

# Faith Presbyterian Church (OPC)

## Morning Order of Worship

June 6, 2010

*“The Word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart.”  
(Hebrews 4:12)*

Prelude and Silent Prayer

Welcome and Announcements

\* Salutation

\* *People: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made the heavens and the earth!*

\* Call to Worship

\* Opening Hymn                      Psalm 98A                      (see insert)

\* Prayer of Adoration, Invocation & The Lord’s Prayer

Reading of God’s Law    Exodus 20:1-17

Corporate Confession of Sin & Prayer for Sanctification (*in unison*)

*Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men; We acknowledge that we were conceived and born in iniquity, and mourn our manifold sins and wickedness, Which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, By thought, word and deed, Against Your Divine Majesty, Provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, And are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; The remembrance of them is grievous unto us; The burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; For Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ’s sake, Forgive us all that is past; And grant that we may hereafter Serve and please You In newness of life, To the honor and glory of Your Name; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Assurance of Pardon    2 Corinthians 5:21

\* Hymn of Praise                      “Praise Waits for Thee in Zion”                      No. 372

Receiving of the Tithes and Offerings

\* The Doxology    No. 731

Pastoral Prayer

Reading of the Scriptures    Joel 2:28-3:21

\* Hymn of Preparation    “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”                      No. 715

\* Reading of Sermon Text    Mark 4:26-34

\* Prayer of Illumination

Sermon                      *Parables of the Kingdom of God*    Pastor Matt Figura

Membership Vows

\* Affirmation of Faith                      *The Nicene Creed*                      Hymnal, p. 846

Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

Diaconal Offering

\* Hymn of Response    “How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place”                      No. 469

\* Benediction

\* Gloria Patri    No. 735

(\* Congregation please stand if able)

### Announcements

We will celebrate the Lord's Supper this morning. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was instituted by our Lord for believers who have made a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ and are members in good standing of a Bible-believing and teaching true church of our Lord. If you are worshipping with us and meet these simple requirements, then we warmly invite you to join us in celebrating the Lord's Supper.

Please join us after the morning worship service for a fellowship meal. Visitors are especially welcome.

Parents with young children: We encourage you to worship with your children, and teach them how to worship the Lord. We realize that at times it is difficult for them to sit quietly. Please do not think your children are an unwanted disruption. If necessary, feel free to take your child to the back room behind the glass, where you may continue to hear the worship service through the speaker.

This morning Emmaline Figura makes her public profession of faith in Jesus Christ.

We will enjoy an extended time of fellowship this afternoon during our meal together. The Afternoon Service is canceled due to the Figuras need to be in Virginia to minister to the Arnold Family at visitation and funeral services.

Upcoming Events: Session Meeting—Thursday, 6/10 @ 12 noon (Roberts Switch Conference Center); Men’s Study—Saturday, 6/12 @ 8:30 am (Roberts Switch).

Next Lord’s Day Pastor Figura plans to preach on Mark 4:35-41 in the morning and Psalm 103:1-14 in the afternoon.

### Meeting Times

Sunday Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
After the morning service we will have a fellowship meal, followed by the afternoon worship service.	
Sunday Afternoon Worship	1:30 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study/Prayer Meeting	6:30 p.m.

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### What Do We Believe?

We believe that everyone has sinned and is in need of new life through Jesus Christ. That new life is a gift from God, which is received by faith apart from anything that we can do to earn that grace.

We believe the Bible is the Word of God, inspired, infallible, and inerrant. We believe the Bible reveals the only true and living God; that Jesus Christ, who is God in the flesh, is the only Savior of mankind and the only head of His Church; and that the Holy Spirit must change our sinful hearts if we are to receive salvation as it is proclaimed in the Gospel.

The Bible is our only rule of faith and practice. Our church also uses the *Westminster Confession of Faith* and the accompanying *Larger* and *Shorter Catechisms* as a helpful summary which sets forth the system of doctrine taught in the Bible.

We emphasize to each individual the importance of living a holy life and carrying out the Great Commission, both here and abroad, through evangelism and the support of missions.

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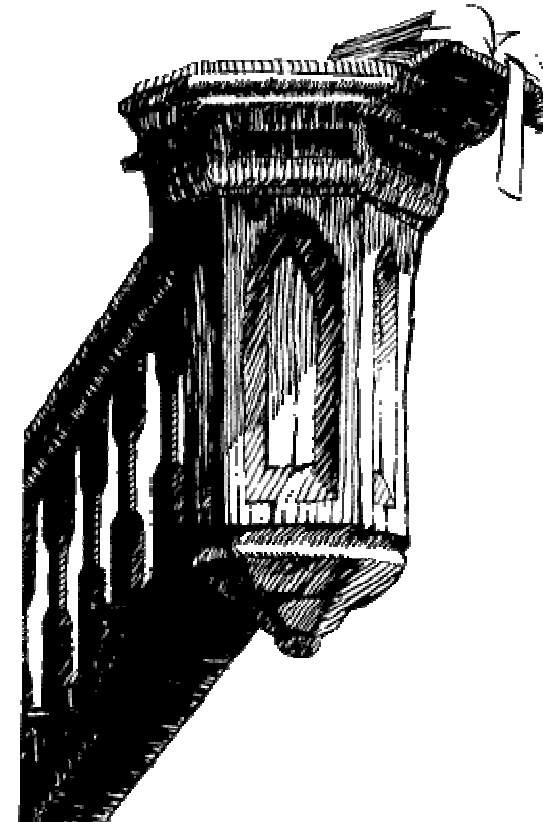
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**We do not preach ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord...Him we proclaim,  
warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom,  
that we may present everyone mature in Christ. -- 2 Cor 4:5; Col 1:28**

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