

HARMONY

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2300 BLOOMINGDALE ROAD, KINGSPORT TN 37660

LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 18, 2010

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 he will abundantly pardon. – Isaiah 55:7

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT PRAYER IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN OF PRAISE “Our Great Savior” No. 63

*INVOCATION

*HYMN “Jesus Calls Us; O'er the Tumult” No. 533

*CONFESSION OF FAITH Westminster Confession of Faith
Chapter 18 – *Of Assurance of Grace and Salvation*

True believers may have the assurance of their salvation divers ways shaken, diminished, and intermitted; as, by negligence in preserving of it; by falling into some special sin, which woundeth the conscience and grieveth the Spirit; by some sudden or vehement temptation; by God's withdrawing the light of His countenance, and suffering even such as fear Him to walk in darkness, and to have no light: yet are they never utterly destitute of that seed of God, and life of faith, that love of Christ and the brethren, that sincerity of heart and conscience of duty, out of which, by the operation of the Spirit, this assurance may, in due time, be revived; and be the which, in the mean time, they are supported from utter despair.

PASTORAL PRAYER

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*THE DOXOLOGY

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

*PSALM OF PREPARATION Psalm 46 (2nd Version) Trinity Psalter, p. 38

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Samuel 1

SERMON

“It Was the Worst of Times...”

Rev. Mark Blalack

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

TUNE: REDHEAD 76

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Jesus, Master, whose I am, Purchased thine alone to be
By thy blood, O spotless Lamb, Shed so willingly for me,
Let my heart be all thine own, Let me live to thee alone.

Jesus, Master, I am thine: Keep me faithful, keep me near;
Let thy presence in me shine All my homeward way to cheer.
Jesus, at thy feet I fall, O be thou my all in all.

Jesus, Master, whom I serve, Though so feebly and so ill,
Strengthen hand and heart and nerve All thy bidding to fulfil.
Open thou mine eyes to see All the work thou hast for me.

Lord, thou needest not, I know, Service such as I can bring;
Yet I long to prove and show Full allegiance to my King.
Thou an honor art to me: Let me be a praise to thee.

*BENEDICTION

**Congregation stands as able.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all of our visitors and guests. We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us this Lord's Day.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER & BIBLE STUDY will resume this week with a Mission report from Robert King, who serves in Papua New Guinea with MTW and Wycliffe Bible Translators. We hope you will join us.

FOOD CLOSET SUNDAY – Please bring non-perishable items next Sunday to assist with this important ministry to our community.

Sermon Notes & Quotes
1 Samuel 1

It was the worst of times...

- A. Disintegration of the church.
- B. Breakdown of the family.
- C. Oppression of the individual.

...But, there was hope.

- A. Sacrifice of Worship.
- B. Sacrifice of Prayer.
- C. Sacrifice of Self.

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