

# Fourth

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, August 20, 2017  
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

## Welcome

### Prelude

“Amazing Grace”  
*Matt Marsala, Mark Elliott, trumpet;*  
*Kelly Elliott, horn; Rich Simons, trombone*

traditional arr. Jari Villaneuva

### \*Congregational Introit

“Let Hearts That Seek the Lord Rejoice”  
Let hearts that seek the Lord rejoice,  
His holy name adore.  
O seek Jehovah and his strength,  
His face seek evermore.

Richmond

~Psalm 105:3-4

### \*Call to Worship

### \*Prayer of Invocation

### \*Hymn No. 10

“O Worship the King”

Lyons

### \*Westminster Larger Catechism

Q. 180 What is it to pray in the name of Christ?

**A. To pray in the name of Christ is, in obedience to his command, and in confidence on his promises, to ask mercy for his sake; not by bare mentioning of his name, but by drawing our encouragement to pray, and our boldness, strength, and hope of acceptance in prayer, from Christ and his mediation.**

Q. 181 Why are we to pray in the name of Christ?

**A. The sinfulness of man, and his distance from God by reason thereof, being so great, as that we can have no access into his presence without a mediator; and there being none in heaven or earth appointed to, or fit for, that glorious work but Christ alone, we are to pray in no other name but his only.**

### 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.

### Sharing of Family News

### Prayer of Intercession and Lord's 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 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** Jeremiah 29:10–14 page 656, pew Bible  
8:00 Rebecca Sparks Korossy  
9:30 Emily King  
11:00 Al Wong

**\*Hymn No. 204** “Rock of Ages” New City Fellowship

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings**  
8:00 Steve Liston 9:30 Bob Langston 11:00 Todd Ramsey

**Offertory** “Clean” Natalie Grant

*Lisa Jefferys, soprano; Brian Alvarez, piano*

I see shattered, you see whole.  
I see broken, but you see beautiful,  
And you’re helping me to believe.  
You’re restoring me piece by piece.

*There’s nothing too dirty, that you can’t make worthy.  
You wash me in mercy, I am clean.*

What was dead now lives again.  
My heart’s beating, beating inside my chest.  
Oh, I’m coming alive with joy and destiny  
‘Cause you’re restoring me piece by piece.

Washed in the blood of your sacrifice,  
Your blood flowed red and made me white.  
My dirty rags are purified, I am clean.

**New Testament Reading** Matthew 7:7–12 page 812, pew Bible

**Sermon** “Ask, Seek, Knock” Rev. Thomas Myrick  
*17th in a series on the Sermon on the Mount*

**\*Hymn No. 42** “Seek Ye First” Lafferty

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude** “Sinfonia” Johann Sebastian Bach

\* *Congregation standing, if able*

*An Elder and Womens Ministry representative are available for prayer or ministry at the front of the Sanctuary at the conclusion of each service.*

*The Sanctuary flowers are a ministry of the 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](http://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

"Building Upon the Foundation of Christ"

*Hebrews 10:19-25*

Rev. Ron Meyer

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.*

## **Stewardship & Finance**

### **GENERAL GIVING**

Annual Budget	\$ 4,706,216
Year to Date Received	\$ 2,490,192

## **Next Sunday, August 27**

### **Morning Service**

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

"Gates and Trees"

*Matthew 7:13-20*

Dr. Todd Smedley

### **Evening Service**

6:00pm

"The Worshipper Who Angers God"

*Hebrews 10:26-31*

Rev. Thomas Myrick

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.*

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