# LORD'S DAY CORPORATE WORSHIP

March 24, 2024

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness. —Psalm 29:2

## **WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE**

CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM 118:1-4

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!

Let Israel say,

"His steadfast love endures forever."

Let the house of Aaron say,

"His steadfast love endures forever."

Let those who fear the Lord say,

"His steadfast love endures forever."

# ▶ GLORIA PATRI

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- Invocation
- ► HYMN OF PRAISE The Glorious Gates of Righteousness 118B

#### READING OF THE LAW

ROMANS 12:1-13

I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God,

to present your bodies as a living sacrifice,

holy and acceptable to God,

which is your spiritual worship.

Do not be conformed to this world,

but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.

For by the grace given to me

I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.

For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them:

if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; if service, in our serving;

the one who teaches, in his teaching; the one who exhorts, in his exhortation;

the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal;

the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness.

Let love be genuine.

Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good.

Love one another with brotherly affection.

Outdo one another in showing honor.

Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord.

Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer.

Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

#### CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Remember, O Lord, your great mercy and love, for they are from old.

Remember not the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways;

According to your love remember me for you are good, O Lord.

For the sake of your name, O Lord, forgive my iniquity, though it is great.

Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted.

The troubles of my heart have multiplied; free me from my anguish.

Look upon my affliction and my distress and take away all my sins.

#### SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

# ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LUKE 15:4-7

"What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them,

does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it?

And when he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders, rejoicing.

And when he comes home,

he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, 'Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.'

Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents

than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

► HYMN OF ASSURANCE Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting 479

**CONFESSION OF FAITH** 

APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead and buried;

he descended into hell;

the third day he rose again from the dead;

he ascended into heaven,

and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from thence he shall come to judge

the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

Doxology

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# PASTORAL PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever.

Amen.

► HYMN The Tender Love a Father Has 103D

SCRIPTURE GALATIANS 6:1-6

SERMON "BUT FOR THE GRACE OF GOD"

► HYMN OF RESPONSE Take My Life and Let it Be 538

BENEDICTION

# **UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

❖ Today @ 5:00 p.m. – Corporate Prayer

# **Budget**

Annual Budget to Date:

Annual Income to Date:

Monthly Budget:

Monthly Income to Date:

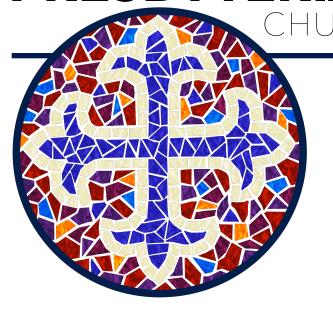
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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3913 Sandalwood Ln **o**: (719) 404-1833 **c**: (719) 242-3679 pastor.matt@covrefpca.org Christian Education: 9:45 Worship: 10:50

# COVENANT REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN



So that in all things God might be glorified through Jesus Christ 1 Peter 4:10-11