

Leading Today's Service

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Choir Director Zach Vreeman
Accompanist Veronica Turner
Liturgist Brad Ward

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Greeter Misty Folz
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Join us also for
**Sunday evening worship
at 6:00pm**
in the parlor
(through the doors at the front
of the sanctuary)

Grace Reformed Church at City Park is a member of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church. For more information about Grace Reformed and the EPC denomination, visit our website and Facebook page. In addition to our Lord's Day Morning and Evening worship, the sanctuary is open for prayer Monday-Thursday, 6:30am-Noon.

If you have any questions, prayer requests, or are ready and excited to join our mission to reach all of Casper for Christ, contact any of us immediately!

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Welcome to our Visitors

To all who are weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are idle and look for service; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to whosoever will come -- this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of Jesus her Lord.

We are glad you are here to worship with us this morning! The pamphlet in the pew pocket will help you get to know our church better, and please fill out and return the visitor form also so that we can get to know you. We have fellowship and refreshments after the service in the parlor, which is through the doors at the front of the sanctuary.

Children are welcomed and encouraged to remain in the worship service, however a nursery is available for infants and pre-school-aged children. Ask anyone around you for directions. Activity bags are also available in the rear of the sanctuary for children to use during the service.



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, January 21, 2018

**Please stand if you are able*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

True Care—Gayle Irwin

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE FOR WORSHIP

*Call to Worship (From Psalm 1)

Leader: Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;

People: but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night.

Leader: He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

People: Let us worship the Lord this morning by listening and responding to the Word of God.

*Opening Hymn

#53— *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

*Invocation

*Singing of Psalm 29A (To the tune of *We Gather Together*)

Verse 1

O give to Jehovah,
you sons of the Mighty,
Both glory and strength
to Jehovah accord!
O give to the LORD
His name's greatness of glory!
In splendor of holiness
worship the LORD!

Verse 2

The voice of Jehovah
resounds on the waters;
The glorious God
thunders forth from the height.
The LORD is upon the
great sweep of the waters
The LORD's voice in splendor!
The LORD's voice in might!

Verse 3

The voice of Jehovah
is breaking the cedars!
Jehovah rips Lebanon's cedars apart!
The slopes of Mount Hermon
like calves they are leaping!
And Lebanon's hills
like young antelope start!

GOD HEARS OUR CONFESSION

Summary of the Law (in unison)

(Matthew 22:35-40) Pew Bible [Blue] p. 828, [Red] p. 1052

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison) *Based on Nehemiah 1:6-7*

O Lord, let your ear be attentive and your eyes open to hear the prayers your servants are praying before you day and night. We confess the sins we your people, including myself and my father's house, have committed against you. We have acted very wickedly toward you. We have not obeyed the commands, decrees and laws you gave your servant Moses. Forgive us for any offense against you and wash us in the blood of Christ by whom and in whom we offer this prayer. (Silent Confession) **Amen!**

Assurance of Pardon

People: **Thanks be to God, for His grace.**
Leader: Peace be with you.
People: **And also with you.**

Passing of the Peace

Gloria Patri— #735

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Anthem

In Jesus' Name—Jay Rouse

GOD BRINGS US HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Scripture

Psalm 2, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 448, [Red] p. 568

New Testament Scripture

Luke 22:24-34, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 882, [Red] p. 1121

Sermon

Pick Me! Pick Me! — Rev. Mark Tippin

OUR RESPONSE TO HIS WORD

*Hymn of Response

#449 — We Rest on Thee

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology — #731

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE

*Closing Hymn

#521— *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

*Benediction

Postlude