

Morning Worship

The Prelude

The Greeting and Announcements

The Silent Meditation and Prayer

The Call to Worship

* The Hymn of Praise No. 125 – *Let All Things Now Living*

* The Invocation

The Reading of Holy Scripture – **Acts 18:23-19:22**

* The Hymn of Confession No. 503 – *Out of My Bondage, Sorrow and Night (new tune)*

* The Assurance of Pardon – Ephesians 2:8-10

“For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, *it is* the gift of God;⁹ not as a result of works, so that no one may boast.¹⁰ For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.”

* The Hymn of Thanksgiving – *In Christ Alone*

*In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand*

*In Christ alone, who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
‘Til on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live*

*There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin’s curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ*

*No guilt in life, no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life’s first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
‘til He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I’ll stand*

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* The Confession of Faith – The Westminster Larger Catechism, #70 and 72

Q70: What is justification?

A70: Justification is an act of God's free grace unto sinners, in which he pardons all their sins, accepts and accounts their persons righteous in his sight; not for any thing wrought in them, or done by them, but only for the perfect obedience and full satisfaction of Christ, by God imputed to them, and received by faith alone.

Q72: What is justifying faith?

A72: Justifying faith is a saving grace, wrought in the heart of a sinner by the Spirit and word of God, whereby he, being convinced of his sin and misery, and of the disability in himself and all other creatures to recover him out of his lost condition, not only assents to the truth of the promise of the gospel, but receives and rests upon Christ and his righteousness, therein held forth, for pardon of sin, and for the accepting and accounting of his person righteous in the sight of God for salvation.

The Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

The Hymn No. 461 – *Not What My Hands Have Done*

The Pastoral Prayer

* The Reading of Holy Scripture – **Luke 7:36-50**

The Sermon – **“Grace For The World: The Weight of Forgiveness”**

* The Hymn of Commitment No. 499 – *Rock of Ages*

* The Congregational Response – *The Doxology* (No. 731)

* The Benediction

* The Postlude

*Congregation Standing, If Able

The purpose of Grace Presbyterian Church is to glorify God by equipping individuals and families with the word of God so that by God's grace they will grow in their service and worship of God, cultivate a genuinely loving fellowship, and influence the world for Jesus Christ.

The Call to Worship

* The Hymn No. 650 – *I Will Sing of My Redeemer*

* The Invocation

* The Confession of Faith – Heidelberg Catechism #20-23

Q20: Are all men, then, saved by Christ as they have perished in Adam?

A20: No, only those who by true faith are engrafted into Him and receive all His benefits.

Q21: What is true faith?

A21: True faith is not only a sure knowledge, whereby I hold for truth all that God has revealed to us in His Word, but also a hearty trust, which the Holy Ghost works in me by the Gospel, that not only to others, but to me also, forgiveness of sins, everlasting righteousness, and salvation are freely given by God, merely of grace, only for the sake of Christ's merits.

Q22: What, then, is necessary for a Christian to believe?

A22: All that is promised us in the Gospel, which the articles of our catholic, undoubted Christian faith teach us in summary.

Q23: What are these articles?

A23: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

The Reading of Holy Scripture – **Deuteronomy 23**

The Evening Prayer

* The Hymn No. 104 – *We Lift Up as Our Shield God's Name*

* The Hymn No. 616 – *Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*

The Reading of Holy Scripture – **Psalm 3**

The Sermon – **“How to Get a Good Night's Sleep”**

* The Hymn No. 481 – *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

* The Congregational Response – *The Gloria Patri* (No. 735)

* The Benediction

A Guide to the Evening Worship

The Guest Preacher – Michael Quillen has been the pastor of First Pres in Crossville since 2006. After a summer in an Alaskan oil field, ten years in factories on the east coast, and four years at a Seminary in the mid-west, he finally got to the South. He came with a wife, Julia, and four kids. They now have six children who are active in gymnastics, football, basketball, and reading.

A Guide to the Morning Service

The Lord's Day – Christians gather on the first day of the week according to our Lord Jesus' appointment. Every Sunday is a celebration of our Lord's resurrection, which was on the first day of the week (as were His post-resurrection appearances; see Luke 24:13-35; John 20:19, 26)! The early church gathered together on the first day of the week to pray, to hear God's word preached, and to celebrate the sacraments (Acts 20:7; I Cor. 16:2). The Lord Jesus has not called us to celebrate His hour, or His morning, but His *day*. The pattern of morning and evening worship is a Biblical one (Exodus 29:38-46; Psalm 92:1-2; Acts 20:7), and it brackets the Lord's Day with worship, thus helping us as we strive by God's grace to keep the whole day holy, according to the fourth commandment in Exodus 20:8-10. This day is indeed a day of rest and gladness for our bodies and souls. As Robert Murray M'Cheyne put it, "A well-spent Sabbath we fell to be a day of heaven upon earth... we love to rise early on that morning, and to sit up late, that we may have a long day with God." Having ceased from your work, use this day to glorify God and refresh your body and soul by meditating upon all that God has done for you in Jesus Christ, being with God's people, and serving the needy. Other than coming to worship, how has today been a different day for you than the previous six?

The Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs

Let All Things Now Living – We worship the God who created all things by the word of His power. He guides and provides for us and all His creation (see Ps. 104), and is therefore worthy of all our praise!

In Christ Alone – This modern hymn beautifully expresses the truth and power of the gospel of Jesus Christ. His finished work transforms our lives, filling us with joy, boldness, and love for Him and for other people. We love because He first loved us.

Welcome to Grace Presbyterian Church

If you are visiting with us, we pray the ministry of the Word and the fellowship of God's people will encourage you. We would love to be able to follow up with you, so please fill out the information below and place it in the offering plate. We do have a nursery available for children four and under, but we love having every member of the covenant community gather with us to worship our Savior and King – feel free to keep your children with you. We celebrate the Lord's Supper the first Sunday morning of each month. The Inquirers' Class (a prerequisite for membership for non-PCA members) is offered regularly as a way to learn more about what we believe. If you have any questions about our church, the elders would be happy to talk with you after the service.

Please silence all cell phones upon entering the sanctuary.

(Please tear off and place in the offering plate)

Name _____

Street Address _____

City/State _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____

Telephone _____

Prayer Requests:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The nursery workers today are: J. Welch (SS); Gleasons (MW); Row (EW). The nursery workers next Sunday are: L. Medley (SS); K. Kincaid/R. Nyhof (MW); Hadlock (EW).
- Everyone is invited to join us for a fellowship meal immediately following the service this morning – whether you brought anything or not.
- This evening we are having a joint worship service with First Presbyterian Church of Crossville. The Rev. Mr. Michael Quillen will be preaching God's word to us this evening. Come join your brothers and sisters to close out the Lord's Day in worship!
- **December 12th** at Noon – JOY Club Christmas Season Gathering of GPC's Seniors (Those "50ish+" folk) at the home of Wes & Jan Stevens. Jan needs to know which food items folk will be bringing, so please call her at (931) 432-2443 to let her know.
- **December Schedule:**
 - Dec. 2nd** – The last Wednesday PM Catechism and Bible Studies
 - Dec. 16th** – Children's Christmas Program and Slide Show – 6:00 PM
 - Dec. 18th** – Youth Christmas Progressive Dinner
 - Dec. 21st** – Church Caroling

GPC CALENDAR

Sunday	Sunday School – 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship – 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship – 6:00 p.m. Vick Anniversary!
Monday	Calvin's Institutes Reading Group – 12:00-1:00 p.m. at the Church Office. Bring a brownbag lunch. Happy Birthday Megan Headrick!
Tuesday	RUF Large Group Meeting – 8:00-9:30 pm in the UC
Wednesday	Children's Catechism – 5:45-7:30 p.m. at Algood School Youth Group – 5:45-7:30 p.m. at Algood School Conally Anniversary!
Thursday	No Events Scheduled
Friday	No Events Scheduled
Saturday	No Events Scheduled

THE SESSION

Pastor-Teacher: Caleb Cangelosi (calebcangelosi@gmail.com)
Ruling Elders: Brad Bleasdale, Dennis Parker (Clerk of Session), Darryl Richards, Robert Row (Director of Family Ministries, robert.row.grace@gmail.com)

THE DIACONATE

Todd Burks, Chuck Craig, David Cunningham, Jamey Farris, Jason Morse (Treasurer), Michael Savage, Wes Stevens, John Rust (Chairman)

MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES WE SUPPORT

Pete Mitchell (France), Perry Heusmann (Italy), El Roi Children's Home in Ethiopia, Third Millennium Ministries, Nashville Presbytery, Reformed University Fellowship at TTU, Reformed Youth Movement, Red Lake Indian Reservation, Helping Hands of Putnam County, Cookeville Pregnancy Clinic, Cookeville Rescue Mission, Cooking on the Square

CHURCH STAFF

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THE LORD'S DAY

November 29, 2009

As You Enter Silently, Use These Words to Prepare Your Heart for Worship:

“Through Him then, let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that give thanks to His name. And do not neglect doing good and sharing, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.”

-- *Hebrews 13:15-16*

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