

THE LORD'S DAY

July 9, 2023 at 8:30 AM & 10:15 AM

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude David Schmidt
Piano Wendy Baldwin

Announcements

Jeff Richards

Prayer

Hymn 210 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Scripture Reading – Psalm 118 (opposite page)

Hymn 571 Trust and Obey

Hymn 317 O Mighty Cross

Pastoral Prayer

Message

THE SACRIFICE OF ISAAC

Genesis 22

John Hoegg

Hymn 302 Lamb of God

Benediction

Postlude

WESTMINSTER CATECHISM

Q. 62. What are the reasons annexed to the fourth commandment?

A. The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, His challenging a special propriety in the seventh, His own example, and His blessing the sabbath day. Ex. 20:9; 31:15; Lev. 23:3, Gen. 2:2-3; Ex. 20:11; 31:17

LOOKING AHEAD

July 22 – Ladies of Grace 11:30 AM

July 24 – VBS Craft Workshop 6:30 PM

July 29 – Men's Breakfast 9-10 AM

August 14-18 – VBS 9AM-12PM

Psalm 118 Praise to God for His Everlasting Mercy

¹Oh, give thanks to the LORD, for *He is* good!

For His mercy *endures* forever.

²**Let Israel now say, "His mercy *endures* forever."**

³Let the house of Aaron now say, "His mercy *endures* forever."

⁴**Let those who fear the LORD now say, "His mercy *endures* forever."**

⁵I called on the LORD in distress;

The LORD answered me *and set me* in a broad place.

⁶**The LORD *is* on my side; I will not fear. What can man do to me?**

⁷The LORD is for me among those who help me;

Therefore I shall see *my desire* on those who hate me.

⁸***It is* better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in man.**

⁹*It is* better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in princes.

¹⁰**All nations surrounded me,**

But in the name of the LORD I will destroy them.

¹¹They surrounded me, Yes, they surrounded me;

But in the name of the LORD I will destroy them.

¹²**They surrounded me like bees; They were quenched like a fire of thorns; For in the name of the LORD I will destroy them.**

¹³You pushed me violently, that I might fall, But the LORD helped me.

¹⁴**The LORD *is* my strength and song, And He has become my salvation.**

¹⁵The voice of rejoicing and salvation *is* in the tents of the righteous; The right hand of the LORD does valiantly.

¹⁶**The right hand of the LORD is exalted;**

The right hand of the LORD does valiantly.

¹⁷I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD.

¹⁸**The LORD has chastened me severely,**

But He has not given me over to death.

¹⁹Open to me the gates of righteousness; I will go through them,

And I will praise the LORD.

²⁰**This is the gate of the LORD, through which the righteous shall enter.**

²¹I will praise You, for You have answered me,

And have become my salvation.

²²**The stone *which* the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.**

²³This was the LORD's doing; *It is* marvelous in our eyes.

²⁴**This *is* the day the LORD has made; We will rejoice and be glad in it.**

²⁵Save now, I pray, O LORD; O LORD, I pray, send now prosperity.

²⁶**Blessed *is* he who comes in the name of the LORD!**

We have blessed you from the house of the LORD.

²⁷ God *is* the LORD, and He has given us light;
Bind the sacrifice with cords to the horns of the altar.

²⁸ **You are my God, and I will praise You;**
You are my God, I will exalt You.

²⁹ **Oh, give thanks to the LORD, for *He is good!***
For His mercy *endures* forever.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Tuesday 6:30 PM - Precept on Zoom

Wednesday 10 AM - Men's Bible Fellowship

Wednesday 6:30 PM – Prayer and Bible Study led by John Hoegg

Thursday 8:15 AM – Precept Bible Study

Thursday 6:30-7:45 PM - Choir Rehearsal

VBS note: We still need your tall potato chip cans! If you have any, would please clean them out and bring them to church? There is a box for them by the double doors. Thank you for your help!