

FIRST READING

John 18:2-11 (page 904)

SECOND READING

Romans 8:27-39 (page 944)

PRAYER BEFORE THE SERMON

SERMON

THE CREED

SONG

Bóg Abrahama znał (The God of Abraham Praise)

QUIET PRAYER TIME

(Silence is kept) Prayer time is a good time for worshippers to reflect on the Word that they heard preached during the service. Use this time for prayer or to think about what you have heard or experienced. A light music may be played in the background. Prayer time will be concluded by the Lord's prayer cited by all in Polish.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in Heaven...

CLOSING SONG

Niepojęty (Indescribable)

OFFERING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

The LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Amen, Amen, Amen

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PRAISE POINTS

1. Let us thank God for the ability to freely gather together for morning services.

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAYER FOR THE SICK AND NEEDY

1. Sashko's, Dave's, Anna's, Leana's health.
2. Everyone who is suffering from the coronavirus infection around the world. May God be with them, bless them and comfort them. And also may God give wisdom to scientists who are working on researches about this virus, so that there will be effective means to fight against this virus developed as soon as possible.
3. For the health of a pastor from Kirill's hometown.
4. For Leana's grandmother's health.
5. For Larysa, Sashko's mother effective treatment.
6. Artur's and Tatyana's parent's health.
7. Serhi's mother's health who has just had an operation where there were complications and his father's health who has pneumonia.

PRAYER FOR STUDENTS AND WORKER

1. For Dave's work and for safe travels.
2. Also for God's blessing for Daniela and the child.
3. For Lewis to make a wise decision regarding his future studies.
4. For the Love God Greatly ministry which will be translated into Russian.
5. Preparations for the mums and toddlers group.
6. For good relationships between the young people in our Church and their parents.
7. For wise decisions for Kirill and for a safe trip..
8. An unmentioned request for Bogdan and for looking for work.
9. Leana's preparation for the USMLE exam.
10. For Arturr, Tatyana and their children's work. Also for Uzbekistan and the Sharakhomiv family's relatives as the Covid-19 situation is bad over there.
11. For Pavel and Emily, for progress with their flat renovation.
12. For Karina, for wisdom at work.
13. For Serhii and Daniela's mortgage
14. Blessing in finding a house for Ania and Sashko and for wise decisions.
15. For Pavel's work and for time management.

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

1. Pray for more church workers for our fellowship and a university student ministry.
2. Let us pray for the successful printing of the books „Gay Girl Good God” and „Can Man Live Without God”.
3. For the publishing of John Calvin's "Institutes" into Polish.

OTHER

1. Pray for unity among all Reformed churches in Poland. Pray for the Presbyterian Church in Poland to come to existence.
2. For the leaders of the countries around the world, for wisdom in making decisions amidst the covid-19 pandemic.

UPCOMING EVENTS

11 / 08

Prayer meeting (in Polish)

Tuesday, 19.00

13 / 08

Catechism study (in Polish)

Thursday, 17.30

13 / 08

Bible Study in English – Book of Romans

Thursday, 19.00

Smolki 8

16 / 08


Morning service in Polish (with English translation)

Sunday, 11.00

Smolki 8

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KOŚCIÓŁ

CHRYSTUSA ZBAWICIELA

9th August 2020 (9th Sunday after Holy Trinity)

Welcome to all worshippers this evening to Christ the Saviour Presbyterian Church in Krakow. As you enter the sanctuary, please feel free to greet one another. When the prelude begins let us quietly prepare for the worship of God. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, please allow us to get to know you better by staying for tea and coffee after the service.

Reflection before the service

CONFESSION OF SINS

A moment of silence is followed by this corporate prayer:

All: Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbour and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and turn them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

SONG – Chwalże ma duszo mocarza (Praise to the Lord, the Almighty)

RESPONSIVE READING

Celebrant: I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up and have not let my foes rejoice over me.

All: O LORD my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.

Celebrant: O LORD, you have brought up my soul from Sheol; you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.

All: Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.

Celebrant: For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

All: As for me, I said in my prosperity, "I shall never be moved."

Celebrant: By your favor, O LORD, you made my mountain stand strong; you hid your face; I was dismayed.

All: To you, O LORD, I cry, and to the Lord I plead for mercy:

Celebrant: Hear, O LORD, and be merciful to me! O LORD, be my helper!

All: You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; you have loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness,

Celebrant: O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever!

-Psalm 30 (ESV)