



CENTER GROVE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ORDER OF WORSHIP

The Lord's Day, May 24, 2020

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: Responsive Reading of **1 Peter 1:13-16**

Pastor: Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

Congregation: As obedient children, do not be conformed to the passions of your former ignorance.

Pastor: But as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct.

All: Since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy."

Hymn: #100 Red Hymnal "*Holy, Holy, Holy!*"

Prayer of Invocation

* **Corporate Confession of Sin:** *Adapted from the Valley of Vision*

Our Father, save us from ourselves, from the artifices and deceits of sin, from the treachery of our perverse nature, from denying your charge against our offenses, from a life of continual rebellion against you, from wrong principles, views, and ends; for we know that our thoughts, affections, desires and pursuits are alienated from you. Although you are love itself, we have contrived to tempt you to the uttermost, to wear out your patience; have lived evilly in word and action. O, Father of our spirits, King of our lives, cast us not into destruction, drive us not from your presence, but wound our hearts that they may be healed; break them that your own hand may make them whole.

Silent Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 147:2-3

The Lord builds up Jerusalem;
he gathers the outcasts of Israel.
He heals the brokenhearted
and binds up their wounds.

Hymn of Worship: "*My Dwelling Place*" www.gettymusic.com

Corporate Confession of Faith: *Ligonier Statement on Christology*

We confess the mystery and wonder of God made flesh and rejoice in our great salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord. With the Father and the Holy Spirit, the Son created all things, sustains all things, and makes all things new. Truly God, He became truly man, two natures in one person. He was born of the Virgin Mary and lived among us. Crucified, dead, and buried, He rose on the third day, ascended into heaven, and will come again in glory and judgment. For us, He kept the Law, atoned for sin, and satisfied God's wrath. He took our filthy rags and gave us His righteous robe. He is our Prophet, Priest, and King, building His church, interceding for us, and reigning over all things. Jesus Christ is Lord; we praise His holy name forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 43:1-13

Congregational Prayers

Scripture Memory: Psalm 37:3-4

Trust in the Lord, and do good; dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness. Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

Offering Announcement and Doxology

Prayer

Hymn of Preparation: #388 Black Hymnal *"He Will Hold Me Fast"*

Scripture Reading: Revelation 3:7-13

Sermon: *"The Open Door for a Faithful, Beloved Church"* by Pastor Wes James

Hymn of Response: #419 Black Hymnal *"Hear the Call of the Kingdom"*

Benediction

* *Congregation speaks*