

# Fourth

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, November 12, 2017  
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

Welcome

Prelude

“No Greater Joy”  
*James Steele, alto saxophone, Esther Steele, piano*

Kurt Kaiser

\*Congregational Introit

“O Thank the Lord”  
O thank the Lord; on his name call.  
His deeds tell peoples all.  
O sing to him, sing psalms to him,  
His wonders all recall.  
He only is the Lord our God;  
His judgments fill the land.  
He keeps in mind his covenant  
That it may always stand.  
  
~Psalm 105:1-2, 7-8

Ellacombe

\*Call to Worship

\*Prayer of Invocation

\*Hymn No. 402

“The Solid Rock”

Melita

Anthem

“From the Rising of the Sun”  
*Covenant Choir; Jenn Mascott, piano; Marilyn Edewaard, director  
Timothy Heiser, treble*

Robert Powell

From the rising of the sun unto its going down  
The name of the Lord shall be great among all people;  
And in ev'ry place, incense shall be offer'd up unto the name of the Lord.  
For his name shall be great, shall be great among all nations.

*Malachi 1:11/Psalm 113:3*

\*Declaration 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.

9:30am—Second Grade Children's Bible Presentations

Paige Malkus

Sharing of Family News

**Prayer of Intercession and Lord's Prayer**

8:00 Dr. Robert Norris

9:30 Rev. Ron Meyer

11:00 Rev. Thomas Myrick

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.

**New Testament Reading**

Romans 5:12-21

page 942, pew Bible

8:00 Emily Abrantes

9:30 Chuck Balch

11:00 Claudia Barnes

**\*Hymn**

**"A Debtor to Mercy Alone"**

Trewen



1. A debt - or to mer - cy a - lone, of  
2. The work which His good - ness be - gan, the  
3. My name from the palms of His hands e -



cov - e - nant mer - cy I sing; Nor fear, with Thy  
arm of His strength will com - plete; His pro - mise is  
ter - ni - ty will not e - rase; Im - pressed on His



right - eous - ness on, my per - son and of - fring to  
Yea and A - men, and ne - ver was for - feit - ed  
heart it re - mains, in marks of in - del - i - ble



bring. The ter - rors of law and of God with  
yet. Things fu - ture, nor things that are now, nor  
grace. Yes, I to the end shall en - dure, as



me can have noth - ing to do; My Sav - ior's o -  
all things be - low or a - bove, Can make Him His  
sure as the earn - est is giv'n; More hap - py, but



be - dience and blood hide all my trans - gres - sions from view.  
pur - pose for - go, or se - ver my soul from His love.  
not more se - cure, the glo - ri - fied spi - rits in Heav'n.

**Giving of Tithes and Offerings**

8:00 Dirk Rankin

9:30 Peter Beukema

11:00 Doug Nyhus

**Offertory**

“Calvary’s Love”

Greg Nelson and Phill McHugh

*Sanctuary Choir; Jennifer Logan, flute; Phil Sargeant, oboe; David Cheo, clarinet;  
Daniel Mears, timpani; Traci Klemm, piano*

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.

**\*11:00—Hymn No. 624—Doxology**

*(We invite children K-3rd grade to come forward during the singing of the Doxology. If you are a visitor or new to our church, please accompany your child to meet the Children’s Church leaders.)*

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.

**11:00—Prayer for Children and Dismissal (K-3rd grade)**

**Old Testament Reading**

Genesis 2:4–17

page 2, pew Bible

**Sermon**

“God’s Covenant with Humanity”  
6th in the series: “Great Reformation Texts”

Dr. Todd Smedley

**Hymn**

“Hail to the Lord’s Anointed”

Aurelia

Hail to the Lord’s Anointed, great David’s greater Son!  
Hail in the time appointed, his reign on earth begun!  
He comes to break oppression, to set the captive free;  
To take away transgression, and rule in equity.  
He comes with succor speedy, to those who suffer wrong;  
To help the poor and needy, and bid the weak be strong;  
To give them songs for sighing, their darkness turn to light,  
Whose souls, condemned and dying, are precious in his sight.  
To him shall prayer unceasing, and daily vows ascend;  
His kingdom still increasing, a kingdom without end.  
The tide of time shall never, his covenant remove;  
His name shall stand forever; that name to us is love.

**\*Passing of the Peace**

**Benediction**

**Postlude**

“Toccatina in F (BWV 540)”

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.*

*Sanctuary flowers are a ministry of the Flower Committee.*

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## **Tonight's Evening Service**

6:00pm

"Loving the Brethren"

*Hebrews 13:1-6*

Dr. Robert Norris

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

## **Stewardship & Finance**

### **GENERAL GIVING**

Annual Budget	\$ 4,706,216
Year to Date Received	\$ 3,453,413

## **Next Sunday, November 12**

### **Morning Service**

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

"God's Covenant with Israel"

*Galations 4:15-29*

Dr. Todd Smedley

### **Evening Service**

6:00pm

"Living at Jesus' Feet"

*Hebrews 13:7-19*

Rev. Thomas Myrick

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

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