

# The Worship of God

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(assisting in worship is Elder Bob Barber)

WELCOME

PRELUDE

## ***Gathered in the Hope of the Gospel***

\*OUR CALL TO WORSHIP

*Hebrews 12:28-29*

*“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.”*

\*EXALTING THE NAME OF THE LORD

*Let Your Kingdom Come*

\*INVOCATION & THE LORD’S PRAYER

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

CONFESSING OUR SIN TOGETHER

*(based on Psalm 51)*

*Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin. Against you, you only, have we sinned and done what is evil in your sight. Hide your face from our sins, and blot out all our iniquities. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Restore unto us the joy of your salvation that is found only in Christ. In whose name, we pray.*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON IN CHRIST (to be sung by congregation) *Romans 5:8*

***God shows his love for us  
While we were still sinners,  
Christ died for us.***

*\*Let us stand together before the LORD*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

*Psalm 49*

*(pew bible pp. 472-73)*

PRAYING FOR THE HOUSEHOLD OF GOD

\*PRAISING OUR MAJESTIC CREATOR

*All Creatures of Our God and King*

GIVING TEN PERCENT & OUR OFFERINGS

*Offertory*

*Nothing Compares*

## ***Shaped by the Sacred Scriptures***

The Scripture:

*Luke 12:13-21*

*(pew bible p. 871)*

The Sermon:

*“The Ultimate Investment”*

*Elder Shaun Sipe*

## ***Leaving to Love and Serve Our Neighbors***

\*SINGING OF OUR HOPE IN CHRIST

*Be Thou My Vision*

\*BENEDICTION

*\*Let us stand together before the LORD*

## Our Purpose in Hernando

**Our Vision:** Christ Covenant seeks to worship God in Hernando as a *missional community* that is committed to love, train, and serve others in Jesus Christ!

**Our Focus:** Christ Covenant *will gather* to worship the God of Scripture, *intentionally nurture* our fellowship in Christ, and *thoughtfully serve* the people of Hernando in DeSoto County.

**Our Values:** We have three core values which give us hope and shape our vision at Christ Covenant:

- We believe **the Gospel** of Christ is the power of God unto new life, which is able to transform any individual, community, and city.
- We believe **the Church** is the body of Christ, which is the focused community of God for gathering and sanctifying His people in this world.
- We believe **the Kingdom** of Christ is His rule and authority over all things, which promises to bring peace (shalom) in heaven and upon the earth.

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# Christ Covenant

CHURCH

LOVE TRAIN SERVE

*“For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”*

*Mark 10:45*