

# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

May 10, 2009

10:30 A.M.

## PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

**Prelude:** *Fugue in E-flat Major* (“*St. Anne*”)

*Johann Sebastian Bach*

**Welcome and Announcements**

*Tom Doyle, Ruling Elder / Shepherd*

## CELEBRATING GOD’S GREATNESS

**\*Doxology:** *No. 731 - Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

*Dr. Carl Ashley, Choral Director*

**\*Invocation and Lord’s Prayer**

**\*Anniversary Hymn:** *No. 30 – Our God, Our Help in Ages Past*

*Isaac Watts*

**\*Profession of Faith:** *A Westminster Creed (part three)* *John Panico, Seminary Youth Intern*

We believe we are made partakers  
of the redemption purchased by Christ,  
by the effectual application of it to us by His Holy Spirit.

We believe God requires of us  
faith in Jesus Christ, and repentance unto life  
to escape the wrath and curse of God due to us for sin.

We believe that by His free grace  
we are effectually called, justified, and sanctified,  
and gathered into the visible church,  
out of which there is no ordinary possibility of salvation.

We believe that we also are given in this life such accompanying benefits as  
assurance of God’s love, peace of conscience, joy in the Holy Spirit,  
increase of grace, and perseverance therein to the end;

We believe that at death, we are made perfect in holiness,  
and immediately pass into glory;  
and our bodies, being still united in Christ,  
rest in their graves till the resurrection.

We believe that at the resurrection, we shall be raised up in glory,  
we shall be openly acquitted in the day of judgment,  
and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God to all eternity.  
Amen.

**\*Praise to the Triune God:** *No. 735 – Gloria Patri*

*2nd century*

## FANNING THE FLAME

*of church revitalization*

### QUARTERLY PRAYER SERVICE

*This is part of our on-going focus on church health,  
utilizing concepts and resources from the national  
“Embers to a Flame” ministry  
for which our Pastor Emeritus, Lynn Downing,  
is Minister of Revitalization.*

Outreach: Jay Myers

Prayer: Ann Minnema

Leadership: Vince Diller

Personal and Family Spiritual Formation: Margaret Doyle

Assimilation: Babe Ruth

Women’s Discipleship: Sharon Virkler

Men’s Discipleship: David Wade

Team Leader: David Livanec

*Other Team Members:*

*Nancy Lee, Marlene Roese, Anna May Kinser, Melissa Backus, Mary Alice Baker*

## DEDICATING OUR LIVES

**Sacrament of Covenant Baptism:** *Dietlin and McCombs families*

**Dedication of Tithes and Offerings**

*Please fill out Blue Cards in pens, and place them in the offering plates.*

**Offertory Anthem:** *The Church’s One Foundation*

*arr. Carl Ashley*

**Prayer for Children’s Church**

## PREACHING HIS WORD

**Scripture:** *1 John 3:23*

*Pastor Emeritus, Lynn Downing*

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Sermon: “THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IS - - WHAT?”**

*And this is His commandment, that we believe in the name of His Son Jesus Christ  
And love one another, just as He has commanded us.*

## GOING FORTH TO SERVE

**\*Hymn:** *No. 644 – May the Mind of Christ My Savior*

*Kate Wilkinson*

*Please leave Blue Cards in the bronze boxes at the exits if you have questions, requests, or comments.*

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude:** *Toccata in D Major*

*Girolamo Frescobaldi*

## EVENING WORSHIP – 6:00 pm

**Call to Worship:** *Psalm 92*

**Hymn Study:** *No. 392 – O Day of Rest and Gladness*

*Christopher Wordsworth*

**Invocation**

**Favorite Hymns**

**Catechism Study:** *Westminster Larger Catechism # 48*

Q. How did Christ humble Himself in His death?

A. Christ humbled Himself in His death, in that having been betrayed by Judas, forsaken by His disciples, scorned and rejected by the world, condemned by Pilate, and tormented by His persecutors; having also conflicted with the terrors of death, and the powers of darkness, felt and borne the weight of God’s wrath, He laid down His life an offering for sin, endured the painful, shameful, and cursed death of the cross.

**Ministry Report:** *Rev. John Van Hemert, Chaplain to Sailors, Port of Palm Beach*

**Prayer Requests**

**Scripture:** *Isaiah 58*

**Bible Study: “WHAT IS A REFORMED CHURCH; pt. 8 ...  
SABBATH DAY OBSERVANCE”**

**Benediction**

### Later This Month ...

**May 24 ... Panico Appreciation Sunday  
Including 6 pm reception in Fellowship Hall**

**May 31 ... Forester Welcome Sunday  
Including noon picnic in John Prince Park**

SERMON NOTES

**“THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IS - - WHAT?”**

1 John 3:23

*And this is His commandment, that we believe in the name of His Son Jesus Christ  
And love one another, just as He has commanded us.*

**1. Understanding the text and context**

**2. Understanding the Means by Whom we conform to this chapter**

**3. Understanding the necessity to show validating evidence that we are recipients and illustrators of the grace-filled love of Christ**

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WOMEN IN THE CHURCH

*WIC Council:*  
Melissa Backus  
Denise Brown  
Becky Forester  
Nancy Lee  
Jennifer Wade

**Lake Osborne Presbyterian Church  
Lake Worth, Florida**

**May 10, 2009**

*LORD, You have been our dwelling place  
in all generations,*

*Satisfy us in the morning with Your steadfast love,  
that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.*

Psalm 90:1, 14

**LOVING GOD ... SERVING PEOPLE**

*Celebrating Our Fifty Second Anniversary*