

The Lord's Day

October 19, 2025

FOR GOD | FOR THE CHURCH | FOR THE WORLD

# **Worship Guide**

### REVELATION

# God Is Sovereign over the Kings of the Earth

Prelude Instrumentalists

Let us use this time to quiet our hearts and minds in preparation for corporate worship.

"Be still, and know that I am God."
—Psalm 46:10a

**Pastoral Greeting** 

Pastor Laramie

Scripture Reading: Daniel 2:17–23 (LSB)

Pastor Laramie

<sup>17</sup>Then Daniel went to his house and made the matter known to his friends, to Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah, <sup>18</sup> so that they might seek compassion from the God of heaven concerning this mystery, so that Daniel and his friends would not be destroyed with the rest of the wise men of Babylon. <sup>19</sup> Then the mystery was revealed to Daniel in a night vision. Then Daniel blessed the God of heaven; <sup>20</sup> Daniel answered and said,

"Let the name of God be blessed forever and ever, For wisdom and might belong to Him.

<sup>21</sup> And He changes the times and the seasons; He removes kings and establishes kings;

He gives wisdom to wise men

And knowledge to men of understanding.

<sup>22</sup> He reveals the deep and hidden things; He knows what is in the darkness,

And the light dwells with Him.

<sup>23</sup> To You, O God of my fathers, I give thanks and praise,

For You have given me wisdom and might;

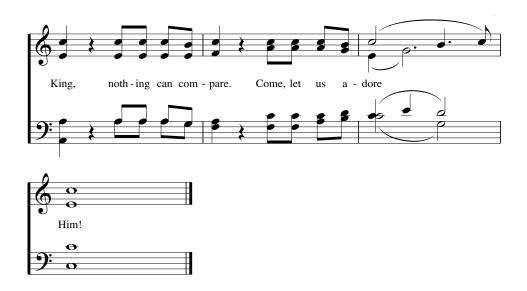
Even now You have made known to me what we sought from You,

For You have made known to us the king's matter."

# ADORATION We Praise the King of Kings

# Behold Our God





Words and Music: Ryan Baird, Jonathan Baird, Meghan Baird and Stephen Altrogge, 2011

Prayer of Praise

Pastor Laramie

# CONFESSION We Have Failed to Follow Christ's Example

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2:13–24a (LSB)

Pastor Charles

<sup>13</sup> Be subject for the sake of the Lord to every human institution, whether to a king as the one in authority, <sup>14</sup> or to governors as sent by him for the punishment of evildoers and the praise of those who do good. <sup>15</sup> For such is the will of God that by doing good you may silence the ignorance of foolish men. <sup>16</sup> Act as free people, and do not use your freedom as a covering for evil, but use it as slaves of God. <sup>17</sup> Honor all people, love the brethren, fear God, honor the king.

<sup>18</sup> Servants, be subject to your masters with all fear, not only to those who are good and considerate, but also to those who are crooked. <sup>19</sup> For this finds favor, if for the sake of conscience toward God a person bears up under sorrows when suffering unrighteously. <sup>20</sup> For what credit is there if, when you sin and are harshly treated, you endure? But if when you do good and suffer for it, you endure, this finds favor with God.

<sup>21</sup> For to this you have been called, since Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example that you should follow in His steps, <sup>22</sup> who did no sin, nor was any deceit found in His mouth; <sup>23</sup> who being reviled, was not reviling in return; while suffering, He was uttering no threats, but kept entrusting Himself to Him who judges righteously. <sup>24</sup> Who Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, so that having died to sin, we might live to righteousness

Prayer of Confession

Pastor Charles

"O Sacred Head Now Wounded"

Hymn 261

#### **PROPITIATION**

# By His Wounds We Have Been Healed

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 53:4–6; 1 Peter 2:24b-25 (LSB)

Pastor Laramie

Isaiah 53:4-6

<sup>4</sup> Surely our griefs He Himself bore, And our sorrows He carried;
Yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, Smitten of God, and afflicted.
<sup>5</sup> But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities;
The chastening for our peace fell upon Him, And by His wounds we are healed.
<sup>6</sup> All of us like sheep have gone astray, Each of us has turned to his own way;
But Yahweh has caused the iniquity of us all To fall on Him.

1 Peter 2:24b-25

By His wounds you were healed. <sup>25</sup> For you were continually straying like sheep, but now you have returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

"Here Is Love" (Hymn 315)

Pastor Laramie

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Hymn 306

# **PROCLAMATION**God Speaks to Us Through His Word

Sermon: Matthew 22:15–22 Pastor Charles

#### DEDICATION

# We Respond to the Word of God

# Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us



Words: Dorothy A. Thrupp, 1836 Music: William B. Bradbury, 1836 Offertory Instrumentalists

# **SUPPLICATION**We Bring Our Requests to God

First of all, then, I exhort that petitions and prayers, requests and thanksgivings, be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, so that we may lead a tranquil and quiet life in all godliness and dignity.

1 Timothy 2:1-2

#### For the World

For our leaders

For the lost -

Those in the country of Nigeria

• Largest Religion: "Christian," 51.3 %

• % Evangelical: 30.8 %

Population: 237,527,782
Over 7,000 Christians were killed in Nigeria so far in 2025

coming to an average of 32 Christians who were killed per day

For opportunities to share the gospel

#### For the Worldwide Church

For our missionaries (the Pogues, the Haddens, the Yoders) For the health of churches in our area For other Christians

#### For our Church

For the pastors and deacons For the unity of the body For our spiritual needs For our physical needs

# COMMISSION God Sends Us to Serve

### Sunday Afternoons at 5:00 p.m.: Equipping the Saints

Q&A on our "How To Understand Various Views of the End Times" series

#### **Christmas Choir Rehearsals**

Our seasonal choir will begin rehearsing for Christmas THIS AFTERNOON, from 4:00–5:00 p.m. in the choir room.

#### Fellowship Outing:

We will be taking a trip to Dickey Farms in Musella on Friday, October 24. They have fresh produce (apples, peppers, squash, potatoes), homemade jams and jellies as well as fritters, pies, and homemade ice cream. We will depart from Ramah at 10:00 a.m. and eat at Justin's Place in Thomaston on the way. Sign up in the foyer where you can indicate your transportation preferences.

#### Fellowship of Deacons' Meeting

Deacons, join us in the Choir Room on Wednesday, October 22 at 4:30 p.m. for our next meeting.

#### **Food Bag Distribution**

Join us Saturday, October 25th at 2:00 p.m. in front of the Fellowship Hall for our monthly food bag distribution. Pray the Lord will use us to meet physical and spiritual needs.

#### Reformation Sunday Fellowship with FBC Tyrone

Our friends at FBC Tyrone will join us for our Reformation Sunday Fellowship this year, October 26, at 5:00 p.m. Pastor Bo will offer a devotion, we will eat together, and then have games available for all ages. Ramah is providing the meat, so we ask you to bring the sides and desserts.

#### Thanksgiving Meal For Needy Families

We are now accepting donations for our November food bags. There is a chest in Heritage Hallway designated for these donations! Donations are due no later than Sunday, November 16th so we will have time enough to purchase those items not donated.

#### Fall Banquet

On Sunday, November 16, we will have a fundraiser banquet to support next year's Ramah Retreat. The menu and ticket prices will be announced soon.

#### **Church Conference**

We will have our end-of-year Church Conference during Sunday School on November 2. Following the morning service we will have a churchwide Thanksgiving fellowship meal.

#### **Book Club**

Our next book club title is *Unpacking Forgiveness* by Chris Brauns. This addresses many of the things we discussed recently in Matthew 18 as well as Equipping the Saints. You will be challenged by Scripture and encouraged by the Spirit through this book. We will discuss it during ETS November 9 and 23.

"Jesus Shall Reign"

Hymn 299

Benediction: Hebrews 13:20–21 (LSB)

Pastor Charles

<sup>20</sup> Now the God of peace, who brought up from the dead the great Shepherd of the sheep through the blood of the eternal covenant, our Lord Jesus, <sup>21</sup> equip you in every good thing to do His will, by doing in us what is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

# Welcome, Visitors!

We're so glad you are here today to worship with us at Ramah. We are a church striving to submit ourselves to Christ in every way. Our goal is to let the Word of God order and rule us in all that we do in the life of our church.

We also want to get to know you better and hope you will feel comfortable introducing yourself to us. If you have any questions about following Christ or about Ramah, one of our pastors would love to talk to you.

### Let the Little Children Come

Children of all ages are welcome in our service. We have age-appropriate sermon guides and other resources available in the foyer, designed to help your children engage in God's Word along with you.

### Staff

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### This Week's Schedule

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| Sunday School        | 9:45 a.m.  |
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| Corporate Worship    | 11:00 a.m. |
| Choir Rehearsal      | 4:00 p.m.  |
| Equipping the Saints | 5:00 p.m.  |

#### WEDNESDAY

| Coffee and Fellowship | 5:45 p.m. |
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| Praying the Psalms    | 6:00 p.m. |

#### FRIDAY

Trip to Dickey Farms 10:00 a.m.

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