

Good Shepherd Community Church

In the Heart of Dallas with a Heart for the World

October 12, 2014



We Present Our Offerings

One who is faithful in a very little is also faithful in much. Luke 16:10

Dedication prayer

Hymn- "For the Life That You Have Given"

The Word Proclaimed

Hear the supplication of your servant and of your people Israel when they pray toward this place. Hear from heaven, your dwelling place, and when you hear, forgive. Vv30

Scripture Text: 1 Kings 8:1-61

Sermon – "Lessons from Solomon's Prayer" by Pastor Jeff Gregory

Hymn – "Lord God of Israel, Come among Us"

Lord's Supper Liturgy

led by Mark Bahr

Invitation

Words of Institution

Words of Confession

We Offer Thanksgiving

Sharing of the Holy Meal

Communion Hymn- "What Shall I Render to the Lord" Ps 116

Bread Broken

Cup Poured

Closing Prayer of Thanks

Hymn-812P "O for a Heart to Praise My God"

Benediction- Yahweh bless you, and keep you; Yahweh make His face shine on you, and be gracious to you; Yahweh lift up His

Countenance on you, and give you peace.' Amen. Numbers 6:24f

Hear from heaven, your dwelling place, and when you hear, forgive. 1 Kings 8:30

Weekly Gatherings: *Sundays:*

10:30 a m - Corporate Worship: Word & Table

6:30pm – Evening Worship

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Worship Guide 12 October, 2014 – Solomon's Temple Prayer

We Gather before Our Lord God

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Call to Worship-

*“Stand up and bless the LORD your God from everlasting to everlasting. **Blessed be your glorious name, which is exalted above all blessing and praise.***

Because your love is better than life, Our lips will glorify you.

We will praise you as long as we live,

and in your name we will lift up my hands.

Nehemiah 9:5; Psalm 63:3-4

Hymn 111P “O Give the LORD Wholehearted Praise”

Invocation Pastor Jeff Gregory

Hymn- 169P “Angel Voices Ever Singing”

Hymn- “Glory to You, Our Faithful God” (Old Hundred)

We Humble Ourselves before God

Call to Confession—1 John 1:7-10

In his faithfulness and love, God calls us to come to him in confession for forgiveness. Listen to these words:

if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin.

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Prayer of Confession

Let us pray:

O Father, we are gathered before you, the Maker of Heaven and Earth, whose chosen dwelling place is with the broken and contrite, to confess that

we have sinned in thought and word and deed;

we have not loved you with all our heart and soul,

we have not loved you with all our mind and strength;

we have not even loved our neighbor as ourselves.

In your mercy, deepen our sorrow for the wrong we have done and for the good we have left undone, so that we may hate our sin with a holy hatred. But, Father, do not leave us in sorrow. We know with

you, O Lord, there is forgiveness. In your mercy, restore the joy of our salvation, so that we may love you with a holy love. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

When we come before the throne of grace, God assures us of his grace, in words like these from Micah 7:18-19

Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgression of the remnant of his inheritance?

You do not stay angry forever but delight to show mercy. You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea. Praise the Lord!!

We Seek God and Affirm Our Faith

Let all who take refuge in You be glad; let them ever sing for joy! Ps 5:11
Prayer

Hymn- 274P “God of the Covenant, Lord God Almighty”

Hymn- “Great God of Wonders”

We Read the Holy Scriptures

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Old Testament- Micah 7:7-20

Psalm 89 “I Will Celebrate Your Love Forever, Yahweh”

New Testament – 1 Peter 2:1-12

New Testament- John 2:13-22; 16:16-24

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

We Encourage One Another through Song

But I will sing of your strength; I will sing aloud of your steadfast love in the morning. For you have been to me a fortress and a refuge in the day of my distress. Psalm 59:16

Hymn- “Draw Near to God Whose Steadfast Love” CM McKee

Hymn- “We the Lord's People”

We Offer Thanks and Seek God in Prayer

I desire then that in every place the men should pray, lifting holy hands without anger or quarreling. 1 Timothy 1:8

Concerns & Prayers of the people