

# THE LORD'S DAY

January 14, 2024

10 O'clock A.M.

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REFLECTION

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Hebrews 10:19-23

**Brothers, since we have confidence to enter  
the holy place by the blood of Jesus**

*By the new and living way that he opened for us,  
Through the curtain, that is his flesh,*

**And since we have a high priest over the house of God**

**Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith,**

*With our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience,  
Our bodies washed with pure water.*

**Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering,  
For He who promised is faithful.**

\*HYMN OF ADORATION

*Let All Things Now Living*

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\*PRAYER OF ADORATION

CONFESSION OF FAITH

SC 5,6,21

**Christian, in whom do you believe and trust?**

*We believe in the one true and living God revealed in Holy Scripture.  
He is the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; these three are one  
God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory.*

**Who is your Redeemer?**

*Our only Redeemer is the Lord Jesus Christ, who being  
the eternal Son of God, became man, and so was, and continues to be  
God and man in two distinct nature, and one person, forever.*

CONFESSION OF SIN

based on Psalm 32

*Heavenly Father, forgive us when we have kept silent, and not confessed  
our sins. We have ignored our sin, blamed others, or made excuses.  
You chastised us as a Father does His children. You mercifully convicted  
us of our sins by the work of Your Holy Spirit. Then we acknowledged our  
sin, and no longer covered up our iniquity. We now confess all our sins  
against You and Your Holy Law. We are assured Father that you no longer  
count our sins against us because Jesus has died for our sins. We are truly  
blessed and praise Your Merciful Name; we are glad and rejoice in the  
LORD.*

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

Romans 5:6-11

**God shows His love for us in that:**

*While we were still sinner, Christ died for us!*

**Since we have been justified by His blood**

*How much more shall we be saved by Him  
from the wrath of God.*

**While we were enemies, we were reconciled to God  
by the death of His Son**

*How much more now will we be saved by His life.*

**We rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
through whom we have now received reconciliation.**

\*HYMN OF DEVOTION

*How Firm A Foundation  
Ushers come forward at this time*

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TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Doxology

\*READING OF GOD'S WORD

Mark 12:28-44  
Pew Bible Pg, 1009

PASTORAL PRAYER

PREACHING OF THE WORD

Close to the Kingdom

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE

*Jesus! What a Friend of Sinners*

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\*BENEDICTION

\*GLORIA PATRI

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