

Record of Orders of Service for the Month of
July 2019

(recorded progressively after each Sunday)

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The Larger Catechism

THE BIBLE AS A MEANS OF GRACE

Question 157: How is the word of God to be read?

Answer: The Holy Scriptures are to be read with the highest respect for them; with a firm persuasion that they are the very word of God, and that only God can enable us to understand them; with desire to know, believe and obey the will of God revealed in them; with diligence and attention to the content and scope of them; with meditation, application, self-denial and prayer.

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THE LAST JUDGEMENT

A Day of Judgement WCF 33:1

God has appointed a day on which He will judge the world in justice by Jesus Christ, to whom the Father has given all power and judgement. On that day not only rebellious angels, but as well all those who have lived on the earth, will appear before Christ's tribunal. They will give an account of their thoughts, words, and actions, and receive according to what they have done in their bodies, whether good or evil.

[Acts 17:31, John 5:22, 27, 1 Cor 6:3, Jude 6, 2 Pet 2:4, 2 Cor 5:10, Eccles 12:14, Rom 2:16; 14:10, 12, Matt 12:37-37]

Order of Worship
for
BUNBURY REGION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday 7th July AD 2019.



Welcome & Notices:

A moment of reflection before the start of the Service:

We have come into His house

We have come into His house,
and gathered in His Name to worship Him. (repeat)
We have come into His house,
and gathered in His Name to worship Christ the Lord,
worship Him Christ the Lord.

So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Him. (repeat)
So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Christ the Lord,
worship Him Christ the Lord.

The Service of Worship to God

Approaching God

a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (Psalm 142:5-7)

⁵ I cry to you, O LORD;

**I say, "You are my refuge,
my portion in the land of the living."**

⁶ Listen to my cry,

**for I am in desperate need;
rescue me from those who pursue me,
for they are too strong for me.**

⁷ Set me free from my prison,

**that I may praise your name.
Then the righteous will gather about me
because of your goodness to me.**

The Lord's Greeting:

The Lord be with you; **and also with you.**

b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise

**To God Be the Glory!
REJOICE! 63 (Psalm 29:2)**

c) Confession and Assurance:

Call to confession:

Prayer of Confession:

Assurance of Pardon: ... In Jesus Christ we are forgiven..

Thanks be to God.

Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for illumination:

OT Reading: **Psalm 142** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 1:3-14** (ESV)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**
Sermon: **Spiritual Blessing Pt - 2**

Hymn:

**Behold the Amazing Gift of Love
REJOICE! 426 (1 John 3:1,2)**

Responding to the Word from God

a) Prayers of the People:

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession:

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to God.

It is right to give God our thanks and praise.

b) The Offering:

Invitation:

(The collection of the monetary symbols of our offering is taken up)

REJOICE! 36 (John 8:12)

Prayer: *(All stand)*

c) Closing of Worship:

Hymn:

**Freedom and Life Are Ours
REJOICE! 427 (Galatians 5:1)**

Sending:

Blessing:

Now unto Him who is able to keep,
able to keep you from falling,
and present you faultless
before the presence of His glory
with exceeding joy,
to the only wise God our Saviour
be glory and majesty,
dominion and power
both now and forever. Amen.

Musical Reflection:

Yesterday; Today; Forever

Oh, how sweet the glorious message simple faith may claim:
Yesterday, today, forever, Jesus is the same;
Still He loves to save the sinful, heal the sick and lame,
Cheer the mourner, still the tempest—glory to His name!

*Yesterday, today, forever, Jesus is the same,
All may change, but Jesus never—glory to His name!
Glory to His name! Glory to His name!
All may change, but Jesus never—glory to His name!*

The Larger Catechism

THE BIBLE AS A MEANS OF GRACE

Question 158: By whom is the Word Of God to be preached?

Answer: *The Word of God is to be preached only by those who are sufficiently gifted, and also duly approved and called to that office.*

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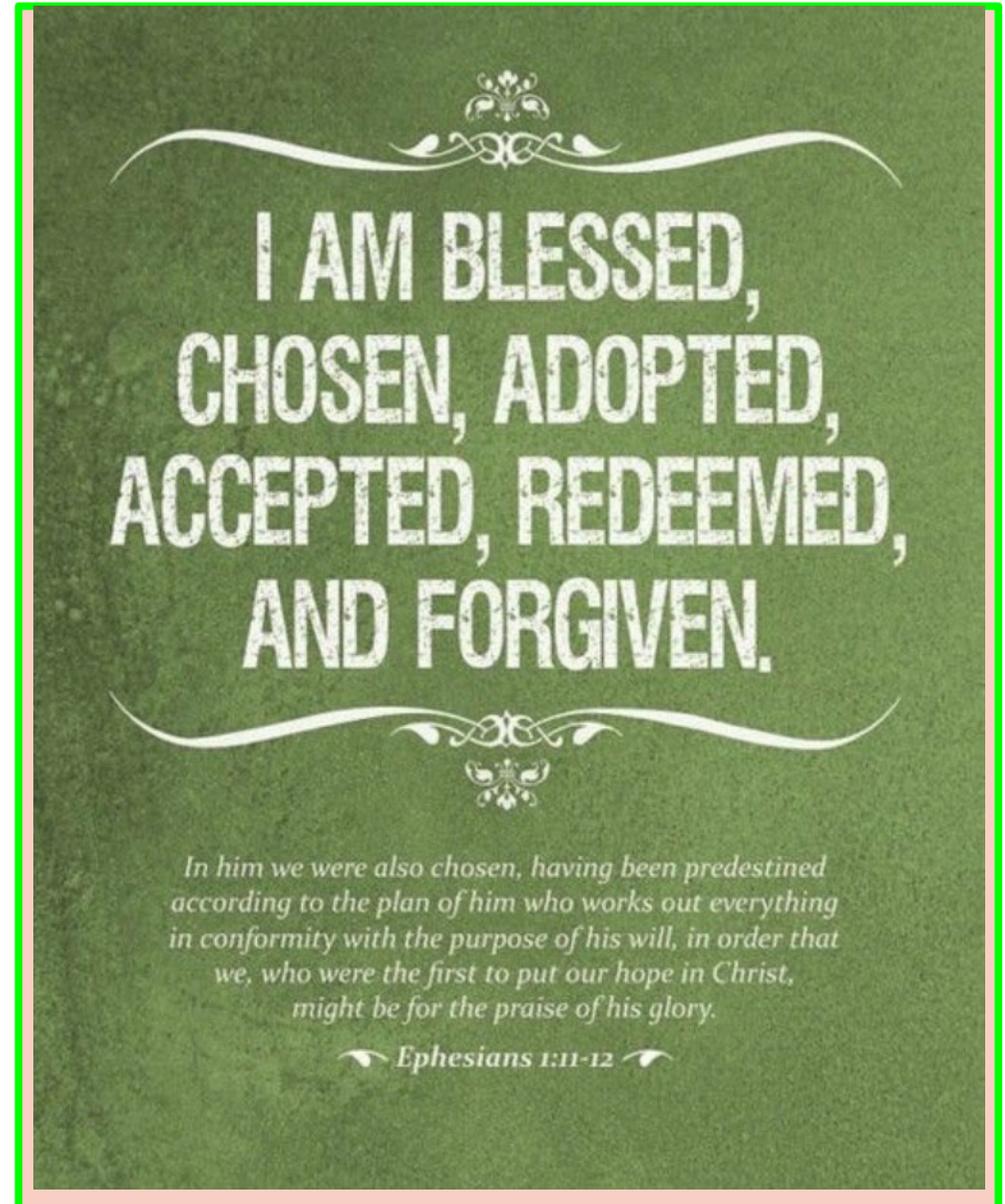
The Results of That Day WCF 33:2

The reason for God appointing this day is that the glory of His mercy might be displayed in the eternal salvation of the chosen, and His justice in the destruction of those not chosen, who are wicked and disobedient. For at that time the just will go into everlasting life, and receive that complete joy and refreshing that will come from the Lord's presence. But the wicked, who do not know God and do not obey the gospel of Jesus Christ, will be thrown into eternal pains, and be punished with everlasting destruction from the Lord's presence, and from the glory of His power.

[Matt 25:31-46, Rom 2:5-6;9:22-23, Matt 25:21, Acts 3:19, 2 Thes 1:7-10]

Order of Worship for BUNBURY REGION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday 14th July AD 2019.



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worship Him Christ the Lord.

So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Him. (repeat)
So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Christ the Lord,
worship Him Christ the Lord.

The Service of Worship to God

Approaching God

a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (based on Ps 27; Jn 4:23)

Let us worship God, our light and our salvation.

The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.

We desire to live in God's house

and to seek God in his holy temple.

We have come with shouts of joy,

to sing and make music to the Lord.

Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

Teach us your ways and make straight our paths

in this hour of worship and always.

The Lord's Greeting:

The Lord be with you; **and also with you.**

b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise **I've Found a Friend, O Such a Friend**

REJOICE! 416 (John 15:13)

c) Confession and Assurance:

Call to confession:

Prayer of Confession:

Assurance of Pardon: ... In Jesus Christ we are forgiven..

Thanks be to God.

Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for illumination:

NT Reading: **John 4:19-26** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 1:1-14** (ESV)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon: **Spiritual Blessing & Teaching on Election**

Hymn:

My Jesus, I Love You **REJOICE! 525 (1 John 4:19)**

Responding to the Word from God

a) Prayers of the People:

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession:

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to God.

It is right to give God our thanks and praise.

b) The Offering:

Invitation:

(The collection of the monetary symbols of our offering is taken up)

REJOICE! 36 (John 8:12)

Prayer: *(All stand)*

c) Closing of Worship:

Hymn: **Our Blessed Redeemer, as He Breathed**

REJOICE! 278 (John 20:22)

Sending:

Blessing:

Now unto Him who is able to keep,
able to keep you from falling,
and present you faultless
before the presence of His glory
with exceeding joy,
to the only wise God our Saviour
be glory and majesty,
dominion and power
both now and forever. Amen.

Musical Reflection:

Father, Long Before Creation

Father, long before creation

you had chosen us in love,

and that love, so deep, so moving,

draws us close to Christ above,

and will keep us, and will keep us,

Firmly fixed in Christ alone.

The Larger Catechism

THE BIBLE AS A MEANS OF GRACE

Question 159: How is the word of God to be preached by those who are called?

Answer: Those who are called to labour in the ministry of the word are to preach sound doctrine, diligently, in season and out of season; plainly, not with persuasive words of human wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit's power; faithfully, making known the whole will of God; wisely, applying themselves to the needs and capabilities of the hearers; zealously, with fervent love to God and the souls of His people; sincerely, aiming at God's glory, and the conversion, building up and final salvation of God's people.

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Order of Worship
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Sunday 21st July AD 2019.



THE BOOK OF

EPHESIANS

"GOD'S ABSOLUTE SOVEREIGNTY
IN SALVATION," 1:11-14

The Larger Catechism

THE BIBLE AS A MEANS OF GRACE

Question 160: What is required of those who hear the word preached?

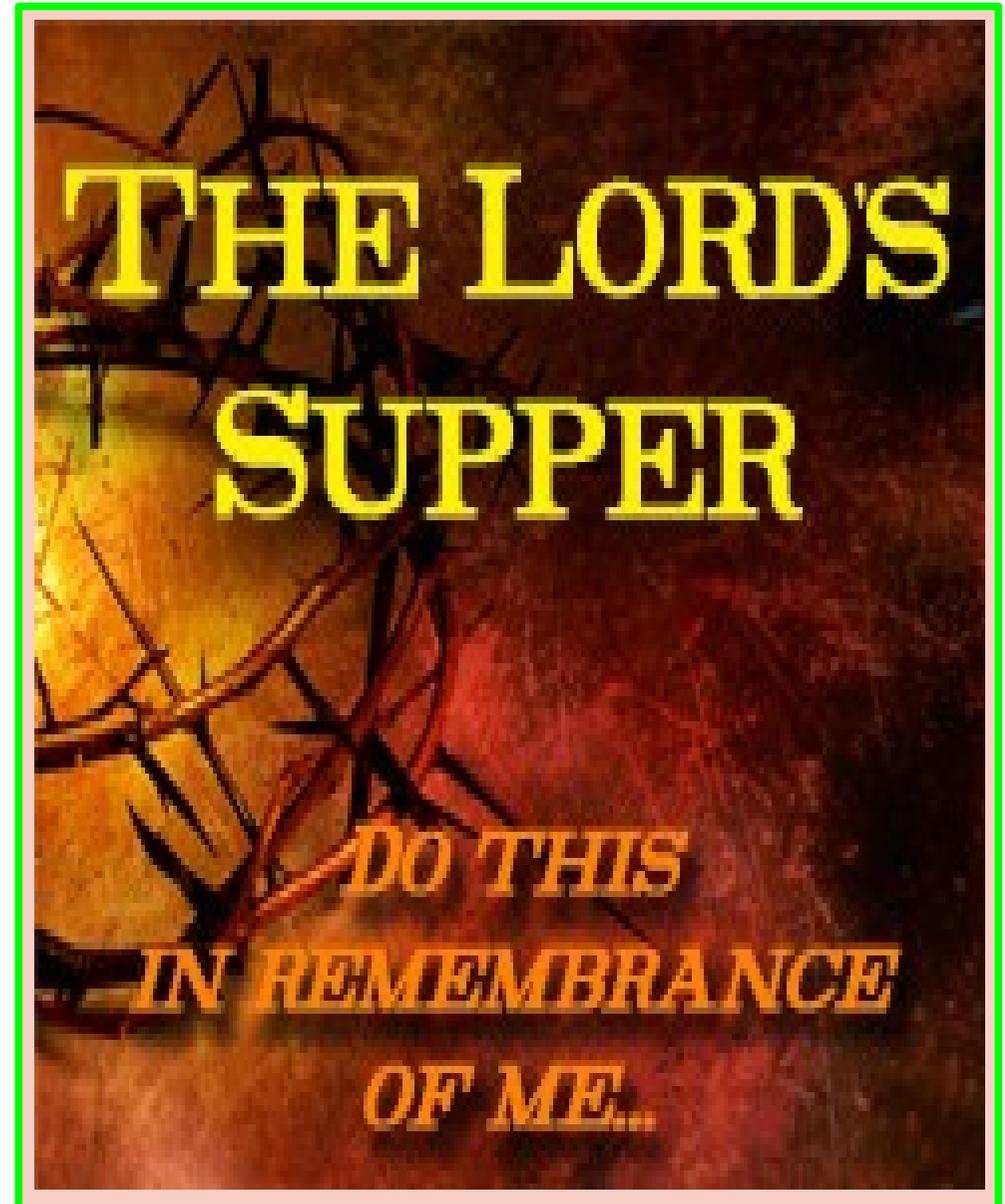
Answer: It is required of those who hear the word preached that they attend on it with diligence, preparation and prayer; examine by the Scriptures what they hear; received the truth with faith, love and meekness and readiness of mind as the word of God; meditate on and discuss it; hide it in their hearts, and bring forth its fruit in their lives.

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Order of Worship
for
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Sunday 28th July AD 2019.



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We have come into His house,
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and worship Him Christ the Lord.

So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Him. (repeat)
So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Christ the Lord,
worship Him Christ the Lord.

The Service of Worship to God

Approaching God

a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (Psalm 100)

A Psalm for giving thanks.

¹ Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

² **Serve the LORD with gladness!**

Come into his presence with singing!

³ **Know that the LORD, he is God!**

It is he who made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving,

and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

⁵ **For the LORD is good;**

his steadfast love endures for ever,

and his faithfulness to all generations.

The Lord's Greeting:

The Lord be with you; **and also with you.**

b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

REJOICE! 53 (Psalm 100)

c) Confession and Assurance:

Call to confession:

Prayer of Confession:

Assurance of Pardon: ... In Jesus Christ we are forgiven..

Thanks be to God.

Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for illumination:

OT Reading: **1 Samuel 12:19-25** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 1:15-23** (ESV)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon: **What to Pray for Young Converts**

Hymn:

Join All the Glorious Names

REJOICE! 121 Verses 1-3 (Ephesians 1:21)

Responding to the Word from God

The Creed: **The Apostles' Creed:** (see inside back cover of REJOICE!)

a) Prayers of the People:

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession:

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to God.

It is right to give God our thanks and praise.

b) The Offering:

Invitation:

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REJOICE! 36 (John 8:12)

Prayer: (all Stand)

c) Service of the Lord's Supper

Hymn:

Come Risen Lord

REJOICE! 355 – verses 1-2 (John 20:19)

The Institution:

The Lord's Prayer: (see inside back cover of REJOICE!)

The Distribution:

Prayer:

d) Closing of Worship:

Hymn:

Come Risen Lord

REJOICE! 355 – verses 3-4 (John 20:19)

Sending:

Blessing:

Musical Reflection:

Father, Long Before

Creation

Now unto Him who is able to keep,
able to keep you from falling,
and present you faultless
before the presence of His glory
with exceeding joy,
to the only wise God our Saviour
be glory and majesty,
dominion and power
both now and forever. Amen.

