

SUNDAY MORNING

11/10/2019

*Pastor Elshout*

Pre-service Psalter 190:1, 4 \*\*

Silent Congregational Prayer

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 206:1-3\*\*

Reading of the Law: Exodus 20:1-20

Response to the Law: Psalter 389:5

Scripture Reading: 1 Timothy 3

Congregational Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 374:1, 2, 5\*\*

Text: Acts 14:23

**The Elders of the Galatian Churches**

**1. Wisely appointed**

**2. Prayerfully selected**

**3. Lovingly commended**

Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 218:1, 5, 6\*\*

Doxology: Psalter 196\*\*

Benediction

*\*\* Please stand if able*

**Family Sermon Discussion Questions:**

1\*. Why did Moses appoint elders for the children of Israel?

2. Does a church elder necessarily have to be an old man? Why or why not?

3. What prompted Paul & Barnabas to ordain elders in all the churches they had established?

4\*. How do we know that Paul & Barnabas took the ordination of elders very seriously?

5. Is the Church a democracy or a monarchy?

6. Is fasting a required component of public worship? Explain.

7. Why did Paul & Barnabas commend the churches so confidently to the Lord Jesus Christ?

8. How does Luke communicate to us that these elders were godly men?

SUNDAY EVENING

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Pre-service Psalter 198:1, 7\*\*

Silent Congregational Prayer

Votum and Salutation

Psalter 102:1-4\*\*

Scripture Reading: Romans 7; 8:1

*Belgic Confession of Faith*, art. 35 (p. 22)

Congregational Prayer

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Psalter 362: All\*\*

Text: Belg. Conf. Art. 15b (Romans 7:14-25; 8:1)

**The Christian & Indwelling Corruption**

**1. A Painful reality**

**2. An intense battle**

**3. A victorious outcome**

Prayer

Giving our offerings to the Lord's service

Psalter 353: All\*\*

Doxology: Psalter 197\*\*

Benediction

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**Family Sermon Discussion Questions:**

1. What does Paul mean when he says that the law is spiritual (v. 14)?
2. How does Paul express in vv. 14-15 that his indwelling corruption is a painful reality for him?
- 3\*. Both believers and unbelievers sin daily. What is the difference?
4. How does Paul express in vv. 18-19 that he is engaged in an intense battle with indwelling sin?
5. What does Paul mean when he says, "It is no more I that do it"?
6. What does Paul mean when he says that evil is present with him when he wants to do good?
- 7\*. How do we know with certainty that Paul is not describing his struggle with sin as an unbeliever, but rather, as a believer?
8. How can Paul be so certain that victory will be the final outcome of the believer's battle with indwelling sin?

\* Questions for younger children