

VIII. The Lord's Day

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Exodus 20:8-11; Matthew 12:1-12; 28:1ff.; Mark 2:27-28; 16:1-7; Luke 24:1-3,33-36; John 4:21-24; 20:1,19-28; Acts 20:7; Romans 14:5-10; I Corinthians 16:1-2; Colossians 2:16; 3:16; Revelation 1:10.

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1. The first day of the week is Sunday, the Lord's Day.
2. What does this mean for Saturday services or services on other days?

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1. Regular observance of worship in public
2. Regular observance of worship in private

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1. The Lord's Day is not the same thing as the Sabbath.
2. The matter of conscience has not meant the same thing from one generation to another.