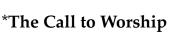
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP | THE LORD'S DAY | APRIL 17, 2022 | 10:45 A.M.

The Announcements

Please submit your prayer requests and/or record your attendance at worship with us:



~ God's People Respond to His Call to Worship ~

*The Hymn of Praise No. 277....."(Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

*The Prayer of Adoration

*The Confession of FaithThe Heidelberg Catechism No. 45

Q. How does Christ's resurrection benefit us?

A. First, by his resurrection he has overcome death, so that he might make us share in the righteousness he obtained for us by his death. Second, by his power we too are already raised to a new life. Third, Christ's resurrection is a sure pledge to us of our blessed resurrection.

~ God Calls His People to Confess Their Sins ~

What fruit were you getting at that time from the things of which you are now ashamed? For the end of those things is death...The wages of sin is death.

Our great and glorious God, you know and judge the secrets of every human heart. We do acknowledge and confess that we have followed our father Adam in revolting against your commandments. We have turned from your ways and from your blessed Presence and have reaped the misery of turning away from You, the very Author of life.

None of us is righteous, no not one; none of us has understanding, none of us seeks God; Our throats are open graves; we use our tongues to deceive; Our

mouths are full of cursing and bitterness; our feet are swift to shed blood; ruin and misery are in our paths, and the way of peace we have not known. We have too little fear of you and too little love for you. We appeal to you, through your great mercy made manifest in Jesus Christ Your obedient Son, that you would forgive our sins for His sake, that you

would make many righteous through His one act of obedience, and that where our sin has increased, Your grace would abound. Just as Christ was raised from the dead by your glory, so also may we walk in newness of life in Him.

The Silent Confession

The Confession of Sin

~ God Answers His People and Speaks in the Scripture ~

If in Christ we have hope in this life only, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of

those who have fallen asleep. For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive.

~ We Respond to God's Grace with Offerings of Ourselves and Our Needs ~

*The Psalm of Thanksgiving No. 118....."Now Open Wide the Gates"

I tell you this, brothers: flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. Behold! I tell you a mystery.

We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed. For this perishable body must put on the imperishable, and this mortal body must put on

The Great Prayer

immortality.

*The Psalm No. 27....."The Lord is My Light" (page 4)



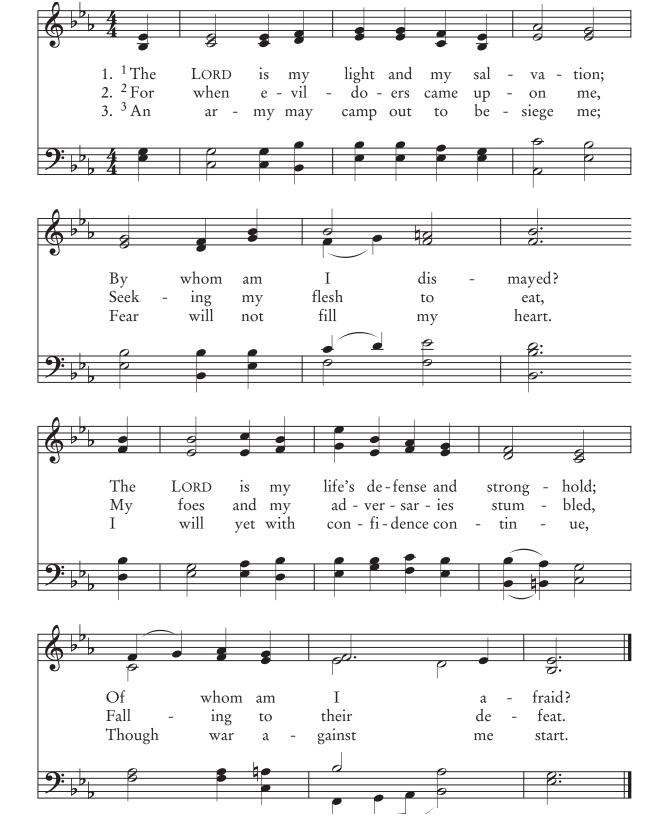
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17. ²⁷The LORD is God and He to us

18. ²⁸ You are my God, I'll give You thanks; My God, I'll give you praise.

29 O thank the LORD, for He is good; His love lasts endless days.

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| The Sermon | | | | | |
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| "Sabbath, Trinity, Resurrection" John 5:16-29 Light in the Darkness No. 22 p. 837 | | | | | |
| | SERMON NOTES | | | | |
| i. <u>Intro</u> | duction | | | | |
| A. Ti | n Argument he Conflict (vv. 16-18) Opposition (v. 16) a. What do people often miss about Jesus' miracles? | | | | |
| | b. Why is the leadership persecuting Jesus? | | | | |
| 2. | Answer (v. 17): Why does Jesus not simply say, but answer them? | | | | |
| | a. What does Jesus not say in reply to His accusers here? | | | | |
| | b. What does the Lord insist in His reply? | | | | |
| | c. How did God rest on the Sabbath day? | | | | |
| 3. | Conspiracy (v. 18) a. Why is it provocative for Jesus to refer to God as "my Father?" | | | | |
| | b. Did Jesus break the Sabbath? Why does it matter? | | | | |
| 4. | Application: The Lord Jesus Christ observed the Sabbath Day. | | | | |

- B. The Son (vv. 19-24) 1. The Communion (v. 19): What do the Scriptures set forth regarding the Divine Son and the Father? a. What is meant by the Ontological Trinity versus the Economic Trinity? b. Application: The Lord Jesus Christ is fully able to reveal the Father 2. The Work of the Son (vv. 19b-24) a. The Perfect Son (v. 19) b. The Beloved (v. 20) c. The Giver of Life (v. 21) d. The Judge (vv. 22-24)
 - 3. <u>Application</u>: The Refuge from Judgment is the Lord Jesus Christ alone.

C. The Judge (vv. 25-29)

between His first and second advents?

a. When Jesus speaks of the "Son of God" in John's Gospel, what is the

1. The Voice (vv. 25-26): Where else has Jesus spoken about the tension

b. For whom has Christ received everything the Father has given Him?

focus of His teaching? Why is that significant?

2. The Son of Man (v. 27): How is this title used in the Old Testament?

- 3. The Resurrection (vv. 28-29) a. How does the Son of Man have authority over the grave? b. Is Christ preaching a salvation by works? c. Application 1) Encouragement for those who have done good... 2) Warning for those who have done evil...
- 3) Comfort for those who hear His voice...

III. Conclusion

~ God's People Respond in Praise ~ *The Hymn of Commitment No. 274....."Thine Be the Glory" ~ God Blesses His People ~

*The Benediction *The Response No. 735"The Gloria Patri"

Summer Evangelism Emphasis On May 1, 2022 the Lord's Supper will be observed as part of morning worship. Rev. Dr. Henry Krabbendam will be offering a seminar on evangelism after the monthly luncheon. Please consider staying for lunch and joining the seminar.

| | APRIL 2022 FINANCIAL REPORT | |
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| March Income: | \$66,430.25 | Monthly Budget: \$23,816 |
| March Expenses: | \$50,636.02 | 2022 Budget: \$285,793 |
| March Net Income: | \$15,794.23 | |

2022 Incomes: \$99,011.93 2022 Expenses: \$78,963.01 2022 Net Income:

\$21,543.47

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 17, 2022

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MASK POLICY:

The service is live-streamed to the adult Sunday school room for those observing masking and distancing protocols. The last pew is also reserved for those wearing masks.

- + The Lord's Supper will be observed as part of evening worship tonight.
- + After this Lord's Day morning, the Sunday school room will no longer be used to broadcast the service. All are encouraged to join the congregation for worship.
- + Next Lord's Day we will welcome Rev. Ralph Kelley to the pulpit in the morning. He is the Director of Constituent Relations at Covenant College. In evening worship, Elder John Porter will be in the pulpit again.
- + A Sunday school superintendent is needed to help with scheduling and recruiting of teachers for children and adult Christian Education at FPFO. Please see Elder Bowers if interested in serving in this capacity.



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 40TH ANNIVERSARY 1983-2023

To serve on the Celebration Planning Committee, please contact Elder Bosshardt.

| FPFO Weekly Activities Schedule | | | | |
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| The Lord's Day | Wednesday | | | |
| 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Time | 5:55 p.m. Covered-Dish Supper | | | |
| 9:45 a.m. Sunday School | 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting | | | |
| 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship* | 6:30-7:30 p.m. KidsQuest (children) | | | |
| 5:00 p.m. Sermon Broadcast | 6:50-7:30 p.m. Classes & Studies | | | |
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WAAK 94.7 FM The Kings of Israel (adults)* 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship* The Life of David (young men) (excluding First Sundays) Galatians (young women)

*Livestream available at www.fpfo.org/live Children are always welcome in worship, but a nursery is also available for children 3 and under.

Nursery April 17: Rachel Wilson Nursery April 24: Sarah Wilson