

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*Evangelism Sunday*

September 22, 2019

Eleven O'Clock

Greeters: Elizabeth Price and Lori Gast  
Liturgist: Pat Nash

## PRELUDE:

- I. *Here I Am, Lord* - Daniel Schutte, setting by Janet Linker
- II. *Glorified, Blessed and Worthy* - arr. Lynell Leatherman

## 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: **Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord.**

People: **Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time on and forevermore.**

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** O God, You call us to embrace both You and the children of the world with unconditional love. Give us grace to discern what Your love demands of us, that, being faithful in things both great and small we may serve You with an undivided heart. Amen.

**Our first hymn today is:**

**\*HYMN** No. 299

*"You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim"*

HANOVER

**\*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**

Father, in the midst of a trying world we come to You with hearts full of regret. We have done those things we ought not to have done and left undone those things that ought to have been done. We wait for others to address injustice, poverty, and hunger in our country and in the world. Help us to see other people as individuals worthy of Your love and help, even when they are different from us. Forgive us when we struggle to do Your will in the world and place Your commands in our hearts so that we may never forget them. (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, give us clarity of thought as we listen to Your Word today. Help us to see it in a new light and understand Your words for the people of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Amen.

**PSALTER LESSON** Our Psalter Lesson comes from Psalm 113 please read it responsively with me.

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord; praise the name of the Lord.

People: Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time on and forevermore.

Leader: From the rising of the sun to its setting the name of the Lord is to be praised.

People: The Lord is high above all nations, and His glory above the heavens.

Leader: Who is like the Lord our God, who is seated on high, who looks far down on the heavens and the earth?

People: He raises the poor from the dust, and lifts the needy from the ash heap,

Leader: to make them sit down with princes, with the princes of His people.

People: He gives the barren woman a home, making her the joyous mother of children. Praise the Lord!

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** Our Old Testament Lesson comes from Amos 8:4-7, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Page 856

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

**ANTHEM:** *Jesus, Shepherd of My Heart* - arr. Diane Hannibal and Faye López

**GOSPEL LESSON** Our Gospel Lesson comes from Luke 16:1-13, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Page 79

**SERMON**

Rev. Janet Boyanton

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

**\*HYMN** No. 353

*“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”*

SOLID ROCK

**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:** *Erschienen ist der Herrlich’ Tag* - Dietrich Buxtehude

**\*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.**

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** **Let us come to God with our prayer of Thanksgiving**

**When joy is gone and hearts are sick, O God, You give us Christ as our healing balm. He came in human flesh that He might give Himself as a ransom for our salvation and anoint us with the Spirit of consolation and joy. Hear the cry of Your people, that we may rejoice in the richness of Your love and be faithful stewards of Your many gifts. Amen.**

**Our last Hymn today is:**

**\*HYMN No. 716**

*“God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending”*

BEACH SPRING

**\*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:** *Go Therefore!* - Robert F. Smith

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

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*Please join us for our  
Pot-Luck Lunch 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.

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

We will be having our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Pot-Luck Lunch TODAY, the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in September, September 22<sup>nd</sup>. We always we have great food and great fellowship. I hope everyone can join us after church.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR BOB DRURY

There will be a Memorial Service for Bob Drury on Saturday, September 28, 2019 at 10:00am. @ Driggers and Decker Funeral Home – 105 Vintage Dr., Red Oak 75154 (this is close to the corner of Red Oak Rd. and 342.) There will be a gathering at the Yuhanna's afterwards, 103 Brushy Way, Red Oak 75154.

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

### MONDAY

06:00 PM Cub Pack 789 Tigers

07:00 PM Boy Scouts 109

### TUESDAY

10:30 AM Bible Study Lesson 10

### THURSDAY

10:00 AM Art Group

### NEXT SUNDAY

09:30 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Adult Bible Study

11:00 AM Worship

## **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

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

Zac Tucker

Travel mercies for Catherine Enoch