

Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, January 29, 2017
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

Welcome

Prelude

“The Kind of Love My Shepherd Is”
Fred Markey, organ

arr. Dale Wood

*Congregational Introit

“The Lord’s My Shining Light”
The Lord’s my shining light
And my salvation sure;
Who can fill me with fright
Or move my heart secure?
The Lord’s my stronghold ever near
Of whom then shall I stand in fear?

Darwall

Psalm 27:1

*Call to Worship

*Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn No. 66

“To God Be the Glory”

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Anthem

“God Speaks: The Twin Commandments”
*Covenant Choir; Marilyn Edewaard, director
Jenn Mascott, accompanist; Shari Fast, cello*

Jane Marshall

Choir: Thy word is a lamp to my feet, and a light to my path.

Congregation and Choir:



Thy word is a lamp to my feet, and a light to my path.

Choir: Hear, O Israel, the Lord is your God, the Lord alone.
You shall love the Lord your God
With all your heart and soul and strength,
And you shall love your neighbor as yourself.
You shall love the Lord your God
With all your heart and soul and strength,
And your neighbor, your neighbor as yourself.

Choir alone, then

Congregation and Choir: Thy word is a lamp to my feet, and a light to my path.

Dr. Todd Smedley, *Senior Pastor*; Rev. Corey Gray, Rev. Ron Meyer,
Rev. Thomas Myrick, Dr. Robert Norris, and Rev. Rob Yancey, *Pastors*

Sacrament of Baptism

Sharing of Family News

Prayer of Intercession and Lord's Prayer

8:00 Rev. Rob Yancey

9:30 Rev. Ron Meyer

11:00 Dr. Robert Norris

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Leviticus 19:9-18

pages 97–98, pew Bible

8:00 James Steele

9:30 Jessica Schick

11:00 Linda Rhodes

*Hymn No. 184

“In the Cross of Christ I Glory”

Rathbun

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

8:00 Skip Gnehm

9:30 Peter Beukema

11:00 Dirk Rankin

Offertory

“Lead, Kindly Light”

John B. Dykes
arr. Mack Wilberg

Sanctuary Choir

Cynthia Keith, flute; Phil Sargeant, oboe;

Lynn Rechel, clarinet; Eric Sabatino, harp

Lead, kindly Light, amid the encircling gloom; lead thou me on!

The night is dark, and I am far from home; lead thou me on!

Keep thou my feet; I do not ask to see

The distant scene one step enough for me.

I was not ever thus, nor prayed that thou shouldst lead me on.

I loved to choose and see my path; but now, lead thou me on!

I loved the garish day, and, spite of fears,

Pride ruled my will. Remember not past years.

So long thy power hast blest me, sure it still will lead me on
Over moor and fen, over crag and torrent, till the night is gone.

And with the morn those angels smile,

Which I have loved long since, and lost awhile!

Lead thou me on!

~John Henry Newman

*11:00am—Hymn No. 624—Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

New Testament Reading

1 John 2:7-14

page 1021, pew Bible

Sermon

“Love and Light”

Dr. Todd Smedley

4th in a series on the Book of 1 John

*Hymn No. 1

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Hymn to Joy

*Benediction

***Passing of the Peace**

Postlude

“Hymn to Joy”

arr. Paul Manz

* *Congregation standing, if able*

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

The Sanctuary flowers are given by Jeff Whitesel in memory of his wife, Mary.

**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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Celebrating Children

A Word to Our Worshipers and Parents of Our Young Children

The presence of children is a gift to the Church and a reminder of our God's covenant faithfulness.

We want to be a congregation that welcomes our children and gives a smile of encouragement to their parents.

Remember that the way we respond to children in church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, and to one another. Let them know that they are at home in this house of worship.

So parents, relax! God put the wiggle in your children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome!

- Quietly explain the parts of the service and actions of the pastors, ushers, choir, etc.
- Sing the hymns, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn to worship by watching and following you.
- If you have to leave the service with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. As Jesus said, “Let the children come to me.”

Tonight's Evening Service

6:00pm

"Sinners Saved"

Hebrews 1:1-4

Dr. Robert Norris

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

Next Sunday, February 5

Morning Service

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

"Why Love What's Passing Away?"

1 John 2:15-27

Dr. Todd Smedley

Evening Service

6:00pm

"Better than Angels"

Hebrews 1:5-14

Rev. Thomas Myrick

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

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