

Fellowship Presbyterian Church

Lord's Day Worship

July 25, 2010

We do not often refer to our worship as "liturgy", but it is. The corporate worship of God's people is a time when we come together in the public work (the root meaning of "liturgy") of worshipping the Triune God. Use these moments to prepare not to sit and observe, but to exert yourself in ascribing to God the glory due His name. Sing His praises with fervor and joy! Confess your sin with honesty and humility. Approach His throne of grace boldly in prayer. Attend to His Word with a view toward its application in your life. In all that you do in this coming hour, offer to Him that which you were designed to give, and which He delights to receive through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Mr. Breno Macedo

Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1-5

Shout joyfully to the LORD, all the earth.

Serve the LORD with gladness;

Come before Him with joyful singing.

Know that the LORD Himself is God;

It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves;

We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving

And His courts with praise.

Give thanks to Him, bless His name.

For the LORD is good;

His lovingkindness is everlasting

And His faithfulness to all generations.

§ Psalm

No. 65

Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne

§ Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

Confession of Sin:

Psalm 51

Leader: Be gracious to me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness; according to the greatness of Your compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgression, and my sin is ever before me.

People: Against You, You only, I have sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are justified when You speak and blameless when You judge.

Leader: Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin my mother conceived me. Behold, You desire truth in the innermost being, and in the hidden part You will make me know wisdom.

People: Purify me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Make me to hear joy and gladness, let the bones which You have broken rejoice. Hide Your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquities.

Leader: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from Your presence and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

People: Restore to me the joy of Your salvation and sustain me with a willing spirit. Then I will teach transgressors Your ways, and sinners will be converted to You.

Leader: Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation; then my tongue will joyfully sing of Your righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, that my mouth may declare Your praise.

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People: For You do not delight in sacrifice, otherwise I would give it; You are not pleased with burnt offering. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and a contrite heart, O God, You will not despise.

Leader: By Your favor do good to Zion; build the walls of Jerusalem.

People: Then You will delight in righteous sacrifices, in burnt offering and whole burnt offering; then young bulls will be offered on Your altar.

Assurance of Pardon and Hope

Psalm 28:6-8

Blessed be the LORD,

Because He has heard the voice of my supplication.

The LORD is my strength and my shield;

My heart trusts in Him, and I am helped;

Therefore my heart exults,

And with my song I shall thank Him.

The LORD is their strength,

And He is a saving defense to His anointed.

§ Hymn

Fairest Lord Jesus

No. 170

§ Worship Through Tithes and Offerings

Prayer of Intercession and Supplication

§ Hymn of Preparation

How Great Thou Art

No. 44

Reading of Scripture

Job 1:1-8

Pew Bible page 518

¹There was a man in the land of Uz whose name was Job; and that man was blameless, upright, fearing God and turning away from evil.

²Seven sons and three daughters were born to him.

³His possessions also were 7,000 sheep, 3,000 camels, 500 yoke of oxen, 500 female donkeys, and very many servants; and that man was the greatest of all the men of the east.

⁴His sons used to go and hold a feast in the house of each one on his day, and they would send and invite their three sisters to eat and drink with them.

⁵When the days of feasting had completed their cycle, Job would send and consecrate them, rising up early in the morning and offering burnt offerings according to the number of them all; for Job said, "Perhaps my sons have sinned and cursed God in their hearts." Thus Job did continually.

⁶Now there was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the LORD, and Satan also came among them.

⁷The LORD said to Satan, "From where do you come?" Then Satan answered the LORD and said, "From roaming about on the earth and walking around on it."

⁸The LORD said to Satan, "Have you considered My servant Job? For there is no one like him on the earth, a blameless and upright man, fearing God and turning away from evil."

Proclamation of God's Word

Pastor Jim O'Brien

Four Marks of a Godly Man

§ Hymn

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

No. 529

§ Benediction

Pastor O'Brien

§ Corporate "Amen"

§ The congregation will please stand.

Evening Worship

Call to Worship

I Chronicles 16:34-36

O give thanks to the LORD, for He is good;

For His lovingkindness is everlasting.

Then say, "Save us, O God of our salvation,

And gather us and deliver us from the nations,

To give thanks to Your holy name,

And glory in Your praise."

Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel,

From everlasting even to everlasting.

Then all the people said, "Amen," and praised the LORD.

§ Psalm

Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul

No. 57

§ Prayer of Praise and Invocation

Old Testament Reading

I Samuel 24:8-22

Pew Bible page 309

⁸Now afterward David arose and went out of the cave and called after Saul, saying, "My lord the king!" And when Saul looked behind him, David bowed with his face to the ground and prostrated himself.

⁹David said to Saul, "Why do you listen to the words of men, saying, 'Behold, David seeks to harm you?'"

¹⁰"Behold, this day your eyes have seen that the LORD had given you today into my hand in the cave, and some said to kill you, but my eye had pity on you; and I said, 'I will not stretch out my hand against my lord, for he is the LORD'S anointed.'

¹¹"Now, my father, see! Indeed, see the edge of your robe in my hand! For in that I cut off the edge of your robe and did not kill you, know and perceive that there is no evil or rebellion in my hands, and I have not sinned against you, though you are lying in wait for my life to take it.

¹²"May the LORD judge between you and me, and may the LORD avenge me on you; but my hand shall not be against you.

¹³"As the proverb of the ancients says, 'Out of the wicked comes forth wickedness'; but my hand shall not be against you.

¹⁴"After whom has the king of Israel come out? Whom are you pursuing? A dead dog, a single flea?

¹⁵"The LORD therefore be judge and decide between you and me; and may He see and plead my cause and deliver me from your hand."

¹⁶When David had finished speaking these words to Saul, Saul said, "Is this your voice, my son David?" Then Saul lifted up his voice and wept.

¹⁷He said to David, "You are more righteous than I; for you have dealt well with me, while I have dealt wickedly with you.

¹⁸"You have declared today that you have done good to me, that the LORD delivered me into your hand and yet you did not kill me.

¹⁹"For if a man finds his enemy, will he let him go away safely? May the LORD therefore reward you with good in return for what you have done to me this day.

²⁰"Now, behold, I know that you will surely be king, and that the kingdom of Israel will be established in your hand.

²¹"So now swear to me by the LORD that you will not cut off my descendants after me and that you will not destroy my name from my father's household."

²²David swore to Saul. And Saul went to his home, but David and his men went up to the stronghold.

§ Hymn

We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator

No. 97

Prayer of Confession, Petition and Intercession

§ Hymn

We Have Not Known Thee As We Ought (stanzas 1, 3 & 4)

No. 493

Scripture Reading

I Peter 3:18-22

Pew Bible pages 1213-1214

¹⁸For Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, having been put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit;

¹⁹in which also He went and made proclamation to the spirits now in prison,

²⁰who once were disobedient, when the patience of God kept waiting in the days of Noah, during the construction of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were brought safely through the water.

²¹Corresponding to that, baptism now saves you--not the removal of dirt from the flesh, but an appeal to God for a good conscience--through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,

²²who is at the right hand of God, having gone into heaven, after angels and authorities and powers had been subjected to Him.

Proclamation of God's Word

Mr. Breno Macedo

Christ and Suffering

§ Hymn

Though Troubles Assail Us

No. 95

§ Closing Prayer

Mr. Breno Macedo

WELCOME!

If you are visiting Fellowship Presbyterian Church for the first time, we welcome you as you worship with us. Please help us get to know one another by signing the Pew Registry as it is passed. We invite you to return to our evening worship at 6:00 PM. A nursery is provided for all services for children from birth through three years of age.

SERVICES AND WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sunday:

10:00 AM: Sunday School
11:00 AM: Morning Worship
6:00 PM: Evening Worship

Wednesday:

6:30 PM: Prayer Service



“Whoever welcomes one of these little children in My name welcomes Me.”

We appreciate those assisting in the nursery:

Nursery Workers for Sunday, July 25, 2010:

Sunday School: Barbara Wilder
Morning Worship: Jeremy & Susana Skoog, Melissa DeJong
Evening Worship: Bill & Barbara Wilder

Nursery Workers for Sunday, August 1, 2010:

Sunday School: Barbara Wilder
Morning Worship: Jeff & Paula Sarvis, Roberta Macedo
Evening Worship: Kathy & Suzannah Way

SERVING IN JULY:

Elder of the Month: Dave Lesley (877-5102)
Deacon of the Month: Bill Wilder (848-6434)
Greeters of the Month: Terry & Wendy Richards
Ushers: Troy High, Ron Reinink & Bill Wilder
Nursery Coordinator: Melissa DeJong (236-5615)

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The Session:

Teaching Elder: Pastor Martin H. Martin

Ruling Elders:

Dave Lesley, Lafoye Mooney, Larry Poole & Jeff Wayne, Sr.

The Diaconate:

Deacons: Troy High, Sam Stubbs & Bill Wilder

Church Intern:

Breno Macedo

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PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER OUR MISSIONARIES IN PRAYER:

Rev. & Mrs. Jack Campbell: RMI (Clemson) Rev. & Mrs. Guillermo Salinas: Mexico
Dr. & Mrs. Clayton Quarterman: Ukraine Rev. & Mrs. Gary Watanabe: New York City
Dr. & Mrs. Roger Smalling: Vision R.E.A.L. Rev. & Mrs. Will Traub: Germany
Rev. & Mrs. Emilio Garofalo: Brazil

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS:

Pew Registry: Please help us get to know one another by signing the pew registry (located at the end of each aisle). Thank you!

Wednesday Night Prayer, 6:30—7:30 P.M.:

Plan to join us Wednesdays this summer,
(now through August 18) 6:30—7:30 P.M.,
for an informal time of prayer.

Please note: There will be no supper or activities;
eating a picnic supper early or staying late
is up to individual families.

Childcare for nursery/ preschool children provided;
older children will be in prayer service with their parents.

WELCOME! We are pleased to have Pastor Jim O'Brien fill our pulpit this Sunday morning. Rev. O'Brien has pastored numerous PCA churches and is currently writing discipleship material. We also look forward to having our intern, Mr. Breno Macedo, continue his series in I Peter tonight during evening worship.

The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, August 8, 2010, following the morning service, to address the following items:

- ◆ Adopt a newly revised set of bylaws
- ◆ Elect “corporate officers” (note that these are distinct from “church officers”)
- ◆ Ratify past sales of land involved in the widening of Batesville and Old Spartanburg Roads
- ◆ Approve the sale of the land adjacent to River Oaks subdivision

Congregation members will be receiving an “advance packet” in the mail prior to our meeting in an effort to proceed as efficiently as possible on August 8.

The sacrament of the Lord’s Supper will be celebrated next Sunday, August 1st, during morning worship.

August Newsletter & Calendar Online:

The August edition of our newsletter and calendar can be viewed online at www.fellowshippres.org.

Please note: printed copies of the August newsletter and calendar are available in the narthex.

There is a Session meeting scheduled for Monday, July 26th, 7:00 PM.

Church-Wide / Family Retreat at Look Up Lodge

October 8th—9th

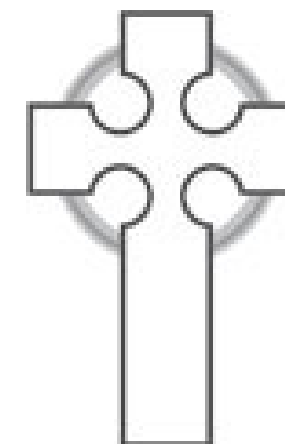
(supper-time on Friday thru Saturday afternoon)

Save these dates!

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Presbyterian Church in America

July 25, 2010



Our purpose is to glorify the Triune God by reconciling the lost to Him through faith in Jesus Christ and equipping the saints to serve Him in every area of life.
II Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 28:19-20