

Grace Baptist Church
Lord's Day Worship Service
October 26, 2008 – 10:30 a.m.



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Paragraph 5. Of the Fall of Man We believe that man was created, in innocence and true holiness, under the law of his maker and in the image of God, but by voluntary transgression fell from his sinless and happy state in Adam's sin, in consequence of which all men are found in a most helpless estate, totally depraved, wholly disposed toward evil, possessing neither the ability nor the inclination to seek God apart from the regenerating grace of the Holy Spirit; that all are sinners by nature and by conduct, and therefore are under just condemnation without defense or excuse. Genesis 3:1-6; Ephesians 4:23; Ecclesiastes 7:29; Genesis 1:26; Romans 5:12; Romans 3:10-19; Genesis 6:5; Ephesians 2:1; Romans 1:8; Ezekiel 18:19-20; Romans 1:32; Romans 1:20; Galatians 3:22

Don't forget our church fellowship on Sunday, November 2 at 6.00 p.m. at Miller's Orchard.

Book Recommendations from Your Pastors

1. *An Exposition of Hebrews* by A.W. Pink
2. *Signs of the Spirit: An Interpretation of Jonathan Edwards' Religious Affections* by Sam Storms

Opening Welcome Pastor Ben Rust

Call to Worship Psalm 111

“Many are ignorant of what their Creator has done, and hence they are foolish in heart, and silent as to the praises of God: This evil can only be removed by a remembrance of God’s works, and a diligent study of them; therefore, the psalm is meant to arouse us. It may be called THE PSALM OF GOD’S WORKS intended to excite us to the work of praise.” Charles Spurgeon [1834-1892] on Psalm 111

1Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation. **2**Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them. **3**Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever. **4**He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered; the LORD is gracious and merciful. **5**He provides food for those who fear him; he remembers his covenant forever. **6**He has shown his people the power of his works, in giving them the inheritance of the nations. **7**The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy; **8**they are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness. **9**He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever. Holy and awesome is his name! **10**The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. His praise endures forever!

“Praise Ye Jehovah” Modern Hymn
Bob Jones Jr. [1911-1997] Dwight Gustafson [1930]

“Sing to the Lord of Harvest” Hymn No. 716
John Monsell [1811-1875] Johann Steurlein [1575]

Public Reading of the Scripture Acts 16
Kevin Miner

Public Pastoral Prayer

Public Reading of the Doctrinal Statement
Paragraph 5. Of the Fall of Man.

“Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!” Hymn No. 498
J. Wilbur Chapman [1859-1918] HYFRYDOL

Offering

Public Preaching Pastor Ben Rust
Hebrews 1

Thoughts on worship from the book we’re
reading together in our discipleship groups

“Worship begins with God. Worship is centered upon God. Worship is first concerned with God’s glory . . . Man-centered worship is feeling-oriented; it is consumed with meeting our needs, as if this was the ultimate reason for attending church or worshipping God. When true worship does take place, it is amazing how the Spirit of God does, in fact, minister to our real spiritual needs. The problem with this generation is that we do not know the difference between true spiritual needs and the artificial needs manufactured by the pop-psychology of our present culture.” Robert Dickie, What the Bible Teaches About Worship [2007]