

Announcements

9:30AM - **Sunday School.**

*Adults - *Biblical Wisdom and the Holy Spirit*, meeting in fellowship hall.

*Middle & High School - Study on the Book of Proverbs, meeting in RE Morris' office.

*Younger Boys - *Catechism Club* - meeting in the church nursery.

*Younger Girls- *God's Word*, meeting above the fellowship hall.

10:45AM - **Worship Service**

* **Missions Committee Meeting** - following morning worship

No Evening Prayer or Worship tonight

Morning Sermon Title: *To Heaven in a Handbasket*

Text: Isaiah 65:1-25

Welcome Visitors!

We are delighted to have you worship with us.

May we heartily worship and praise God together in a manner both pleasing to Him and edifying to you. We'd love the opportunity to get to know you. Please use the QR code to fill out a Connect Card as a record of your visit with us.

Thank you!



An Ordinary Means of Grace Church

At Ortega, we believe the Bible calls us to prioritize the *ordinary means* whereby God communicates His *grace* to us, empowering us to love Him and equipping us to live for His glory. These means are ordinary and simple, but they have an extraordinary and profound impact on our lives. God communicates His grace to us in a variety of ways, but especially in the following three as we gather for worship:

The Preaching of the Word of God

Corporate Prayer

The Sacraments: Baptism & the Lord's Supper

The Pastor, Elders, and Deacons

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For the word of God and the testimony of Jesus Christ...
Revelation 1:9



Lord's Day Worship

God Prepares Us to Worship Him

Meditation and Preparation: O God, the strength of all them that put their trust in you; mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that we, steadfastly believing in your Son Jesus Christ, and loving one another as he has given us commandment, may please you, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Welcome and Announcements

Musical Prelude

God Calls Us to Adore Him

* **Call To Worship:** (responsive) Psalm 57:7-11 (ESV)

My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast!

I will sing and make melody!

Awake, my glory! Awake, O harp and lyre!

I will awake the dawn!

I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples;

I will sing praises to you among the nations.

For your steadfast love is great to the heavens,

your faithfulness to the clouds.

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens!

Let your glory be over all the earth!

* **Salutation:** Revelaiton 1:4b-5

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings on earth

* **Psalm of Praise:** *All People That on Earth Do Dwell*, st. 1-4, #100B

* **Prayer of Invocation:** (followed by the Lord's Prayer)

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth,

as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

* **Confessing the Faith** (unison): Apostles' Creed TPH pg. 851

* **Praise to the Triune God:**

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.

God Calls Us to Confession

Call to Confess Our Sins: Psalm 51:1-2

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!

Silent Confession of Sin

God Cleanses Us In Christ

Assurance of Pardon: Hosea 11:4

I led them with cords of kindness, with the bands of love, and I became to them as one who eases the yoke on their jaws, and I bent down to them and fed them.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving:** *What Wondrous Love Is This*, st. 1-4, #343

Giving of Tithes and Offerings: 2 Corinthians 8:9 (ESV)

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.

God Consecrates Us Through His Word

The Word of God: Mark 8:31-38 (Pew Bible, pg. 844)

Pastoral Prayer

***Scripture:** Isaiah 65:1-25 (Pew Bible, p. 623)

Sermon: *To Heaven in a Handbasket*, Pastor Josh Hinson

God Blesses and Commissions Us

***Hymn of Application:** *My Jesus, I Love Thee*, st. 1-4, #496

***Benediction**

***Musical Postlude**

* Congregation standing, all who are able



For behold,
I create *new heavens*
and a *new earth*,
and the former things
shall not be remembered
or come into mind.

ISAIAH 65:17 (ESV)

