

SUNDAY MORNING

9/15/19

Pastor Elshout

Pre-service Psalter 164:1, 2**

Silent Congregational Prayer

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 401: All**

Reading of the Law: Deuteronomy 5:1-24

Scripture: Song of Sol. 1:1-7; 2:8-17; 5:8-16

Congregational Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 422:1, 3**

Text: Song of Sol. 7:10

**Theme: The Wonderful Confession of
the Bride of Christ**

1. She belongs to her Bridegroom

2. Her Bridegroom's desire is toward her

Psalter 125:1-3**

Reading the Lord's Supper Form, Part II (p. 137)

Psalter 403: All**

Administration of the *Lord's Supper*

Psalter 241:1-3

Conclusion of the Lord's Supper Form

Prayer

Giving of our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 383:1-5**

Doxology: "*Praise God...*"**

Benediction

** *Please stand if able*

Family Sermon Discussion Questions:

1. Why are the words of the Lord Jesus, "Greater than Solomon is here" (Mat. 12:42; Luke 11:31) important when interpreting the Song of Solomon?
- 2*. What did Solomon's bride express when she said, "I am black but comely"?
3. What can we learn from the fact that the bride confesses on three occasions that she belongs to her Bridegroom?
4. What connection is there between the cross and Christ's relationship with His bride?
5. How did the bride know that the desire of her Beloved was toward her?
- 6*. What relationship is there between the bride's confession and the Lord's Supper?

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Pre-service Psalter 166:1, 3**

Silent Congregational Prayer

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 2:1-3 (2nd tune) **

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:10-21

Belgic Confession of Faith, art. 30 (p. 20)

Congregational Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 42:1-4**

Text: 2 Corinthians 5:17

Theme: To Be a New Creature

1. The evidence of being in Christ

2. The result of God's sovereign act

3. The manifestation of a radical change

Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 337:2, 3**

Doxology: May the grace...**

Benediction

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Family Sermon Discussion Questions:

1. What do the words, "If any man be in Christ..." imply about our natural spiritual state?
2. What does it mean to be in Christ?
3. How does a living union with Christ manifest itself in the life of the believer?
4. How does Paul emphasize that being in Christ is the result of a divine act rather than a human act?
5. What connection is there between God's creation of Adam (Genesis 1:26-27) and being a new creature in Christ?
- 6*. What does it mean to have a new heart?
7. What does Paul mean by the passing away of old things?
- 8*. What is meant by the expression, "A believer loves what (s)he hated before, and (s)he hates what (s)he loved before"?

* Questions for younger children