GOD BLOTS OUT OUR GUILT

God's Call to Confession | Exodus 34:1-9, 29-35

Prayer of Confession

God's Assurance of Pardon | Romans 8:28-30

Pastor: And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers.

People: And those whom he predestined he also called, and those whom he called he also justified, and those whom he justified he also glorified.

***Hymn 501** | Just as I Am, without One Plea (vv. 1, 3, 5, 6)

GOD BEAUTIFIES US FOR HIMSELF

Prayer of Intercession

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Our Presentation of Tithes and Offerings | Venmo: @Cornerstone-OPC

Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn 108** | Whate'er My God Ordains Is Right

God's Call Through Preaching

Scripture Reading | 2 Corinthians 3:12-18

Pastor: This is the word of the LORD.

People: Thanks be to God!

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Proclamation | Beholding and Becoming

Prayer of Application

***Hymn 529** | Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

GOD BLESSES US WITH HIMSELF

***God's Benediction**

***Hymn 731** | Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Please stand, if you are able

VISITING WITH US?

WELCOME

We are so glad you have come to worship with us this morning! Please fill out a connect card in the church foyer or scan the QR code so we can learn how best to serve you. Learn more about us at cornerstone-opc.org.

NURSERY

We believe God covenants with households, and so we encourage children of all ages to participate in public worship. A staffed nursery which can also be utilized as a cry room is available during the morning service for ages 0-3. There is a separate nursing room available as well. Please ask the usher for more information.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday school classes will meet today for ages 3+ at 11:45am. Please ask the usher for more information.

FELLOWSHIP

Following Sunday school, we will enjoy a fellowship meal together. We would love for you to join us and give us an opportunity to get to know you!

EVENING WORSHIP

You are warmly welcome to join us at 6:00pm as we assemble again to close out the Lord's Day in public worship!

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BEHOLDING AND BECOMING

2 Corinthians 3:12-18

New covenant ministry boldly beckons us into the blessing of beholding and becoming like Jesus.

I. ***Moses veiled*** the glory of God (vv. 13-15).

II. ***Jesus unveils*** the glory of God (vv. 16-18).

QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY WORSHIP

1. What is the hope that Paul spoke of in v. 12, and why did it make him bold? Why does it continue to make ministers of the gospel bold today?
2. What is a veil? Why did Moses need to veil his face?
3. How did Moses' veil point forward to the tabernacle/temple? How did it serve as a picture of the spiritual condition of the Israelites?
4. What is the first step in spiritual formation, and why is all our striving to honor God in vain without it?
5. What is Christ's relationship to the Holy Spirit in the new covenant, and what is the Holy Spirit's relationship to believers in the same?
6. Where can we see the glory of God in Christ today? Why is this important to be clear about?
7. What happens to us as we behold God's glory in and through Jesus? Can you give some examples of what this transformation might look like in everyday life?

QUESTIONS FOR PRIVATE REFLECTION

1. Is the phrase "spiritual formation" helpful? Why, or why not? How has it been a needed corrective in the modern church but also abused and misunderstood?
2. Have I been delivered from a thick skull and a stony heart through union with Christ by the Spirit?
3. What are same tangible evidences of spiritual transformation in my life, flowing from a sanctifying sight of Christ through the Scriptures?

CORNERSTONE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Cornerstone Presbyterian Church is a community of believers devoted to glorifying our Triune God through God-centered theology, God-ordered worship, God-delighting piety, God-exalting leadership, and God-dependent mission.

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

November 15, 2026 AM

Welcome, Announcements, & Silent Prayer

GOD BECKONS US INTO HIS PRESENCE

***God's Call to Worship** | Psalm 27

Pastor: The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

People: When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall.

Pastor: Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident.

People: One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his temple.

Pastor: Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me!

People: You have said, "Seek my face." My heart says to you, "Your face, LORD, do I seek."

***God's Greeting** | Galatians 1:3-5

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

***Hymn 376** | Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty