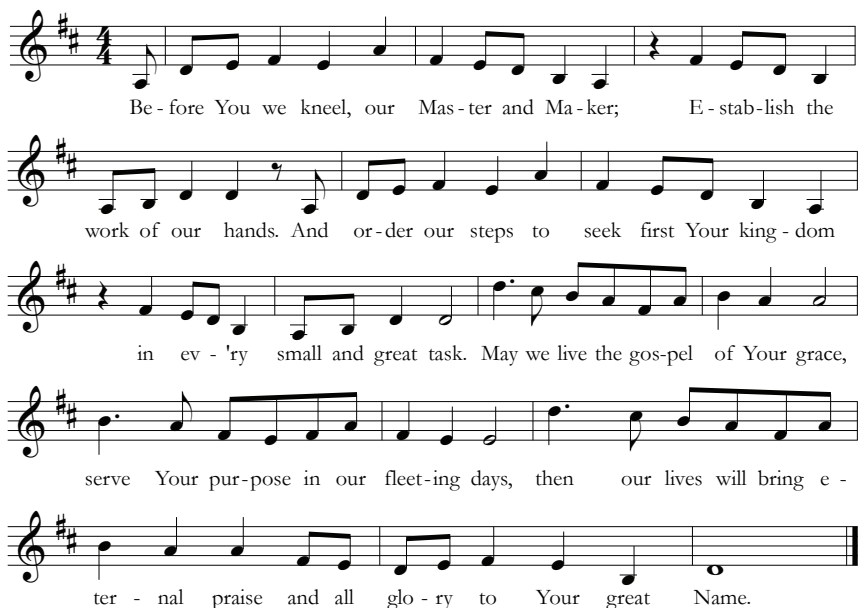
Before You I kneel, my Master and Maker, to offer the work of my hands.
For this is the day You've given Your servant; I will rejoice and be glad.
For the strength I have to live and breathe, for each skill Your grace has given me,
For the needs and opportunities that will glorify Your great name.

Before You I kneel and ask for Your goodness to cover the work of my hands.
For patience and peace to shape all my labor; Your grace for thorns in my path.
Flow within me like a living stream; wear away the stones of pride and greed,
'Til Your ways are dwelling deep in me and a harvest of life is grown.

Before You we kneel, our Master and Maker; establish the work of our hands.
And order our steps to seek first Your kingdom in every small and great task.
May we live the gospel of Your grace; serve Your purpose in our fleeting days;
Then our lives will bring eternal praise and all glory to Your great name.

*Amy Stanfill, soloist
The Chancel Choir
Gabriel C. Statom, Director of Music*

✦ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Keith and Kristyn Getty



Be - fore You we kneel, our Mas - ter and Ma - ker; E - stab - lish the
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✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION Dan G. Burns

✦ GREETINGS

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

**Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
 Thy Kingdom come.
 Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
 For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Hearing God’s Word

HYMN OF PREPARATION:

No. 644 “May the Mind of Christ My Savior” ST. LEONARDS

SERMON *The Christian Worker* Sanders L. Willson

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: No. 164 “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” . . . AZMON
stanzas 1, 2, 3 & 6

✦ BENEDICTION

✦ CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

ORGAN POSTLUDE: “Carillon Sortie” Henri Mulet

✦ *Indicates congregation standing* CCLI License #252778

We consider it a privilege to have our children in worship with us. If your small children become restless and vocal, we invite you to the children’s room especially designed for them at the rear of the Sanctuary. They are also welcome in the nursery. Older children should also be encouraged to come to church prepared to stay in their pew throughout the service.

One of our pastors will be available after the service to pray for you or to offer helpful direction regarding your spiritual life. He will be in the Gathering Room, which is the first room on your left as you exit the southwest door of the Sanctuary (closest to the pulpit). You may also send your confidential email to pastor@2pc.org with questions about your spiritual life.