

Our Service of Worship on the Lord's Day (Rom. 12:1 – NAS)

Sunday 10:27 a.m. September 5, 2021

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Jesus Is Lord

Sing Praises & Prayers to: Father-JesusChrist-HolySpirit

** **Prelude:** #311 “*He Giveth More Grace*”

Call to Worship: *Psalm 29* (KJV)

** **Opening Hymn** #479 “*God Leads Us Along*”

** **Invocation**

Congregational Prayer of Confession (Bulletin Insert)

We pray to be cleansed by God:

** #410 “*Cleanse Me*”

Scripture: *Genesis 6:9-14; 7:6-12; 8:14, 18-22; 9:11-17 & Matthew 8:24-27* (KJV)

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

We tell Jesus that to know Him excels all:

** #572 “*Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending*”

Message: *Jesus calms the storm*

We prepare our hearts for Communion:

** #265 “*Let Us Break Bread Together*”

Responsive Reading (See Bulletin Insert)

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

** **Closing Hymn:** “*In Christ Alone*” (See Bulletin Insert)

** **Benediction:** *Hebrews 11:5-10* (NAS)

** **Postlude:** “*Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down*” (Bulletin Insert)

** Congregation Please Stand

We welcome you to our time of worship this morning. Thanks for being with us today!

People arriving after 10:15 are encouraged to join in singing to the Lord, or to focus on the Lord by reflecting on the words of the songs, or otherwise communing with God.

This Week at the Church

Thursday 3:00 PM -- *Prayer in the parlor*

Saturday 10:00 AM -- *Olde Home Day*

Sunday 9:30 AM -- *Music Team Practice*

10:30 AM -- *Sunday Morning Worship*

The call of Abraham

The Bible Study on ‘*The Life of Christ*’ is every Wednesday at the church at 6:00 PM. There are handouts with the texts and discussion questions. It will also be available via Zoom for those who want to participate that way. The link will be sent to all who request it at: glkiontke@aol.com.

Olde Home Day is Saturday in the Park: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. See September *Vestry Voices*.

We are giving people the opportunity to worship virtually.

Go to: www.facebook.com/pg/FCCClintonMA at 10:27 AM on Sunday mornings to watch the worship service live. The video of the service is also available to watch at any time.

A video of our worship (on a one week delay) airs on Comcast (Xfinity) Clinton channels 8 and 99 on Mondays at 8:00 PM, Tuesdays at 6:30 AM, and Sundays at 5:30 AM.

To listen to last week's sermon: Go to fccclintonma.org. On the left hand side go to ‘Blog Postings’ and click on ‘Sunday Services’. Under ‘Sunday Service – month, day, year’ hit the prompt ‘Continue Reading ->’. This will bring up PDFs of the Bulletin and Sermon Outline as well as two audios. Click on the big arrow on the left and it will start to play.

After the flood, the promise

*Genesis 6:9-14; 7:6-12; 8:14, 18-22; 9:11-17 &
Matthew 8:24-27*

Ten times ‘these (are the) generations’ appears in *Genesis*:

1. of the heavens and the earth when they were created (2:4)
2. of Adam (5:1)
3. of Noah (6:9)
4. of Shem, Ham, and Japheth, the sons of Noah (10:1)
5. of Shem (11:10)
6. of Terah (Terah became the father of Abram – 11:27)
7. of Ishmael, Abraham’s son (25:12)
8. of Isaac, Abraham’s son (25:19)
9. of Esau (that is, Edom – 36:1)
10. of Jacob (37:2)

Text for the week:

Then God said, ‘Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; and let them rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky and over the cattle and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth’. And God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them. And God blessed them; and God said to them, ‘Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it; and rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky, and over every living thing that moves on the earth’.

Genesis 1:26-28 (NAS)