



CENTER GROVE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Lord's Day, January 3, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

* **Call to Worship:** Responsive Reading of **Job 38:4-5, 33, 36**

Pastor: Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding.

Congregation: Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it?

Pastor: Do you know the ordinances of the heavens? Can you establish their rule on the earth?

All: Who has put wisdom in the inward parts or given understanding to the mind?

* **Hymn:** #119 Red Hymnal "*I Sing the Almighty Power of God*"

* **Prayer of Invocation**

Corporate Confession of Sin :

Jesus, forgive our sins. Forgive the sins we remember, and the sins we have forgotten. Forgive our many failures in the face of temptation, and those times when we have been stubborn in the face of correction. Forgive the times we are proud of our own achievements and those when we have failed to boast in your works. Forgive the harsh judgments we make toward others, and the leniency we often show ourselves. Forgive the half-truths and dishonest things we say, and the truths we have avoided. Forgive us the pain we have caused others and the indulgences we show to ourselves. Jesus, have mercy on us and make us whole. Amen.

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon: Hebrews 2:9-10

* **Hymn of Worship:** #291 Black Hymnal "*Arise, My Soul, Arise*"

* **Corporate Confession of Faith:** Westminster Larger Catechism Q/A #17

Pastor: *How did God create mankind?*

All: After God had made all the other creatures, he created mankind, male and female; he formed the body of the man of the dust of the ground and the woman of the rib of the man. He endowed them with living, reasoning, and immortal souls, and he made them in his own image, in knowledge, righteousness, and holiness, having the law of God written in their hearts and the power to fulfill it, with dominion over the creatures, yet subject to fall.

Scripture Reading: Genesis 1

Congregational Prayers

Scripture Memory: Genesis 1:27-28

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them. And God blessed them. And God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth.”

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Anthem: Piano Instrumental

* **Hymn:** #731 Red Hymnal “*Doxology*”

* **Prayer**

* **Hymn of Preparation:** #32 Black Hymnal “*These Great Things*”

Scripture Reading: Psalm 8

Sermon: : “*God’s Beauty in Us*” - Pastor Ryan Diehl

Sacrament of Communion

* **Hymn of Response:** Psalm 8 (tune of “Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”)
Lyrics attached.

* **Benediction**

Sermon Outline
Psalm 8
“God’s Beauty In Us”
01-03-2021

How is God’s beauty seen throughout all creation?

Main Point #1: God’s beauty is seen in the heavens (v1b,3-4)

Main Point #2: God’s beauty is seen on the earth (v2,5-8)

Big Idea:

God’s royal beauty is seen throughout all creation, partly because we were created to reflect it throughout all creation.