

Morning Order of Worship

Sioux Center United Reformed Church

Sunday, May 22, 2022

OPENING OF SERVICE

- * Call to Worship
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * God's Greeting
- * Psalm of Praise: 135: 1,2,4 *O Praise the LORD! His Praise Proclaim!*

SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION

- Call to Confession
- Prayer of Confession
- Psalm of Assurance: 139B: 1,2,3,11 *LORD, You Have Searched Me*

SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

- God's Will for Our Lives
- Congregational Prayer

SERVICE OF THE WORD

- * Hymn of Preparation: 435: 1,2,3,5 *Not What My Hands Have Done*
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture: Ephesians 1:3-6
- Message: **SPIRITUAL BLESSINGS IN CHRIST**
- Prayer of Application

CLOSING OF SERVICE

- * Hymn of Response: 427: 1,3 *I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew*
- Offertory Prayer
- Psalm of Thanksgiving: 30: 1,2,4,5 *O LORD, I Will Extol You*
- Offering: General Fund (offering received during song)
- * Benediction
- * Doxology: 226 *O the Deep, Unbounded Riches* (unannounced)

**Please stand if you are able*

SPIRITUAL BLESSINGS IN CHRIST

Scripture: Ephesians 1:3-6

May 22, 2022 AM

Rev. Jon Bushnell

1. God's Choice

2. Our Assurance

3. His Glory

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. Did Jesus make salvation an option for those who choose him, or did he accomplish the salvation of those he chose?
2. What is Election?
3. What is the relationship between election and predestination?
4. When did God the Father start loving you?
5. Explain predestination in your own words.
6. What are the spiritual blessings we have in Christ?

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THE CHURCH GATHERS TOGETHER

- * Call to Worship
- * Prayer of Invocation
- * God's Greeting
- * Psalm of Praise: 149B *O Praise Ye the Lord*

TO AFFIRM OUR FAITH

- * The Apostle's Creed (pg 851)
- * Hymn of Response: 276 *Jesus Paid It All*

TO PRAISE GOD

Psalm 129

Psalm of Praise: 129 *From Youth They Have Afflicted Me*

FOR SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Congregational Prayer

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

- * Hymn of Preparation: 531: 1,2,4 *Nearer Still Nearer*
- Belgic Confession, Article 21 (pg 862)
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture: Genesis 14:17-20; Hebrews 7:1-28
- Message: **THE ATONEMENT**
- Prayer of Application

AND DEPARTS TO SERVE

- * Hymn of Response: 452 *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*
- Offertory Prayer
- Hymn of Thanksgiving: 237:1-4 *When All Your Mercies, O My God*
- Offering: Building Fund (offering received during song)
- * Benediction
- * Doxology: 113B:1 *Praise God, O Servants of the Lord*
(unannounced)

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THE ATONEMENT

Belgic Confession, Article 21

Scripture: Genesis 14:17-20; Hebrews 7:1-28

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1. Becoming a High Priest (the necessity of atonement)

2. To Satisfy the Eternal Wrath of God (the nature of atonement)

3. For our Salvation (the benefit of atonement)

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. Why was it necessary for Christ to die?
2. How did Melchizedek foreshadow Christ's priesthood?
3. What does *propitiation* mean?
4. Do you think that Christ's sufferings were enough to pay for your sins? Are you willing to rely on his work to pay for all your sins?
5. If Christ bore all the guilt for our sins, all the wrath of God against sin, and all the penalty of the death that we deserved, then will God ever turn his wrath against you as a believer? (Rom. 3:31-39)