

Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, January 19, 2014
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

Let us enter the Sanctuary in a spirit of meditation in preparation for worship.

Welcome – Greeting of the People – Announcements

Prelude

“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring”
organ and brass

Johann Sebastian Bach

***Congregational Introit**

My trust is in the Lord; how can you say to me,
O God, to us show mercy, and bless us in Thy grace;
Cause Thou to shine upon us the brightness of Thy face;
That so Thy way most holy on earth may soon be known,
And unto every people Thy saving grace be shown.

~ Psalm 67:1-2

Missionary Hymn

***Prayer of Invocation and Adoration**

***Hymn of Adoration No. 231**

“Jesus Shall Reign Where E’r the Sun”

Duke Street

***Confession of Faith—The Apostles Creed**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only 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.

***Hymn No. 623—Gloria Patri**

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Sharing of Family News

Sanctity of Life Minute

Lisa Smith

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord’s Prayer

8:00 Rev. Corey Gray

9:30 Dr. Todd Smedley

11:00 Rev. Ron Meyer

Anthem

“Upon This Rock”

John Ness Beck

*Sanctuary Choir; Adam Kunsberg, conductor; Brad Weil, Chris Ferrari, trumpets;
Bryan Bourne, Chris Clark, trombones; Aubrey Adams, timpani*

Upon this rock I will build My church
And the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.
I will give Thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven.
And whatsoever Thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven.
And whatsoever Thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.
Upon this rock I will build My church.

Lo, the winter is past; the rain is over,
The flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds has come.
Arise, and come away.

Upon this rock I will build My church
And the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

(The congregation is invited to stand and join in singing.)

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is His new creation by water and the word;
From heaven He came and sought her to be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her, and for her life He died.

~Matthew 16:18, 19; Song of Solomon 2:11-13

New Testament Reading

Revelation 11:1-15

page 1034, pew Bible

***Hymn No. 12**

“Holy God, We Praise Thy Name”

Grosser Gott

Call for the Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Passing of Friendship Register

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“Alleluia”
organ and brass

Johann Sebastian Bach

Old Testament Reading

2 Samuel 2:12-3:39

pages 255-6, pew Bible

Sermon

“A Bitter Adversary”
3rd in the series, “The King Comes to His Kingdom”

Dr. Robert M. Norris

***Passing of the Peace**

***Hymn**

“Blessing and Honor and Glory and Power ”

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Blessing and honor and glory and power, wisdom and riches and strength evermore,
Be to the Lamb who our battle has won, whose are the kingdom, the crown, and the throne.

Let all the heavens sound forth Jesus’ name; let all the earth sing his glory and fame.
Ocean and mountain, stream, forest, and flower echo these praises and tell of God’s power.

Ever ascending the song and the joy, ever descending the love from on high;
Blessing and honor and glory and praise: this is the theme of the hymns that we raise.

Give we the glory and praise to the Lamb; take we the robe and the harp and the palm;
Sing we the song of the Lamb that was slain, dying in weakness but rising to reign.

Benediction

Postlude

“Prelude in G Major” BWV 550

Johann Sebastian Bach

**Congregation standing.*

Participating Officers:

8:00 Bob Langston

9:30 Chris Thatch

11:00 Doug Nyhus

Elders are available for prayer or ministry at the front of the Sanctuary at the conclusion of each service.

The Sanctuary flowers are given in memory of Robert Stenstrom on the anniversary of his death January 19, 2011.

The morning worship service is broadcast each Sunday at 11:00am locally on WAVA 105.1 FM and worldwide by Internet streaming audio at www.wava.com.

Hearing enhancement units are available for checkout in the Media Center or ask an usher for assistance.

We welcome Brad Weil, Chris Ferrari, Bryan Bourne, Chris Clark and Aubrey Adams to the morning services today, and thank them for sharing their music with us.

Agape & Eucharist Service, 6pm in the Upper Room

“Setting Our Hearts in the Right Place”

Colossians 3:1-4

Dr. Todd Smedley

Next Sunday, January 26, 2014

Morning Service

8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

“Justifying Sin” | 2 Samuel 4:1-12

Dr. Todd Smedley

Deacons Offering will be received at all morning services.

Evening Service

6pm in the Upper Room

“Jesus’ First Days” | Luke 2:21-39

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