

# GRACE



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The Lord's Day Worship  
May 26, 2013

Pianist  
Announcements and Welcome

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## Called by God

Silent Preparation for Worship

### \* Call to Worship

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
(Matthew 28:19)

**Amen.**

Grace, mercy, and peace to you from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. (1 Timothy 1:2)

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you. Amen!** (cf. Ruth 2:4)

I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever. (Psalm 145:1)

**Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever.**  
(Psalm 145:2)

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable. (Psalm 145:3)

**Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.** (Psalm 145:13a)

Lift up your hearts!

**We lift them up to the LORD! Amen!**

\* # 2 "O Worship the King"

\* Invocation and The Lord's Prayer

\* # 734 "Gloria Patri"

## Cleansed by God

God's Law-Word for His People:

"You shall have no other gods before me." (Exodus 20:3)

**"To the King of ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen."** (1 Timothy 1:17)

“You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.”

(Exodus 20:4-6)

**“The God who made the world and everything in it, being Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in temples made by man, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mankind life and breath and everything.”**

(Acts 17:24-25)

“You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.”

(Exodus 20:7)

**“Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.”** (Matthew 7:21)

“Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.” (Exodus 20:8-11)

**“On the first day of the week, when we were gathered together to break bread, Paul talked with them, intending to depart on the next day, and he prolonged his speech until midnight.”** (Acts 20:7)

“Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.” (Exodus 20:12)

**“Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.”** (Colossians 3:20)

“You shall not murder.” (Exodus 20:13)

**“Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him.”** (I John 3:15)

“You shall not commit adultery.” (Exodus 20:14)

**“For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you abstain from sexual immorality; that each one of you know how to control his own body in holiness and honor.”** (I Thessalonians 4:3-4)

“You shall not steal.” (Exodus 20:15)

**“Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need.”** (Ephesians 4:28)

“You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.” (Exodus 20:16)

**“Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another.”** (Ephesians 4:25)

“You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor’s.” (Exodus 20:17)

**“Now there is great gain in godliness with contentment, for we brought nothing into the world, and we cannot take anything out of the world. But if we have food and clothing, with these we will be content.”** (I Timothy 6:6-8)

Consider the words of the prophet as we approach the Lord with silent prayers of confession and repentance. “Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for we will abundantly pardon.

*Silent prayers of confession and repentance*

Assurance of Forgiveness for God’s People –Ephesians 2:4-9

Receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ you are forgiven!

**Thanks be to God. Amen!**

Ephesians 2:10

\* # 688 “Have Thine Own Way, Lord!”

**Consecrated by God**

The Old Testament Lesson: Psalm 123

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

The Epistle Lesson: James 4:6-10 and 13-17

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

\* The Gospel Lesson: Matthew 11:25-30

This is the gospel of the Lord.

**Praise be to you, O Christ!**

Exhortation Text: Psalm 131

*Elder David Thibault*

Exhortation Title: "Providence, Pride, Presumption, and Peace"

Prayer of Application

\* # 128 "God Moves in a Mysterious Way"

## **Communion with God**

The Prayers of God's People

\* # 422 "'Twas on That Night When Doomed to Know"

Confessing the Faith Together

The Nicene Creed – Back of the hymnal page 846



Come  
to the  
LORD's  
Table

### **Invitation to the Lord's Supper**

You are cordially invited to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a believer in Christ, have been baptized, are a communicant member in a Bible-believing church, and regularly attend church worship. We use wine in our celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

*Reverend Peter Sim*

Distribution of Bread # 693 "Blessed Assurance"

Distribution of Wine # 308 "Jesus Paid It All"

## **Commissioned by God**

\* # 681 "How Gentle God's Commands"

\* Benediction

### **Our Tithes and Offerings to God**

An integral part of our worship is to bring God a token of our increase. Your tithes and offerings may be placed in the small box at the back of the room. As we will give thanks to God for his gifts *during* the service, we encourage you to make your offering *before* the service.





James and Anthony Szeneri (May 31), Matthew Wood (June 5), Bob Bullard (June 9), and Vicki Tuggy (June 16)



David and Amy Thibault (June 29)

<i>Refreshments</i>	Today	Ann-Marie Hines
	June 2	Amy Thibault
	June 9	Icela Szeneri
	June 16	Betty Garcia
	<i>Lord's Supper Preparation</i>	<i>Usher</i>
May	Judith Andruss	Kenton McClelland
June	Amy Thibault	Mark Lucero



**Today**

- 11:00 am Fellowship break
- 11:30 am Special Talk from the Session
- 6:00 pm Faith Family at the Andruss' Home

**This Week**

- Thursday 7:30 pm Prayer Meeting at the Szeneris' Home

**Next Sunday** (June 2)

- 9:30 am Rev. Dan Overduin will fill the pulpit and lead adult CE
- 12:30 pm Fellowship Meal and Prayer
- ~2:30 pm Youth Group at the Thibaults' Home

**Upcoming**

- June 6 Prayer Meeting at the Thibaults' Home
- June 15 Ladies' Tea: Speaker Linda Larson
- June 17-21 Family Camp
- August 7 Angels Baseball Game