

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

**Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*Theological Education/Seminaries*  
*Christian and Citizen Sunday*

September 15, 2019

Eleven O'Clock

Greeters: Elizabeth Price and Lori Gast  
Liturgist: Julie Ciuro

## PRELUDE:

- I. *Voluntary on "LEONI"* - 17th Century Jewish, arr. Harold Owen
- II. *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* - ST. COLUMBIA, arr. Victor Johnson

## CHIMING THE HOUR

**GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Psalm 118 says: **This is the Day that the Lord hath made, let us rejoice and be glad in it! Good morning and welcome. It is so nice to see all of you here this morning. Please remember to sign the attendance registers located in each pew. It is time for announcements, does anybody have an announcement they would like to make?**

**Please stand, in body or spirit, and join me in our Call to Worship and remain standing through the response**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP:** (Responsively)

Leader: **Create in me a clean heart, O God,**

People: **and put a new and right spirit within me.**

All: **Let us worship God.**

## \*PRAISE CHORUS:

Hymn No. 26 "*Earth and All Stars*" vs. 1 EARTH AND ALL STARS  
**Earth and all stars! Loud rushing planets! Sing to the Lord a new song!**  
**Hail, wind, and rain! Loud blowing snowstorm! Sing to the Lord a new song!**  
**God has done marvelous things. We too sing praises with a new song!**

**Please bow your heads for our Opening Prayer**

**\*OPENING PRAYER** God of power and justice, like Jeremiah You weep over those who wander from You, turn aside to other gods, and enter into chaos and destruction. By Your tears and through Your mercy, teach us Your ways and write them on our hearts so that we may follow faithfully the path You show us. Amen.

**Our first hymn today is:**

**\*HYMN No. 331**

*"God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"*

NATIONAL HYMN

**\*CALL TO CONFESSION** If we say we are without sin, we deceive ourselves. Let us confess our sins before Almighty God.

**Let us pray...**

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Merciful God, hear our prayers for forgiveness. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed. Though our intentions are good we are weak people who are often led astray. Be with us, Lord, when we face temptation, and give us strength to hold fast to what we believe. Forgive us when we fail in our weakness, for we know You are a just and loving God who is worth all worship and praise. (Please wait about 20 seconds, and then say,) Amen.

**\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Brothers and sisters in Christ, believe the good news of the Gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

**\*RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 707 "Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord" vs. 2 HALL

Take thou our hearts, O Christ; they are thine own;  
come thou within our souls and claim thy throne;  
help us to shed abroad thy deathless love;  
use us to make the earth like heaven above.

**TIME FOR YOUTH** You may be seated and at this time would our youth please come forward. (If there are no youth (besides the regulars,) then just say "you may be seated.")

**Please bow your heads for our Prayer of Illumination**

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION** Lord, enlighten us with a mind for You. Grant us wisdom as we listen to Your words and help us apply those words to our own lives. Amen.

**PSALTER LESSON** Our Psalter Lesson comes from Psalm 14 please read it responsively with me.

Leader: Fools say in their hearts, "There is no God." They are corrupt, they do abominable deeds; there is no one who does good.

People: The Lord looks down from heaven on humankind to see if there are any who are wise, who seek after God.

Leader: They have all gone astray, they are all alike perverse; there is no one who does good, no, not one.

People: Have they no knowledge, all the evildoers who eat up my people as they eat bread, and do not call upon the Lord?

Leader: There they shall be in great terror, for God is with the company of the righteous. You would confound the plans of the poor, but the Lord is their refuge.

People: O that deliverance for Israel would come from Zion! When the Lord restores the fortunes of His people, Jacob will rejoice; Israel will be glad.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** Our Old Testament Lesson comes from Exodus 32:7-14, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Pages 78-79

**Our choir will now sing the Anthem:**

**ANTHEM:** All for Jesus - Brian Buda

**GOSPEL LESSON** Our Gospel Lesson comes from Luke 15:1-10, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Page 78

**SERMON**

Rev. Janet Boyanton

Those who are able, please stand and join with me in singing:

\*HYMN No. 451

*“Open My Eyes, That I May See”*

SLANE

**Please join me in Affirmation of Faith as it is printed in your bulletin.**

\*AFFIRMATION The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

\*RESPONSE: Hymn No. 581

*“Glory Be to the Father”*

GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;**

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, Amen, amen.**

**You may be seated. It is now time for our Prayer Concerns and Celebrations. Does anybody have anything they would like to share?**

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY Prayer concerns and celebrations

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### 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**

\*OFFERTORY: *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* - NETTLETON, setting by Jeffrey Honoré

\*RESPONSE: Hymn No. 606 *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;**

**Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**Let us come to God with our prayer of Thanksgiving**

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**Redeeming Sustainer, visit Your people and pour out Your strength and courage upon us, that we may hurry to make You welcome not only in our concern for others, but by serving them generously and faithfully in Your name. Amen.**

**Our last Hymn today is:**

\*HYMN No. 363

*“Rejoice, the Lord is King!”*

DARWALL'S 148TH

**CONGREGATIONAL MEETING It is now time for our Annual Congregational Meeting. A congregational meeting is to be considered an act of worship. Pastor Janet will say a prayer to close the worship part of the service and open the meeting. Guests and visitors are invited to adjourn to the opportunity corner for refreshments. Church members are asked to stay for the meeting. After the meeting, Pastor Janet will give the benediction and pass the peace.**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 687

*"Our God, Our Help in Ages Past" vs. 1*

**Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,  
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.**

ST. ANNE

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**\*POSTLUDE:** *Psalm XIX* - Benedetto Marcello

**\*Those who are able may stand.**

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*Please join us for Refreshments  
following the Worship Service.*

# Daily Bread

Supplement

DeSoto Presbyterian Church [www.desotopresbyterian.org](http://www.desotopresbyterian.org)

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## CLOTHES FOR THE NEEDY

Our thoughts are with the homeless, so we are collecting clothing for the needy. Especially needed are men's clothing, and socks in dark colors in all sizes. Please bring these items to the church and place them in the laundry basket located in the opportunity corner.

Thank you, Faith in Action

## BRING IN BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION!

It's easy to find BOX TOPS, you may have some in your home right now. You can find them on hundreds of different products, from cereal as well as other kinds of food, to storage products, household products and school supplies. Look for a sample of one in the Opportunity Corner. Each BOX TOP is worth \$.10, so imagine how quickly they can add up! There is a write-up about this with a heartfelt thank you from the Goodland Academy on the bulletin board.

## ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

We will be having our Annual Congregational Meeting at the end of the Worship Service today, September 15, 2019. We will be voting for our Ruling Elders for the class of 2022, and our Youth Elder for the class of 2020. Please plan on attending.

## 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY POT-LUCK LUNCH

We will be having our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Pot-Luck Lunch on the **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in September**. Mark your calendars for September 22, and think about what you want to bring to share. We always we have great food and great fellowship. I hope to see everyone there.

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

### MONDAY

06:00 PM Cub Pack 789 Tigers

07:00 PM Boy Scouts 109

### TUESDAY

10:30 AM Worship Committee Meeting

### THURSDAY

10:00 AM Art Group

### NEXT SUNDAY

09:30 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Adult Bible Study

11:00 AM Worship

12:15 PM Pot Luck Lunch

## **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Our Leaders

Our Presbytery, our church, our Session

Our Troops

Millie Allen

Tom Price needs continued prayers

Continued prayers for Bill and Nina Swaney

Sue Fitch

Makia Epie, hatred has overwhelmed him – prayers for his family

Joe and Lorrinda Alexander

Irmagene Mitchell

Karla Krueger, she has M.S. and is very sick

Cora Marsaw is in treatments, pray for a good outcome

Continued prayers for Cameroon

Margie Sonntag

A family member of Janet's is suffering from depression

Sharon and Clyde Lockhart

Martha Brashear is still in pain after her surgery, prayers for her and Truman

Janet's brother-in-law Ken

Diane Sharp

Ransome Kanu was accepted into North Texas University, he needs continued prayers

Sonia Wills and her family

Cori has health issues and needs to have a surgery

Devynne Boyanton

La Nelle Pierce has lung cancer and fungus in both her lungs

Phyllis Speck is having hip problems

Linda Sharp

Margie's son-in-law, Jim Palmer

Family and friends of Bob Drury

Everyone affected by the recent hurricane

The church in Cameroon in being destroyed

Irmagene Mitchell's daughter broke her foot, and Irmagene's son was beaten up by 3 men

Duane – bad car accident, broke 5 ribs and has 56 stitches in his face