

Record of Orders of Service for the Month of  
**September 2019**

(recorded progressively after each Sunday)

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# The Larger Catechism

## THE SACRAMENTS AS A MEANS OF GRACE

**Question 164: How many sacraments has Christ instituted in His church under the New Testament?**

**Answer: Under the New Testament Christ has instituted in His church, only two sacraments, Baptism and the Lord's Supper.**

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### GOD'S ETERNAL DECISION:

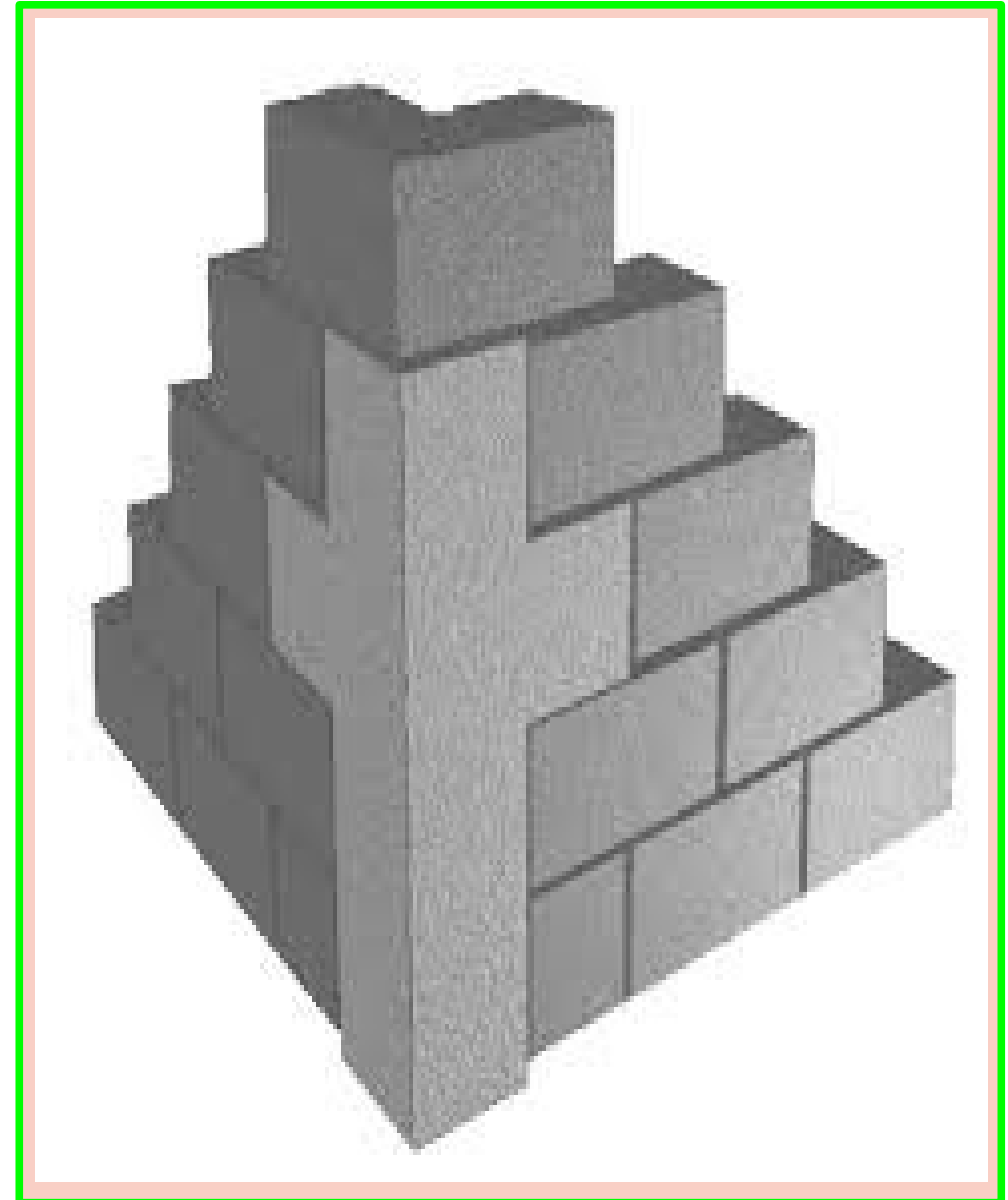
**Altogether Gracious** WCF 3:5

Those of humankind who are appointed beforehand to life, God has chosen in Christ for everlasting glory, before the founding of the world, in keeping with His eternal and everlasting plan, and the secret counsel and good pleasure of His will. This is from His sheer free grace and love, apart from any foresight of faith or good works, or persistence in either of them, or any other creaturely factor, as conditions or causes, influencing Him to it. Everything was for the praise of His glorious grace.

[Eph 1:4, 9, 11, Rom 8:30, 2 Tim 1:9, 1 Thes 5:9, Rom 9:11, 13, 16, Eph 1:6,12]

Order of Worship  
for  
**BUNBURY REGION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September AD 2019.



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## The Service of Worship to God

### Approaching God

#### a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (Psalm 116:12-14)

<sup>12</sup> How can I repay the LORD  
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**in the presence of all His people.**

The Lord's Greeting:

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

#### b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise **O Lord of Heaven and Earth and Sea**  
**REJOICE! 520 v 1-4 (Psalm 116:12)**

#### 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: **Isaiah 57:14-21** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 2:11-22** (ESV)

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

Sermon: **Once We Were Separated. Now United Pt 2**

## REJOICE! 293 (1 Peter 2:6)

### 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: **The Church's One Foundation**  
**REJOICE! 294 (Ephesians 2:20)**

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:

#### I Once Was a Stranger

When free grace awoke me, by light from on high,  
Then legal fears shook me,  
I trembled to die;  
No refuge, no safety  
in self could I see—  
Jehovah Tsidkenu  
my Saviour must be.

Hymn: **Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation**



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## GOD'S ETERNAL DECISION:

### Particular Redemption WCF 3:6

Just as God has appointed the chosen for glory, so He has appointed beforehand all the means to it, out of the eternal and most free design of His will. So those who are redeemed by Christ, having been fallen in Adam, are effectively called to faith in Christ through His Spirit working in due time; they are put in the right, adopted, set apart, and kept by His power through faith for salvation. Only the chosen are redeemed by Christ, effectively called, put in the right, adopted, set apart and saved, and no one else.

[1 Pet 1:2, Eph 1:4-5; 2:10, 2 Thes 2:13, 1 Thes 5:9-10, Tit 2:14, Rom 8:30, Eph 1:5, 2 Thes 2:13, 1 Pet 1:5, John 17:9, Rom 8:28-39, John 6:64-65; 10:26; 8:47, 1 John 2:19]



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worship Him Christ the Lord.

## The Service of Worship to God

### Approaching God

#### a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (Malachi 4:2)

<sup>2</sup> *But for you who fear my name,  
**the sun of righteousness shall rise with  
healing in its wings.***

*You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall.*

The Lord's Greeting:

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

#### b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise **Sometimes a Light Surprises  
REJOICE! 504 (Malachi 4:2)**

#### 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: **Malachi 4:1-5** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 3:1-13** (ESV)

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

Sermon: **Paul Talks About Himself/A Mystery Explained**

Hymn: **God, We Praise You! God, We Bless You  
REJOICE! 96 (Isaiah 63:7)**

### 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: **Whatever God Ordains Is Right  
REJOICE! 98 (Genesis 18:25)**

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:

#### I Once Was a Stranger

My terrors all vanished  
before the sweet name;  
My guilty fears banished,  
with boldness I came  
To drink at the fountain,  
life giving and free—  
Jehovah Tsidkenu  
is all things to me.



**Order of Worship  
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Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September AD 2019.

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**GOD'S ETERNAL DECISION:**

**Passing By WCF 3:7**

In Keeping with the unsearchable counsel of His own will, in which He holds out or withholds mercy as He chooses, for the glory of His sovereign power over His creatures, God was pleased to pass by the rest of humankind, and to assign them to dishonour and displeasure because of their sin, for the praise of His glorious justice.

[Matt 11:25-26, Rom 9:17-18, 21-22, 2 Tim 2:19-20, Jude 4, 1 Pet 2:8]

**Mystery WCF 3:8**

The teaching of this high mystery of appointing beforehand should be treated with special caution and care, so that by paying attention to the will of God revealed in His Word, and rendering obedience to it, people may be assured of having been chosen eternally, from the certainty of their effective call. In this way, this teaching will yield cause for praise, respect and wonder of God, and humility, effort, and rich comfort for all who honestly obey the Gospel.

[Matt 11:25-26, Rom 9:17-18, 21-22, 2 Tim 2:19-20, Jude 4, 1 Pet 2:8]

**IT IS NO SECRET  
WHAT GOD CAN DO**

The chimes of time ring out the news another day is through  
Someone slipped and fell was that someone you  
You may have longed for added strength your courage to renew  
Do not be disheartened for I bring hope for you

**It is no secret what God can do  
What He's done for others He'll do for you  
With arms wide open He'll pardon you  
It is no secret what God can do**

There is no night for in His light you'll never walk alone  
Always feel at home wherever you may roam  
There is no power can conquer you while God is on your side  
Just take Him at His promise don't run away and hide

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worship Him Christ the Lord.

## The Service of Worship to God

### Approaching God

#### a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (Psalm 107:1-3)

<sup>1</sup> Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;

**his love endures forever.**

<sup>2</sup> Let the redeemed of the LORD say this—

**those he redeemed from the hand of the foe,**

<sup>3</sup> those he gathered from the lands,

**from east and west, from north and south.**

The Lord's Greeting:

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

#### b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise      **For Your Gift of God the Spirit**  
**REJOICE! 273 (V 1-4) (Ephesians 3:16)**

#### 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 107:1-16** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 3:14-21** (ESV)

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Sermon: **Paul's Prayer for the Church**

Hymn:      **Spirit of Holiness, Wisdom and Faithfulness**

## REJOICE! 264 (Ephesians 3:19)

### Responding to the Word from God

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REJOICE! 36 (John 8:12)

Prayer:                                      *(All stand)*

#### c) Closing of Worship:

Hymn: **It Passes Knowledge, That Dear Love Divine**  
**REJOICE! 527 (Ephesians 3:19)**

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:

***It Is No Secret***

# The Larger Catechism

BAPTISM (WCF 28)

Question 165: What is Baptism?

*Answer: Baptism is a sacrament of the New Testament in which Christ has appointed the washing with water in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, to be a sign and seal of being grafted into Himself, of remission of sins by His blood, and regeneration by His Spirit; of adoption, and resurrection to everlasting life. By it the parties baptised are solemnly admitted into the visible church, and enter into an open and professed pledge to belong only and completely to the Lord.*

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Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September AD 2019.



## Attitudes That Maintain Unity (Eph 4:1-3)

- ▶ With all lowliness (**vs2**)
  - ▶ Humble in attitude, behavior, or spirit, meek
  - ▶ Putting Christ first, others second, and ourselves last
- ▶ Couple verses to consider
  - ▶ **Rom 12:3** “*For I say, through the grace given to me, to everyone who is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, as God has dealt to each one a measure of faith.*”
  - ▶ **1 Pet 5:6** “*Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time,*”



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## The Service of Worship to God

### Approaching God

#### a) Opening of Worship:

Call to Worship: (Psalm 116:17-19)

<sup>17</sup> I will sacrifice a thank offering to you;  
**and call on the Name of the LORD.**

<sup>18</sup> I will fulfil my vows to the Lord  
**in the presence of all His people,**

<sup>19</sup> in the courts of the house of the LORD –  
**in your midst, O Jerusalem.**

The Lord's Greeting:

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

#### b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise **For Your Gift of God the Spirit**  
**REJOICE! 273 (V 1,5-7) (Ephesians 3:16)**

#### c) Confession and Assurance:

Call to confession:

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

**Thanks be to God.**

### Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for illumination:

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NT Reading: **Ephesians 4:1-16** (ESV)

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Sermon: **Unity in the Body of Christ**

Hymn:

## Saviour, While My Heart is Tender **REJOICE! 569 (Ephesians 3:17)**

### Responding to the Word from God

#### a) Prayers of the People:

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession:

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#### b) The Offering:

Invitation:

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REJOICE! 36 (John 8:12)

Prayer: *(All stand)*

#### c) Closing of Worship:

Hymn: **What Shall I Do My God to Love?**  
**REJOICE! 385 (Ephesians 3:19)**

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,  
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### Musical Reflection:

#### ***It Is No Secret***

The chimes of time ring out the  
news another day is through  
Someone slipped and fell  
was that someone you  
You may have longed for added  
strength your courage to renew  
Do not be disheartened  
for I bring hope for you

It is no secret what God can do  
What He's done for others  
He'll do for you  
With arms wide open  
He'll pardon you  
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# The Larger Catechism

THE LORD'S SUPPER (WCF 29)

**Question 168: What is the Lord's Supper?**

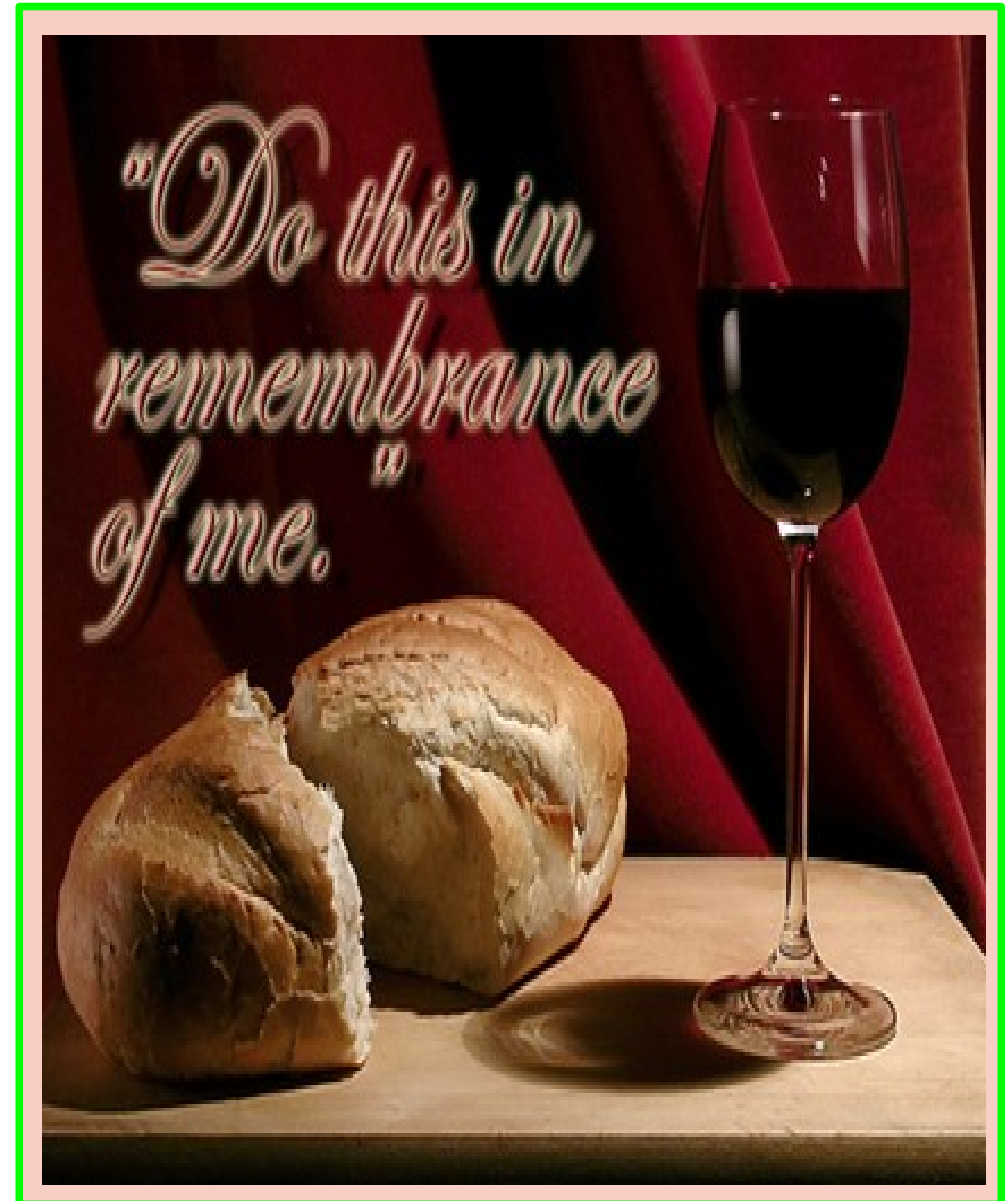
*Answer: The Lord's Supper is a sacrament of the New Testament in which, by giving and receiving bread and wine according to the appointment of Jesus Christ, His death is proclaimed, and those who receive rightly feed on His body and blood to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace; have their union and communion with Him confirmed; and testify to and renew their thankfulness and pledge to God, and their mutual love and fellowship with each other, as members of the same mystical body.*

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#### b) Prayers of Adoration :

A Hymn of praise **Your Hand, O God Has Guided**  
**REJOICE! 292 (Ephesians 4:4,5)**

#### 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 68:15-20** (ESV)

NT Reading: **Ephesians 4:1-16** (ESV)

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

Sermon: **Unity in the Body of Christ**

### Hymn:

## Make Me a Captive Lord REJOICE! 564 (Ephesians 4:1)

### Responding to the Word from God

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

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#### b) The Offering:

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REJOICE! 36 (John 8:12)

Prayer: *(All stand)*

#### c) Service of the Lord's Supper:

Hymn: **He Gave His Life in Selfless Love**  
**REJOICE! 119 v 1 & 2 (Mark 10:45)**

The Institution:

... Christ has taught us, we humbly pray:

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

The Distribution:

Prayer:

#### d) Closing of Worship:

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Blessing:

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and present you faultless  
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### Musical Reflection:

**It Is No Secret**