

## SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

# ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP of GOD

July 14, 2013

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE: "Crown Him with Many Crowns" ...... M. Bridges

**†**RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 100..... Richie Sessions

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness!

### Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God!

It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

### Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him; bless his name!

# For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

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stanzas 1, 2 & 4

#### **†**PRAYER OF ADORATION

♥GREETINGS AND AN		Todd Erickson
SERMON	Gunning for God:	John Lennox

# Why the New Atheists are Missing the Target

Jesus, with Thy church abide, be her Savior, Lord, and Guide, While on earth her faith is tried: we beseech Thee, hear us. We beseech Thee, hear us.

Keep her life and doctrine pure; grant her patience to endure, Trusting in Thy promise sure: we beseech Thee, hear us. We beseech Thee, hear us.

May she one in doctrine be, one in truth and charity, Winning all to faith in Thee: we beseech Thee, hear us. We beseech Thee, hear us.

May she guide the poor and blind, seek the lost until she find, And the broken-hearted bind: we beseech Thee, hear us. We beseech Thee, hear us.

May she holy triumphs win, overthrow the hosts of sin, Gather all the nations in: we beseech Thee, hear us. We beseech Thee, hear us.

 •BENEDICTION ......Cole Huffman

Immediately following the service, all are invited for refreshments and fellowship in the lobby. After a 10 minute break, please join us in the Sanctuary for a Q&A session with John Lennox.

### SERMON NOTES

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John Lennox, Professor of Mathematics at Oxford University, is an internationally renowned speaker on the interface of science, philosophy, and religion. He has written a series of books exploring the relationship between science and Christianity and has also participated in a number of televised debates with some of the world's leading atheist thinkers. Learn more at johnlennox.org.

**Hear More:** Lennox will speak on the topic "God: Fact or Fiction. Is Revelation Reliable?" tomorrow morning at 6:15 in the Fellowship Hall at Independent Presbyterian Church. Breakfast will be served; tickets will be available at the door. A final lecture will be given at the Garrett Auditorium at Baptist Memorial Hospital East at noon tomorrow on the topic "The God Particle: Has Physics Made God Unnecessary?" No ticket is needed for the final lecture.