

Leading Today's Service

Pastor	Mark Tippin
Accompanist	Veronica Turner
Liturgist	Henry Groenenberg
Head Usher	Nita Christensen
Greeter	Mike Fankhauser
Nursery	Judy Schenk
	Jenny Tippin

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.

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Morning Worship - 9:30am | Evening Worship - 6:00pm | Rev. Mark Tippin

GRACE REFORMED CHURCH

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, March 18, 2018

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

**Please stand if you are able*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE FOR WORSHIP

*Call to Worship From Psalm 84

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts!

People: My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the LORD; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.

Leader: Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.

People: Blessed are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise!

*Opening Hymn

#116— For the Beauty of the Earth

*Invocation

*Singing of Psalm 133 (To the tune of *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*)

Verse 1

Behold how good a thing it is,
And how becoming well,
When those that brethren are delight
In unity to dwell.

Verse 2

For it is like the precious oil
Poured out on Aaron's head,
That, going down upon his beard,
Upon his garments spread.

Verse 3

Like Hermon's dew upon the hills
Of Zion that descends,
The LORD commands His blessing there,
Ev'n life that never ends.

GOD HEARS OUR CONFESSION

Ten Commandments Table II (in unison)

(Exodus 20:12-17) Pew Bible [Blue] p. 61, [Red] p. 78

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison) From Psalm 25

Remember, O Lord, your great mercy and your steadfast love, for they have been from of old. Remember not the sins of our youth and our transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember us, for the sake of your goodness, O LORD. You lead the humble in what is right and teach us the way. All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness for those who keep his covenant and his testimonies. For your name's sake, O Lord of your name, O Lord, pardon our guilt, for it is great.

(Silent Confession) **Amen!**

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Brothers and sisters, hear, believe and receive the good news of the Gospel -- in Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God for his grace!

Passing of the Peace

Leader: Peace be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Gloria Patri— #735

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

GOD BRINGS US HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture

Luke 23:18-25, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 883, [Red] p. 1123

Sermon

The Loudest Voices Prevail — Mark Tippin

OUR RESPONSE TO HIS WORD

*Hymn of Response

#246— *Man of Sorrows! What a Name*

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology — #731

*Confession of Faith - Westminster Confession 7.2

The first covenant made with man was a covenant of works. In it life was promised to Adam and through him to his descendants, on the condition of perfect, personal obedience.

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE

*Closing Hymn

#263— *Lift High the Cross*

*Benediction

Postlude