

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

November 22, 2020

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

The Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

THE SERVICE OF APPROACH TO GOD

*The Salutation

*The Call to Worship

*The Opening Hymn

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O Worship the King

All you have made will praise you, O LORD; your saints will extol you. Ps. 145:10

1. O wor-ship the King all-glo-ri-ous a-bove, O grate-ful-ly
2. O tell of his might, O sing of his grace, whose robe is the
3. The earth with its store of won-ders un-told, Al-might-y, your
4. Your boun-ti-ful care what tongue can re-cite? It breathes in the

sing his pow'r and his love; our shield and De-fend-er, the
light, whose can-o-py space. His char-iots of wrath the deep
pow'r has found-ed of old; has 'stab-lished it fast by a
air; it shines in the light; it streams from the hills; it de-

*Please stand, if you are able

An-ient of Days, pa-vil-ioned in splen-dor and gird-ed with praise.
thun-der-clouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.
change-less de-cree, and round it has cast, like a man-tle, the sea.
scends to the plain; and sweet-ly dis-tils in the dew and the rain.

5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
in you do we trust, nor find you to fail:
your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!
6. O measureless Might! Ineffable Love!
While angels delight to hymn you above,
the humbler creation, though feeble their lays,
with true adoration shall lisp to your praise.

Based on Psalm 104
Robert Grant, 1833
Mod.

LYONS 10.10.11.11,
Johann Michael Haydn, 1737-1806
Arr. in William Gardiner's *Sacred Melodies*. 1815

*The Invocation

*The Confession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Confession and Assurance

The Law of God

The Prayer of Confession

The Declaration of Pardon

*The Hymn of Thanksgiving

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Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Wretched

I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners. Matt. 9:13

1. Come, ye sin - ners, poor and wretch - ed, weak and wound-ed, sick and sore;
 2. Come, ye need - y, come and wel-come, God's free boun-ty glo - ri - fy;
 3. Come, ye wear - y, heav - y lad - en, bruised and bro - ken by the fall;
 4. Let not con-science make you lin - ger, nor of fit - ness fond-ly dream;

Je - sus read - y stands to save you, full of pit - y joined with pow'r:
 true be - lief and true re - pen - tance, ev - 'ry grace that brings you nigh,
 if you tar - ry till you're bet - ter, you will nev - er come at all:
 all the fit - ness he re - quir - eth is to feel your need of him;

*Please stand, if you are able

he is a - ble, he is a - ble, he is a - ble,
 with - out mon - ey, with - out mon - ey, with - out mon - ey,
 not the righ - teous, not the righ - teous, not the righ - teous—
 this he gives you, this he gives you, this he gives you;

he is will - ing; doubt no more; he is will - ing; doubt no more.
 come to Je - sus Christ and buy; come to Je - sus Christ and buy.
 sin - ners Je - sus came to call; sin - ners Je - sus came to call.
 'tis the Spir - it's ris - ing beam; 'tis the Spir - it's ris - ing beam.

5. Lo! th'incarnate God, ascended, pleads the merit of his blood;
 venture on him, venture wholly, let no other trust intrude:
 none but Jesus, none but Jesus, none but Jesus
 can do helpless sinners good, can do helpless sinners good.

Joseph Hart, 1759; alt.

BRYN CALFARIA 8.7.8.7.4.4.4.7.7.
 William Owen, 1852

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD OF GOD

The Scripture

The Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 119:12-20

12 Blessed are you, O Lord; teach me your statutes! 13 With my lips I declare all the rules of your mouth. 14 In the way of your testimonies I delight as much as in all riches. 15 I will meditate on your precepts and fix my eyes on your ways. 16 I will delight in your statutes; I will not forget your word. 17 Deal bountifully with your servant, that I may live and keep your word. 18 Open my eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of your law. 19 I am a sojourner on the earth; hide not your commandments from me! 20 My soul is consumed with longing for your rules at all times.

12 I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel, 13 so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ. 14 And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear.

15 Some indeed preach Christ from envy and rivalry, but others from good will. 16 The latter do it out of love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel. 17 The former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely but thinking to afflict me in my imprisonment. 18 What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is proclaimed, and in that I rejoice.

Yes, and I will rejoice, 19 for I know that through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ this will turn out for my deliverance, 20 as it is my eager expectation and hope that I will not be at all ashamed, but that with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death. 21 For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain. 22 If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me. Yet which I shall choose I cannot tell. 23 I am hard pressed between the two. My desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better. 24 But to remain in the flesh is more necessary on your account. 25 Convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with you all, for your progress and joy in the faith, 26 so that in me you may have ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus, because of my coming to you again.

27 Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, 28 and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from

God. 29 For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake, 30 engaged in the same conflict that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Leader: *This is the Word of the Lord.*

People: *Thanks be to God.*

The Sermon

“Worthy of the Gospel of Christ”

(Philippians 1:27-30)

Dr. Deryck Barson

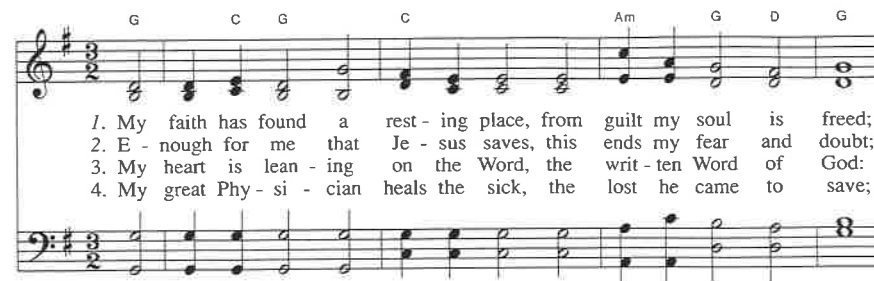
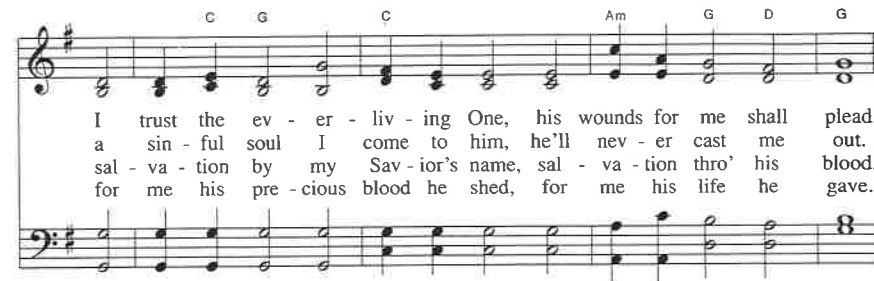
THE SERVICE OF RESPONSE TO GOD

*The Hymn of Response

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My Faith Has Found a Resting Place

While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Rom. 5:8

*Please stand, if you are able

REFRAIN

I need no oth - er ar - gu - ment, I need no oth - er plea,
it is e - nough that Je - sus died, and that he died for me.

Lidie H. Edmunds, 1891
Alt. 1990

LANDAS C.M.ref.
André Grétry, 1741-1831
Arr. by William J. Kirkpatrick, 1891

The Intercessory Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Offering and Offertory

*Please stand, if you are able

*The Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

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Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Ps. 150:6

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all
crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host:
praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Thomas Ken, 1709

OLD HUNDRETH L.M.
Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*, 1551

*The Closing Hymn

Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus!

Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise! Rev. 5:12

1. Hail, thou once de - spis - ed Je - sus! Hail, thou Gal - i - le - an King!
 2. Pas - chal Lamb, by God ap - point - ed, all our sins on thee were laid;
 3. Je - sus, hail! en - throned in glo - ry, there for - ev - er to a - bide;
 4. Wor - ship, hon - or, pow'r and bless - ing thou art wor - thy to re - ceive;

Thou didst suf - fer to re - lease us; thou didst free sal - va - tion bring.
 by al - might - y love a - noint - ed, thou hast full a - tone - ment made
 all the heav'n - ly hosts a - dore thee, seat - ed at thy Fa - ther's side.
 loud - est prais - es, with - out ceas - ing, meet it is for us to give.

Hail, thou ag - o - niz - ing Sav - ior, bear - er of our sin and shame!
 All thy peo - ple are for - giv - en through the vir - tue of thy blood:
 There for sin - ners thou art plead - ing; there thou dost our place pre - pare;
 Help, ye bright an - gel - ic spir - its, bring your sweet - est, no - blest lays;

By thy mer - its we find fa - vor; life is giv - en through thy name.
 o - pened is the gate of heav - en; peace is made 'twixt man and God.
 ev - er for us in - ter - ced - ing till in glo - ry we ap - pear.
 help to sing our Sav - ior's mer - its, help to chant Em - man - uel's praise!

John Bakewell, 1757
Alt. by Martin Madan, 1760:
Augustus Toplady, 1776

IN BABILONE 8.7.8.7.D.
Traditional Netherlands melody, 1710
Arr. by Julius Röntgen, ca. 1906

*Please stand, if you are able

*The Benediction

*The Postlude

The members of Bethel Orthodox Presbyterian Church extend a warm welcome to those visiting with us today. We invite you to return and worship with us again.

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BETHEL TODAY

Sunday, November 22, 2020

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Dr. Deryk Barson is preaching. Katrina Meadows is the pianist. The sermons can be heard and downloaded on the church website, bethelopc.org.

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

Monday	7:00 p.m.	Diaconate Meeting
Monday	7:30 p.m.	New Members Class
Tuesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Thursday	10:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving Service

Please note: There will not be any Community Group meetings or a Prayer Gathering this week, in light of Thanksgiving. The church office will also be closed Wednesday-Friday.

IN BETHEL

Preaching Schedule for November 29: Rev. Lendall Smith

Nick & Lauren De Jong will present their son, Luke Benjamin, for baptism next Lord's Day morning. The baptism will take place during the 8:30 service.

The **Thank Offering** is our denomination's annual collection to support "Worldwide Outreach"—the combined ministry of the OPC's work through the Committee on Foreign Missions, the Committee on Home Missions and Church Extension, and the Committee on Christian Education. As you read about the work of each committee in the weekly bulletin inserts this month, please consider what you might give, keeping in mind that this year's need is as great as ever. Donations marked for the Thank Offering can be made **anytime during the month of November** and a special offering will be taken later in November specifically for the Thank Offering causes. All checks and/or online donations should be made out to Bethel OPC and designated "Thank Offering."

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A new **Church Directory** will be published this winter. If any of the following apply to you, please contact Linda in the church office at 630.665.5577 or linda.behm@bethelopc.org ::

- you are new to Bethel and would like to be included in the directory
- you are currently listed in the directory, but need to revise or add to your contact information
- you would like to have your picture retaken for the directory
- you would like to add your birthday to the list in the back of the directory

Dear ladies of Bethel, Thank you so much for getting us the group gift of the lamp, stroller contributions and so many adorable clothes for our baby boy. I wish we could have celebrated together in person, and thank you to those who had planned the shower. But the Lord has his perfect timing. Thanks again, Alyssa and Joe Bootsma

COMING IN BETHEL

November 30	7:30 p.m.	New Members Class
December 1	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
December 1	7:30 p.m.	Bill & Luke's Community Group
December 2	9:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study (via Zoom)
December 2	6:45 p.m.	Prayer Gathering
December 2	7:30 p.m.	Paul & Steve's Community Group
December 2	7:30 p.m.	Physical Plant Committee Meeting
December 3	11:00 a.m.	Music Committee Meeting
December 3	7:00 p.m.	Session Meeting

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SCHEDULE OF REGULAR ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

Morning Worship 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

WEEKDAYS

Women's Bible Study Tuesday, 7:15 p.m.
Women's Bible Study Wednesday, 9:30 a.m.
Pizza and Prayer (minus the pizza) Wednesday, 6:45 p.m.
Community Groups See Bethel Press for details

MISSION STATEMENT

As a congregation in the Orthodox Presbyterian Church, Bethel Presbyterian Church is resolved to be faithful to the "Great Commission," by preaching God's Word, administering the sacraments, lovingly exercising church discipline and aiming for the glory of God in all things.

We strive to honor the Bible as God's Word by teaching its system of doctrine (as contained in the Westminster Standards), embracing its promises, obeying its commands, and always being reformed by it.

We desire to guard the gospel by exalting Jesus Christ in his obedience, death, resurrection and second coming; and by inviting all to repent and believe in Christ alone for salvation.

We seek to nurture our mutual growth as the communion of saints through love, prayer, service, encouragement, fellowship, and gifts.

We answer God's call to love our neighbor, to testify to our hope in Christ, to be salt and light in the world, to partner with those who spread the gospel, and to pray to the Lord for his harvest.

CHURCH OFFICERS

Elders:

Class of 2021 Bill Mincr
Class of 2021 Jim Veenstra
Class of 2022 Paul Burke
Class of 2022 Dan Moore
Class of 2022 Joe Potoshnick
Class of 2022 Luke Shannon
Class of 2023 Steve Werkema, Clerk of Session

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Trustees:

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Class of 2021 Nick De Jong, Treasurer
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Class of 2022 Russ Meycr
Class of 2022 Chris Sudlow
Class of 2023 Mike Bakker
Class of 2023 Dwight Bonnes
Class of 2023 Jason Martzke, Vice President
Class of 2023 Matt Schuman, Secretary

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Nick De Jong, Secretary
Russ Meyer
Class of 2021 Dwight Bonnes
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