



Lutheran Brethren Church of Nampa

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Order of Service - October 4, 2015

Prelude

Announcements

Call to Worship

Psalm 40:1-3

I waited patiently for the LORD and He inclined to me and heard my cry.
He brought me up out of the pit of destruction, out of the miry clay, and
He set my feet upon a rock making my footsteps firm. He put a new song
in my mouth, a song of praise to our God; many will see and fear and will
trust in the LORD.

Praise Chorus

*Hymn #25 *Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above*

Scripture Reading David Schutte

Prayer

Special Music PreK Sunday School Class

*Hymn #270 *O Let Your Soul Now Be Filled with Gladness*

Offering

*Hymn #334 *Be Still, My Soul*

Sermon 1 John 2:7-14 Pastor Jeremy Wilson
The Old and the New of Christ

*Hymn #497 *O Zion, Haste*

*Benediction

*Doxology #39

* = Please stand as you are able

Opportunities This Week

Today	3:30 p.m.	LBYF
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Young Ladies' Bible Study at Siska's
Wednesday	1:30 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Family Fellowship and Kid's Bible Club
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School All Ages
	10:45 a.m.	Worship Service
	3:30 p.m.	LBYF

Announcements

- **Harvest Party** will be on **October 25**.
- **November 1st** will be our **Harvest Festival**. Included will be a turkey dinner after the service. Turkey and beverages will be provided, please bring a dish to share. We will also be taking up a special Harvest Festival offering.
- **Directory Update:** Please change the Pauley's phone number with Larry's cell number: 369-7878.
- **Women's Retreat** is set for **October 16-18 at Pastor Tjelta's cabin**. Please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board near the sanctuary.

Let Us Pray...

- For Larry Siebold, Robin VanHouten, and Jamie Miller who are all in need of healing.
- For our Christian brothers and sisters who are facing persecution in the Middle East and around the world.
- Please pray for Erin Kleveland and her family as she continues to struggle with a persistent illness.
- For those unable to attend this morning.
- That people in our community would be brought to saving faith through the witness of each of us here at the Lutheran Brethren Church of Nampa.

Do you have an announcement or prayer request you'd like printed in the bulletin? Email pastorjeremywilson@gmail.com and we'll be sure to include it.

What does the text say?

What does John say are some examples of loving the world? (v. 15)

What does John say is the exact opposite of loving the world? (vv. 15, 17)

What (or *who*) is our protection against the lies of the antichrists? (vv. 20–21, 23–24)

What does the text mean?

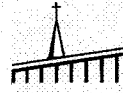
How is loving the world contrary to God and the calling we have as Christians? (see John 15:19; Romans 12:2–5; Galatians 1:9–14; James 3:13–18)

What is the purpose of loving God instead of the world? (Reflect on the verses above, see also John 4:13–26, 15:1–11; 1 Peter 1:3–5, also 6–9)

What gives us comfort and courage as we are faced with those who teach lies instead of truth? (see v. 20, also John 6:53–58, 7:15–18, 10:25–30; 1 Peter 1:3–5; John 14:25–27)

What does the text do?

I'm sure there have been times when your flesh has tugged you towards loving the world. What has turned your eyes toward God during those times?



“The Old and the New of Christ”

The Old Commandment

Hate Is Fatal

The Old Commandment Made New

Cross-References:

- John 13:33-35; Leviticus 19:16–18; Romans 12:9–17 – The old new commandment
- Matthew 5:43–48; John 15:20–27; James 2:14–19 – The danger of hate and the triumph of love