

***Confession of Faith – Westminster Confession 1.9**

The infallible standard for the interpretation of the Bible is the Bible itself. And so any question about the true and complete sense of a passage in the Bible (which is a unified whole) can be answered by referring to other passages which speak more plainly.

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE

***Closing Hymn**

Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise

#388

***Benediction**

Postlude

Leading Today's Service

Elder	Zach Vreeman
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Greeter	Mike Fankhauser
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First Presbyterian Church is Reformed congregation and a member of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church. For more information about First Presbyterian and the EPC denomination, visit our website and Facebook page.

If you have any questions, prayer requests, or are ready and excited to join our mission to reach all of Casper for Christ, contact the church office or Pastor Mark.

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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 preschool-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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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2017

**Please stand if you are able*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE FOR WORSHIP

*Call to Worship Psalm 5

Leader: Give ear to my words, O LORD; consider my groaning. Give attention to the sound of my cry, my King and my God, for to you do I pray.

People: O LORD, in the morning you hear my voice; in the morning I prepare a sacrifice for you and watch.

Leader: For you are not a God who delights in wickedness; evil may not dwell with you. The boastful shall not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers.

People: But I, through the abundance of your steadfast love, will enter your house. I will bow down toward your holy temple in the fear of you.

***Opening Hymn**

Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord

#16

***Invocation**

***Singing of Psalm 128** (to the tune of *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*)

Verse 1

Blessed the man that fears Jehovah
And that walketh in His ways;
Thou shalt eat of thy hands' labor
And be prospered all thy days.
Like a vine with fruit abounding
In thy house thy wife is found,
And like olive plants thy children,
Compassing thy table round.

Verse 2

Lo, on him that fears Jehovah
Shall this blessedness attend;
For Jehovah out of Zion
Shall to thee His blessing send.
Thou shalt see Jerus'lem prosper
All thy days till life shall cease;
Thou shalt see thy children's children,
Unto Is-ra-el be peace.

GOD HEARS OUR CONFESSION

Ten Commandments Table II (in unison)

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

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison) From Psalm 130

If you decided, O God, both to examine and to punish our iniquities according to their merits, who of us would be so clean and holy that he would stand before your justice? But because we know that you are noteworthy for your supreme kindness, each morning and evening we look up and wait for your help. So despite the fact that our iniquities are very numerous, may you be pleased to redeem us from them all, out of your abundant goodness and mercy through Jesus Christ our Lord. (Silent Confession.) Amen!

From Peter Martyr, *A Book of Reformed Prayers*

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

(inside front hymnal cover)

Anthem

He Is Our King

arr. Lovelace

GOD BRINGS US HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Scripture

Jeremiah 7:3-11, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 635, [Red] p. 806

New Testament Scripture

Luke 19:41-48, Pew Bible [Blue] p. 879, [Red] p. 1118

Sermon

A House of Prayer

Zach Vreeman

OUR RESPONSE TO HIS WORD

***Hymn of Response**

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

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Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

***Doxology**

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