



**Prayer List:**

The mothers of the 1.2 million children who will be aborted this year

The 36 million people who live in poverty in the US

*Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.*

*1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

**Announcements:**

Congratulations to Caleb and David, our High School graduates for 2010!

Remember that on Sunday, July 11th we'll have a gathering at Bonclarken for food, fellowship, and a missions speaker. The fun begins at 4pm.

Next Sunday we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Jesus tells us that if we are out of sorts with any of our Christian brothers and sisters we ought to "leave our gift at the altar" and go to be reconciled before returning. Paul warns the believers in Corinth that taking this supper without reconciliation can result in sickness or even death! Thankfully, it is not the self-righteous, but the repentant sinner who is welcomed to the table. Thus Paul's command to "let a man examine himself" (that we may eat in a worthy manner), should motivate us to be reconciled to our church family, and should make us eager to meet with the Lord in this meal.

**Weekly Services**

Sunday:

10am—Sunday School

11am—Morning Service

Nursery: Lynda (Today), Karen (Next Week)

Wednesday:

7pm—Prayer Meeting

**We welcome all visitors to Sandy Plains Church** and ask you to register your attendance by filling out the visitor card that is found in the pew pocket in front of you and placing it in the offering plate.

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*Our worship services begin with an instrumental prelude so that each of us has an opportunity to transition our minds away from the things which can distract us from worship.*

*This time of prayer and meditation functions as a reminder that*  
**"The Lord is in his holy temple;**

**let all the earth keep silence before him." (Hab 2:20)**

*Through the power and brilliance of music  
we can get a taste of the majesty of God;  
through its softness and gentleness we get a taste of his peace.*

**Worship of the Triune God**

**The Lord's Day—June 20, 2010**

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Preparation**

**\*Call to Worship**

*Psalm 63:5-8*

My soul will be satisfied as with fat and rich food, and my mouth will praise you with joyful lips, when I remember you upon my bed, and meditate on you in the watches of the night; for you have been my help, and in the shadow of your wings I will sing for joy. My soul clings to you; your right hand upholds me.

Let us worship God!

**\*Hymn of Praise**

*#92 A Mighty Fortress is Our God*

**\*Invocation & The Lord's Prayer**

**Meditation on the Law**

Deuteronomy 13:1-5

"If a prophet or a dreamer of dreams arises among you and gives you a sign or a wonder, and the sign or wonder that he tells you comes to pass, and if he says, 'Let us go after other gods,' which you have not known, 'and let us serve them,' you shall not listen to the words of that prophet or that dreamer of dreams. For the LORD your God is testing you, to know whether you love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul. You shall walk after the LORD your God and fear him and keep his commandments and obey his voice, and you shall serve him and hold fast to him. But that prophet or that dreamer of dreams shall be put to death, because he has taught rebellion against the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt and redeemed you out of the house of slavery, to make you leave the way in which the LORD your God commanded you to walk. So you shall purge the evil from your midst."

**Confession of Sin**

Almighty and most merciful Father; we have strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. There is no health in us. Have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises which were declared unto us in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O merciful Father, for his sake, that we may live a godly, righteous, and sober life; to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon****Scripture Memory Focus***John 15:5*

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

**Pastoral Prayer****Scripture Lesson***Genesis 32:22-33***Offertory Service****\*Doxology**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.*

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication****\*Confession of Faith***The Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
maker of Heaven and Earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
and born of the virgin Mary.  
He 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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*Preparatory Hymn***#334 Breath on Me, Breath of God***Prayer for Illumination****Reading and Exposition of the Word**

Romans 16:21-23 — "Can We Trust the Scriptures?"

**\*Hymn of Response***#94 How Firm a Foundation***\*Benediction****\*Gloria Patri**

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*Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end, Amen, amen.*

**Postlude**