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General Calendar

Wednesday, 6:30 a.m. Men's prayer meeting.

Pastor Paul's office at 255 Old Stage Rd.

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study. A

schedule is on the information table.

Evening worship/fellowship every 2nd Sunday of the
month.

Evening worship every 4th Sunday of the month.

Grace Heritage Church

Gathering every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

January 22, 2006

Psalm 13

*Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens! Praise
him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness!*

*Praise him with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp! Praise him with
tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe! Praise him with sounding
cymbals! Let everything that has breath praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!*

We begin worship with God's Word, His invitation to us to gather in His name.

Is this your first time with Grace Heritage Church? Please see the back page to tell us about yourself and request information. Just tear along the dotted line and place in the offering plate as it is passed or as you leave.

Nursery

*Child care during worship is provided by Bonnie Gue.
Child care during Bible Study is provided by Brooke and Michael Gibson.*

The Lord Calls us into His Presence

Psalm 150

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near;
Praise Him in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth;
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!
Have you not seen how your desires e'er have been
Granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord who does prosper your work and defend you.
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend you.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
If with His love He befriends you.

Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom has made you,
Decked you with health, and with loving hand guided and stayed you.
How oft in grief has not He brought you relief,
Spreading His wings to o'er shade you.

Praise to the Lord, O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him.
Let the Amen sound from His people again,
Gladly for, aye, we adore Him.

I Will Live my Life for You

You are holy, (echo)
You are Mighty (echo)
You are worthy, (echo)
Worthy of praise (echo)
I will follow (echo)
I will listen (echo)
I will love You (echo)
All of my days (echo).

I will sing to and worship

The King Who is worthy,

I will love and adore You.

I will bow down before You,

(Repeat)

You're my Prince of Peace,

And I will live my life for You.

*You are Lord of Lords, You are King of Kings,
You are mighty God, Lord of everything.
You're Emmanuel, You're the Great I Am,
You're my Prince of Peace, Who is the Lamb.*

*You're the Living God, You're my saving grace,
You will reign forever, You are Ancient of Days,
You are Alpha, Omega, Beginning and End,
You're my Savior, Messiah, Redeemer, and Friend,
You're my Prince of Peace,
And I will live my life for You.*

Men sing bold-faced section as

Women sing italicized section

Prayer of Praise

Worship is its own great reward—being in the presence of the Living God, beholding His greatness, and enjoying His mercies toward us. Therefore, we aim not to distract from this by offering entertainment. Instead, we will focus on truth that helps us see God as He presents Himself to us in the Scriptures.

The Lord Cleanses Us From Our Sins

Responsive Reading of Scripture

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple.

Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings; with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.

And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!”

And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke.

And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!”

(Isaiah 6:1-5 ESV)

Out of the Deep

Out of the deep I call to Thee, O Lord, to Thee.
Before Thy throne of grace I fall;
Be merciful to me. Be merciful to me.

Out of the deep I cry, the woeful deep of sin,
Of evil done in days gone by,
Of evil now within. Of evil now within.

Out of the deep of fear and dread of coming shame;
All night till morning watch is near
I plead the precious name. I plead the precious name.

Lord, there is mercy now, as ever was, with Thee.
Before Thy throne of grace I bow;
Be merciful to me. Be merciful to me.

Responsive Reading of Scripture (continued)

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar.

And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.”

Because the distance between God and His creatures is so great, the only acceptable way of approaching God in worship must be revealed to us by God Himself, and He has graciously done this in the Scriptures. Therefore, He may not be worshiped in ways invented by us. This principle protects us from idolatrous worship and focuses our energies on those activities through which God has called us to draw near.

Praise Him! Praise Him!

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
Sing, O earth, His wonderful love proclaim!
Hail Him! Hail Him! Highest archangels in glory;
Strength and honor give to His holy name!
Like a Shepherd, Jesus will guard His children,
In His arms He carries them all day long.

*Praise Him! Praise Him! Tell of His excellent greatness;
Praise Him! Praise Him! Ever in joyful song!*

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
For our sins He suffered and bled and died;
He our Rock, our Hope of eternal salvation,
Hail Him! Hail Him! Jesus the crucified.
Sound His praises! Jesus who bore our sorrows,
Love unbounded, wonderful, deep and strong.
Chorus

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!
Heav'nly portals loud with hosannas ring!
Jesus, Savior, reigneth forever and ever;
Crown Him! Crown Him! Prophet and Priest and King!
Christ is coming! Over the world victorious,
Pow'r and glory unto the Lord belong.
Chorus

The Lord Consecrates us By His Word

Scripture Reading ~ Mark 8:1-10

Prayer of Intercession and Thanksgiving

Proclamation of the Word

Learning to Love in Liberty

1 Corinthians 8

Reflection and Response

Worship Through Giving to God

We do not have worship plus preaching. Preaching is the center of biblical worship. In preaching, we encounter the living God of truth and have our hearts laid bare before Him.

As the offering plate is being passed, we respond to God's Word with an opportunity to give to the Lord. This is a good time to thank Him for His material and spiritual provision.

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Crown Him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon His throne;
Hark! How the heav'nly anthem drowns
All music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of Him who died for thee,
And hail Him as thy matchless King
Through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of life,
Who triumphed o'er the grave;
And rose victorious in the strife
For those He came to save.
His glories now we sing
Who died and rose on high;
Who died eternal life to bring
And lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of peace,
Whose power a scepter sways
From pole to pole that wars may cease
And all be prayer and praise.
His reign shall know no end,
And round His pierced feet,
Fair flowers of paradise extend
Their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown Him the Lord of love,
Behold His hands and side,
Those wounds yet visible above
In beauty glorified.
All hail, Redeemer hail
For Thou hast died for me,
Thy praise and glory shall not fail
Throughout eternity.

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Benediction

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.
Jude 24, 25

Sermon Notes

Just as He has the first Word, God has the final Word in our worship. This Scripture is a benediction—a “good word”—from God for us, His people, as we go from this place.

We encourage you to take your bulletin home and use it as an aid to personal worship and worship with your family or Christian friends during the week.

Sunday morning Bible study is at 11:15. Please stay and join us! This is a primary means of equipping God's people and maturing us as a body at Grace Heritage Church.

We currently have three classes:

Junior High through Adult:
When People Are Big and God Is Small
Teacher: Paul Stith
Main meeting room

Elementary Children:
Teacher: Kathy Stith
Room 2

Preschool Children:
Teacher: Brenda & Tom Shumpert
Room 3

Children are always welcome to remain with parents in the adult study.

We encourage you to make Scripture memory a regular part of your life. Consider using these verses as a starting point.

Verse of the Month

For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Galations 5:1, 13-14

Family Prayer Concerns

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