



“AND HE BLESSED HIM
AND SAID, ‘BLESSED BE
ABRAM BY GOD MOST HIGH,
POSSESSOR OF HEAVEN AND
EARTH; AND BLESSED BE
GOD MOST HIGH, WHO HAS
DELIVERED YOUR ENEMIES
INTO YOUR HAND!’”

GENESIS 14:19-20

GET
CONNECTED



GET
INVOLVED



GIVE
GENEROUSLY



CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 2

PRAYER OF ADORATION

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

Ancient of Days

PROFESSION OF FAITH

*1689 BCF
Ch. 08, P. 01 & 10c*

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

*It was Finished
Upon that Cross*

O My Soul Arise

PASTORAL PRAYER

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

*Before the Throne
of God Above
(Hymn 187)*

PREACHING

Genesis 14:17-24

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

**Children dismissed.*

*How Sweet and
Awful Is The Place
(Hymn #350)*

COMMUNION

BENEDICTION

2 Thess. 2:16-17

DOXOLOGY

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 2

*Leader: Why do the nations rage
and the peoples plot in vain?
The kings of the earth set themselves,
and the rulers take counsel together,
against the Lord and against his Anointed, saying,
“Let us burst their bonds apart
and cast away their cords from us.”*

**Congregation: He who sits in the heavens laughs;
the Lord holds them in derision.**

*Leader: Then he will speak to them in his wrath,
and terrify them in his fury, saying,
“As for me, I have set my King
on Zion, my holy hill.”*

**Congregation: I will tell of the decree:
The Lord said to me, “You are my Son;
today I have begotten you.
Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage,
and the ends of the earth your possession.
You shall break them with a rod of iron
and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel.”**

*Leader: Now therefore, O kings, be wise;
be warned, O rulers of the earth.
Serve the Lord with fear,
and rejoice with trembling
Kiss the Son,
lest he be angry, and you perish in the way,
for his wrath is quickly kindled.*

Congregation: Blessed are all who take refuge in him.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

Ancient of Days

Though the nations rage
Kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King
Reigning over all
So I will not fear
For this truth remains
That my God is the Ancient of Days

None above Him none before Him
All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and ever stand
All the power all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of days

Though the dread of night
Overwhelms my soul
He is here with me
I am not alone
O His love is sure
And He knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Though I may not see
What the future brings
I will watch and wait
For the Savior king
Then my joy complete
Standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days

PROFESSION OF FAITH

1689 Baptist Confession of Faith: Chapter 08, Paragraph 01 & 10

Leader: God was pleased, in His eternal purpose, to choose and ordain the Lord Jesus, His only begotten Son, according to the covenant made between them, to be the mediator between God and humanity. God chose Him to be prophet, priest, and king, and to be head and savior of the church, the heir of all things, and judge of the world. From all eternity, God gave to the Son a people to be His offspring. In time these people would be redeemed, called, justified, sanctified, and glorified by Him.

Congregation: “The Lord says to my Lord: ‘Sit at my right hand, until I make your enemies your footstool.’ The Lord sends forth from Zion your mighty scepter. Rule in the midst of your enemies! Your people will offer themselves freely on the day of your power, in holy garments; from the womb of the morning, the dew of your youth will be yours. The Lord has sworn and will not change his mind, ‘You are a priest forever after the order of Melchizedek.’” – *Psalms 110:1-4*

Leader: The number and character of these offices is essential. Because we are ignorant, we need His prophetic office. Because we are alienated from God and imperfect in the best of our service, we need His priestly office to reconcile us and present us to God as acceptable. Because we are hostile and utterly unable to return to God, and so that we can be rescued and made secure from our spiritual enemies, we need His kingly office to convince, subdue, draw, sustain, deliver, and preserve us for His heavenly kingdom.

Congregation: “But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, waiting from that time until his enemies should be made a footstool for his feet. For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified.” – *Hebrews 10:12-14*

In 1689, greater freedom was given to dissenting ministers in England and the Second London Confession was republished and signed. It is called the 1689 Baptist Confession of Faith.

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

It was Finished Upon that Cross

How I love the voice of Jesus
On the cross of Calvary
He declares His work is finished
He has spoken this hope to me

Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son Who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed!
Yes, He rose that we would be free indeed!

Though the sun had ceased its shining
Though the war appeared as lost
Christ had triumphed over evil
It was finished upon that cross

Free from every plan of darkness
Free to live and free to love
Death is dead and Christ is risen!
It was finished upon that cross

Now the curse it has been broken
Jesus paid the price for me
Full, the pardon He has offered
Great, the welcome that I receive

Onward to eternal glory
To my Savior and my God
I rejoice in Jesus' victory
It was finished upon that cross
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It was finished upon that cross

Boldly I approach my Father
Clothed in Jesus' righteousness
There is no more guilt to carry
It was finished upon that cross

Death was once my great opponent
Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son Who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed!
Death was once my great opponent

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

O My Soul Arise

Arise my soul arise
Shake off your guilty fears
The bleeding sacrifice
On my behalf appears
Before the throne my surety stands
Before the throne my surety stands
My name is written on His hands

He ever lives above
For me to intercede
His all redeeming love
His precious blood to plead
His blood atoned for every race
His blood atoned for every race
And sprinkles now the throne of grace

Chorus

O my soul arise
Behold the risen Christ
Your great high priest
Your spotless sacrifice
O my soul arise
God owns you as His child
Shake off your guilty fears
My soul arise

Five bleeding wounds He bears
Received on Calvary
They pour effectual prayers
They strongly plead for me
Forgive him O forgive they cry
Forgive him O forgive they cry
Don't let that ransomed sinner die

Chorus

My God is reconciled
His pard'ning voice I hear
He owns me as His child
I can no longer fear
With confidence I now draw nigh
With confidence I now draw nigh
And Father Abba Father cry

Chorus

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

Before the Throne of God Above (Hymn 187)

**Before the throne of God above
I have a strong and perfect plea
A great High Priest whose name is Love
Who ever lives and pleads for me
My name is graven on His hands
My name is written on His heart
I know that while in heav'n He stands
No tongue can bid me thence depart
No tongue can bid me thence depart**

**When Satan tempts me to despair
And tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look and see Him there
Who made an end to all my sin
Because the sinless Saviour died
My sinful soul is counted free
For God the Just is satisfied
To look on Him and pardon me
To look on Him and pardon me**

**Behold Him there the risen Lamb
My perfect spotless righteousness
The great unchangeable I Am
The King of glory and of grace
One with Himself I cannot die
My soul is purchased with His blood
My life is hid with Christ on high
With Christ my Saviour and my God
With Christ my Saviour and my God**

SERMON NOTES

Genesis 14:17-24 // King of Righteousness

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CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

How Sweet and Aweful is the Place (Hymn #350)

How sweet and aweful is the place
With Christ within the doors
While everlasting love displays
The choicest of her stores

While all our hearts and all our songs
Join to admire the feast
Each of us cry with thankful tongues
“Lord, why was I a guest?”

“Why was I made to hear Thy voice
And enter while there’s room
When thousands make a wretched choice
And rather starve than come?”

’Twas the same love that spread the feast
That sweetly drew us in
Else we had still refused to taste
And perished in our sin

Pity the nations, O our God
Constrain the earth to come
Send Thy victorious Word abroad
And bring the strangers home

We long to see Thy churches full
That all the chosen race
May with one voice and heart and soul
Sing Thy redeeming grace

Song by: Isaac Watts

EQUIPPING HOUR NOTES

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **YOUTH LUNCH FOR PARENTS & LEADERS**

Zac Vaughn has officially taken over leadership for the Grace Fellowship Students (Youth). There will be a lunch Sunday, September 28th, right after Equipping Hour, for parents, youth leaders, and students to hear his vision for the rest of the year and have a Q&A. RSVP on the app by Wednesday, September 24th.

- **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

We have two women's Bible studies. The Wednesday evening study is from 5:00-6:30PM; childcare is not provided. The Thursday morning study is from 9:30AM-11:30AM; childcare provided.

- **PAINTING WITH MRS. ANN**

Bring your own dinner and join the ladies on Monday, September 22nd, from 5:30-7:00PM for a painting class with Mrs. Ann Robertson. Register on the app for \$5 to cover supplies.

- **WORSHIP NIGHT**

Join us for another night of worship October 1st, at 6:00PM! Invite any of your friends from sister churches or other like minded brothers and sisters for this unique experience together. Sign your kids up for childcare on the app.

- **REFORMATION CELEBRATION**

Sunday, October 26th, from 4:00PM-7:00PM we will have our annual Reformation Celebration! There will be live music, hotdogs, candy, bouncy houses, a cake walk, trunk-or-treat and more! The church will provide all candy. If you would like to donate a bag of candy, you can drop it off during the week or on Sundays on the counter in the Office (no peanut butter or nuts). If you would like to be part of the trunk-or-treat, sign up on the app.

- **FRIDAY MORNING CHAPEL**

Chapel is every Friday morning at 8:30AM in the Sanctuary. Everyone is welcome to come!

- **SANDWICH MINISTRY**

The sandwich ministry is in need of mayonnaise, sandwich-size Ziplock baggies, and Little Debbie snacks. There is a cart in the Office for dropoffs.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- **NEESE FAMILY**

Pray for their language studies; they start language school in October. Also, pray that the friendships they have formed will thrive. Finally, pray that the gospel seeds they have been able to plant will bear fruit.

- **PORCH FAMILY**

Pray for the Porch family while they are here in the states raising support.

- **LIMBAUGH FAMILY**

Pray for the Limbaugh's as they transition in their move to central Alabama. Pray that God will bless their family and and Ryan's work at FCA.

- **STEVE & BRENDA JACOBS**

Pray for Steve to recover fully from a brain bleed. Pray for Brenda while she takes care of him and makes decisions for his care.

- **WENDELL & JANET WHITE**

Pray for Wendell as he recovers from back surgery. Pray that God will give Janet energy as she takes care of him.

- **GWENDOLYN CHARACTER**

Pray that God will give Gwendolyn comfort and peace as she prepares to have fusion surgery. Pray that the surgery goes well, and that God will give her ease in recovery.

- **YOUTH MINISTRY**

Pray that God will continue to bless the youth, and that He will grow the ministry. Thank God for Joe's faithful leadership in the Youth. Pray for the Vaughn family as Zac takes over leadership of the Youth. Pray for the Youth during this transition.

If you have a prayer request you want added to the prayer email or bulletin, please email Ely at administrator@grace-fellowship.com.

MISSIONARY REPORT

Marshall and Jill Rae Lewis // Cat Lake, Ontario, Canada

The Lewis' have moved to Cat Lake First Nation, a remote, fly-in only community of about 600 people. Marshall and Jill are taking over missionary work from two families that have been there for over a decade, the Keres and Klockengas. They helped plant a church that is still meeting, even if with only a handful of people. They have a faithful elder named Wilfred who has preached any time he is able to be at a service. He recently celebrated his 90th birthday, but sadly spent six months in the hospital recovering from a broken hip.



Marshall's goal is to work alongside the locals and share the gospel, so that he can then train those who become believers to be elders and pastors over the church. He is essentially "working himself out of a job." Jill is hoping to get to know women and children in the community, and share the gospel with them.

They made it to Cat Lake on Wednesday, August 27th. They had a lot of support from their Canadian friends, who helped them set up their house and provided food. Isabelle Henry from King's Fellowship in Gadsden, AL also went to help them with the move. She will stay with them for a month as they settle in at Cat Lake.

• PRAYER

- That we would be able to process and grieve as a family the many losses of leaving Sioux Lookout (leaving church family, friends, places, etc).
- That the LORD would call another family to join us in Cat Lake long term. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a missionary and would like to get a taste of what missionary life in Cat Lake alongside us would be like, reach out to us and we can explore that possibility together.
- That God will save people in Cat Lake who will become leaders and members of the church.
- That God will give Isabelle safe travels when she goes back to Alabama at the end of the month.

• SUPPORT

To support the Lewis family, scan the QR code or go to
ToEveryTribe.org/give-online/?fund-code=450530.



WORSHIP IN GIVING

2 Corinthians 9:7 // September 14, 2025

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."

Weekly Giving	September 14, 2025
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Actual Giving:	\$10,976
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Budgeted Giving:	\$20,888
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Difference:	-\$9,912
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-47.45%

Year to Date

Actual Giving:	\$576,734
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Budgeted Giving:	\$772,859
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Difference:	-\$196,125
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-25.38%

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We are glad you joined us this morning! If you have any questions about the sermon, church, or in general, contact Elyona Vaughn at the email address below.

WORSHIP SERVICE

9:30AM-11:00AM

EQUIPPING HOUR

11:15AM-12:00PM

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