

Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, January 11, 2015
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 “O God, Our Help in Ages Past” Paul Manz

***Congregational Introit** Nettleton

Blessed the man that fears Jehovah and that walketh in His ways;
Thou shalt eat of Thy hands’ labor and be prospered all Thy days.
Like a vine with fruit abounding in Thy house Thy wife is found,
And like olive plants Thy children, compassing Thy table round.

~ Psalm 128: 1-3

***Prayer of Invocation and Adoration**

***Hymn of Adoration No. 34** “The God of Abraham Praise” Leoni

***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**

Sacrament of Christian Baptism

11:00am Madeline Elise Myers, daughter of Andrew and Karen Myers

Sharing of Family News

Prayer of Intercession and Lord’s Prayer

Anthem

“Calvary’s Love”
Sanctuary Choir

Greg Nelson and Phill McHugh
arr. Mark Hayes

Calvary’s love will sail forever, bright and shining, strong and free,
Like an ark of peace and safety on the sea of human need.
Through the hours of all the ages those tired of sailing on their own
Finally rest inside the shadow cast by Calvary’s love across their souls.

Calvary’s love, Calvary’s love priceless gift Christ makes us worthy of;
The deepest sin can’t rise above Calvary’s love.

Calvary’s love can heal the spirit life has crushed and cast aside
And redeem til heaven’s promise fills with joy once empty eyes.
So desire to tell His story of Love that loved enough to die
Burns away all other passions and fed by Calvary’s love becomes a fire.

Calvary’s love has never faltered. All its wonders still remain.
Souls still take eternal passage; sins atoned and heaven gained.

New Testament Reading

Luke 9:28-36

page 867, pew Bible

***Hymn No. 414**

“I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say”

Vox Dilecti

Call for the Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Passing of Friendship Register

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“Immortal, Invisible”
Adam Kunsberg, guitar and voice

St. Denio
arr. Adam Kunsberg

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious—Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unchanging, and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;
Thy justice, like mountains, high soaring above
Thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all, life Thou givest—to both great and small,
In all life Thou livest—the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,
And wither and perish—but naught changeth Thee.

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 3:1-6

page 46, pew Bible

Sermon

“A Divine Encounter”
2nd in a series, “The Life of Faith”

Dr. Robert M. Norris

Passing of the Peace

*Hymn

“Speak, O Lord”

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1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You To re - ceive the food of Your Ho - ly Word.
2. Teach us, Lord, full o - be - di - ence, Ho - ly rev - er - ence, true hu - mil - i - ty;
3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us.

Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and fa - shion us in Your like - - - ness; That the
Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes In the ra - di - ance of Your pur - i - ty. Cause our
Truths un - changed from the dawn of time, That will ech - o down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by

light of Christ might be seen to - day In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your ma - jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty.
grace we'll stand on Your prom - is - es; And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.

Speak, O Lord, and ful - fill in us All Your pur - pos - es for Your glo - - - ry.
Words of pow'r that can ne - ver fail; Let their truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built, And the earth is filled with Your glo - ry.

Benediction

Postlude

“Postlude on ‘St. Anne’”

Paul Manz

Participating Officers:

8:00 Skip Gnehm

9:30 Sid Menkis

11:00 Carey Hoobler

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

Sanctuary flowers are a ministry of the Women of Fourth Flower Committee.

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.

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Tonight's Evening Service, 6pm

Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

“House Swept or Word Kept?”

Luke 11:24-38

Dr. Todd Smedley

Next Sunday, January 18

Morning Service

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

“A Call to Service”

Exodus 4:10-17

Dr. Todd Smedley

Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

“The Last Sign”

Luke 11:29-32

Dr. Robert M. Norris

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

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