

September 8, 2013



# THE LORD'S DAY

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## WORSHIP SERVICE

*Enter with reverence, Worship in truth, Serve Christ with gladness.*

Therefore let us be grateful for receiving  
a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus

**LET US OFFER TO GOD**

**ACCEPTABLE WORSHIP,**

**WITH REVERENCE AND AWE,**

for our God is a consuming fire.

*Hebrews 12:28-29*

### PRELUDE

*O Worship the King*

LYONS

### †CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Hebrews 12:28-29

### ADORATION

†*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Hymn 12

CORONATION

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

Hebrews 10:11-14

*The congregation will read text in italics.*

<sup>11</sup> And every priest stands ministering daily and offering repeatedly the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins.

<sup>12</sup> *But this Man, after He had offered one sacrifice for sins forever, sat down at the right hand of God,*

<sup>13</sup> From that time waiting till His enemies are made His footstool.

<sup>14</sup> *For by one offering He has perfected forever those who are being sanctified.*

†*Gloria Patri*

WORCESTER

Glo-ry be to God the Fa-ther, Glo-ry be to God the Son,  
Glo-ry be to God the Spir-it, Great Je- hov-ah, Three in one!  
Glo-ry, glo-ry, While e - ter-nal a - ges run! A - men.

### CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

†*Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted*

Hymn

Text: Thomas Kelly (1769-1854)

Tune: *Geistliche Volkslieder* (1850); O MEIN JESU, ICH MUSS STERBEN (8.7.8.7.D.)

1.Strick - en, smit - ten, and af - flict - ed, See Him dy - ing on the tree!  
2.Tell me, all who hear Him groan-ing, Was there ev - er grief like His?  
3.You who think of sin but light - ly Nor sup-pose the e - vil great  
4.Here we have a firm foun - da - tion, Here the ref - uge of the lost:

'Tis the Christ by man re - ject - ed; Yes, my soul, 'tis He, 'tis He!  
Friends thro' fear his cause dis - own - ing, Foes in - sult - ing his dis - tress;  
Here may view its na - ture right - ly, Here its guilt may es - ti - mate.  
Christ, the Rock of our sal - va - tion, His the name of which we boast:

'Tis the long - ex - pect-ed Proph - et, Da - vid's Son, yet Da-vid's Lord;  
Man - y hands were raised to wound him, None would in - ter - vene to save;  
Mark the Sac - ri - fice ap-point - ed, See who bears the aw - ful load;  
Lamb of God, for sin - ners wound - ed, Sac - ri - fice to can - cel guilt!

By His Son God now has spo - ken: 'Tis the true and faith - ful Word.  
But the deep - est stroke that pierced Him Was the stroke that Just - ice gave.  
'Tis the Word, the Lord's A - noint - ed, Son of Man and Son of God.  
None shall ev - er be con - found - ed Who on Him their hope have built.

### THANKSGIVING

*Jesus, I am Resting*

The Herbster Family

### PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

*To Our Guests:* We welcome you to Bethany Bible Church! We trust you will sense our desire to exalt the Lord in our worship, as well as our commitment to the sufficiency of the Scriptures. You and your entire family are invited to worship with us. A nursery is provided for ages 0-3 if you would like, and you may also hear the service in the foyer or fellowship room if you need to attend to small children. We would like to have a record of your visit. You should receive a *guest card* which you may give to Pastor Stiekes personally or hand to one of our ushers. We trust that God will richly bless you as we endeavor to magnify the Lord on His day.

*ANNOUNCEMENTS & COMING EVENTS*  
**WEDNESDAY**—6:45 PM, AWANA; 7:00 PM, Adult Bible Study;  
Teen Discipleship Group at the St. Jacques

**NEXT SUNDAY**—9:45 AM, Combined Sunday School Prayer Service; Fellowship meal follows after the morning service; Missions committee meeting; choir practice begins

**AWANA Help!**—We are still looking for adult workers to help with this year’s Awana Clubs. Please contact **Chip or Ranae Worrell**.

	Sep 1	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,553	\$3,712	\$139,843	\$129,904
Missions	\$0		\$2,354	
Deacons Fund	\$484		\$5,313	
Building Fund	\$0		\$6,805	\$29,770

Christian worship tells a story of what the worshipers imagine to be true about their God and what He has done for them. This is why the writer of Hebrews is intensely interested in how believers worship: the new story spoken through the Son (Heb 1:2) requires a new way of worship. What new story is told in the letter to the Hebrews, and how does it affect our worship?

1. Story and Worship
  - a. Passover (Exod 12:1–28)
  - b. The Day of Atonement (Lev 16:3–34)
2. The New Story in Hebrews
  - a. Our New Priest (Heb 8:1–6; 9:1–28)
  - b. Our New Condition (Heb 10:1–22)
3. Telling the Right Story
  - a. An “Acceptable” Attitude
  - b. An “Acceptable” Form

*†Wonderful Grace of Jesus*

Hymn **155**  
WONDERFUL GRACE

THE SERMON  
What Our Worship Means  
Hebrews 12:18-29

*†O Worship the King*

Hymn **65**  
LYONS

**† PRAYER & BENEDICTION**

*† Congregation will stand (if able)*



Questions & Answers about Worship  
from the Sermon, followed by a Time of Prayer

