

Order of Service – May 16, 2021

Pastoral Greeting

Call to Worship: Psalm 100 (NKJV pg. 418)

Invocation

* Psalm: 100A

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 37:1-11 (NKJV pg. 388)

New Testament Reading: Revelation 21:1-7 (NKJV pg. 860)

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Title & Text: *The Wealth of the Wicked* – Genesis 30:25-31:16 (NKJV pg. 21)

Pastoral Prayer

* Psalm 37A

Presenting our Tithes and Offerings

* Doxology - Psalm 89H

* Pastoral Blessing

* = **PLEASE STAND IF ABLE**

(Page numbers for Scripture readings are: *New King James (NKJV) or English Standard Version (ESV) pew Bibles*)

- This week the precenter is Hannah Goerner and the presiding elder is Bill Pihl – next week the precenter will be Hannah Goerner and the presiding elder will be Greg Moberg.
- Everyone is invited to stay for our **May Fellowship Lunch** following Sunday School.
- We will continue to provide the Zoom link each week for those not comfortable being together inside the church building because of the risk of catching or transmitting COVID-19.
- **Eldership training** is this Wednesday at 7:00 pm at the church building or by Zoom. We will be continuing our Church History course. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate in this – it is for both those interested in possibly becoming ruling elders and for those seeking to understand what an elder is expected to be and do as we consider who should be called to this office in Christ's Church. (*Pastor Somerville will send out the Zoom link.*)
- **RP Global Missions Prayer Request** – Please pray for our mission work in South Sudan. Thank God for raising Samuel Ward up to be a strong Christian and giving him a heart for the advance of Christ's Kingdom – Sam was among the first members of the Cush4Christ mission just over fifteen years ago team as a two-year-old accompanying his pioneering parents, and is now serving short-term with the Cush4Christ team before starting college. Pray that God would do the same in the lives of other RPGM missionary kids. Pray that God would provide one or two more mid-term volunteers to serve at Cush Christian School during the second half of the school year (July-November). Pray for spiritual and academic growth in the lives of students at Cush Christian School and for wisdom, love, and stamina for the teachers at the school. Pray that God would raise up faithful, mature leaders and biblical churches in South Sudan.