



**CENTER GROVE**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

# **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

*The Lord's Day, July 19, 2020*

## **Prelude**

## **Welcome and Announcements**

**Call to Worship:** Responsive Reading of Psalm 115:1-3

**Pastor:** Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory.

**Congregation:** For the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness!

**Pastor:** Why should the nations say, "Where is their God?"

**All:** Our God is in the heavens; he does all that he pleases.

**Hymn:** #16 Red Hymnal "*Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord*"

## **Prayer of Invocation**

### **Corporate Confession of Sin:**

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

### **Silent Confession of Sin**

**Assurance of Pardon:** Psalm 42:5

**Hymn of Worship:** "*Lord from Sorrows Deep I Call*"

### **Corporate Confession of Faith:**

We believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son Our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into Hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and sits at the right hand of God, the Father almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. Amen.

**Scripture Reading:** Psalm 79

## **Congregational Prayers**

**Scripture Memory: 2 Corinthians 5:20-21**

Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

## **Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

**Anthem:** Piano Instrumental offered by Lori Gaines

## **Doxology**

## **Prayer**

**Hymn of Preparation:** #361 Black Hymnal *“By Faith”*

**Scripture Reading:** Revelation 6:9-11

**Sermon:** *“How Long, O Sovereign Lord”* by Pastor Wes James

**Hymn of Response:** #585 Red Hymnal *“Take My Life and Let It Be”*

## **Benediction**