

Morning Worship

March 24, 2019

Please mute cell phones and other electronic devices.

Welcome and Announcements

Quiet Preparation and Prayer

Prelude

Call to Worship

Psalm 135:1-4
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Hymn of Praise

The Perfect Wisdom of Our God

The perfect wisdom of our God
Revealed in all the universe:
All things created by His hand
And held together at His command.
He knows the mysteries of the seas,
The secrets of the stars are His;
He guides the planets on their way
And turns the earth through another day.

The matchless wisdom of His ways
That mark the path of righteousness;
His word a lamp unto my feet,
His Spirit teaching and guiding me.
And O the mystery of the cross,
That God should suffer for the lost,
So that the fool might shame the wise,
And all the glory might go to Christ!

O grant me wisdom from above,
To pray for peace and cling to love,
And teach me humbly to receive
The sun and rain of Your sovereignty.
Each strand of sorrow has a place
Within this tapestry of grace;
So through the trials I choose to say:
"Your perfect will in Your perfect way."

Prayer of Invocation

Reading of the Law

Leviticus 19:1-4, 11-18
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Public Confession

Based on Daniel 9:4-5, 7-10

O Lord, You are the Great and Awesome God. You keep covenant and mercy with all those who love You and obey Your holy law. We come before You this morning as Your sinful children, those who have committed iniquity and lived in rebellion.

We have departed from your laws and judgments in thought, word and deed. O Lord, righteousness belongs to You, but to us shame of face. We plead with You, pardon our unfaithfulness and forgive our sins. This we ask in the name of our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.
AMEN!

Assurance of Pardon

1 John 1:8-10
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Hymn

Trinity Hymnal No. 254

Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

"Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine."
Proverbs 3:9-10

Offertory

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise Him, all creatures here below!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly hosts!
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.*

Pastoral Prayer

Reading of God's Word

Acts 2:42-47
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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!
All: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Rev. Todd Matocha

"The Church that Cares"

Hymn of Response

Oh, How Good It Is

Benediction

Postlude

Hearing assistance is available by asking one of the ushers.

All songs covered by or used under CCLI #124

Sermon Notes

Rev. Todd Matocha
March 24, 2019

The Church that Cares
Acts 2:42-47

MSPC Vision Statement

**"Spreading a delight in God's great glory
by proclaiming Christ's precious Cross."**

Mission Statement #3: Community

God the Father has united us to His Son, Christ Jesus, through the work of the Holy Spirit, and brought us into a lively communion with Himself. Therefore, we are committed to being a Christ centered community, patterning our lives after the perfect community enjoyed by God in the Trinity, and extended to us in Christ through the gospel. As part of this commitment we seek, through active elder and diaconal work, to care for the spiritual and physical needs of our members and our neighbors. Historically, the church has referred to this practice as the Communion of Saints.

FAMILY WORSHIP HELPS

Question: *Into what estate did the fall bring mankind?*
Answer: *The fall brought mankind into an estate of sin and misery.*

Monday: Scripture: Genesis 3:14-19
 Key Thought: The fall has brought mankind under God's curse.

Tuesday: Scripture: Ephesians 4:17-32
 Key Thought: Sin has brought a curse upon the mind of man.

Wednesday: Scripture: Jeremiah 17:9-10; Matthew 15:1-20
 Key Thought: Sin has brought a curse upon the heart of man.

Thursday: Scripture: Romans 1:28-32; Psalm 110:3
 Key Thought: Sin has brought a curse upon the will of man.

Friday: Scripture: Galatians 5:16-26
 Key Thought: Sin has brought a curse upon the affections of man.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE MISSIONARIES
 AND ORGANIZATIONS WE SUPPORT**

Through Faith Promise: Bill & Bobbie Boggess, Larry Brown, Jack & Nell Chinchen, Dale & Susan Ellison, Elliot Everett, Doug Hudson, Clete Hux, Bob McPherson, Clarke Norton, Richard Pratt, Wiley & Karon Smith, Bill Schweitzer, Rekindle Children's Hope, Christina Thomas, Linda Wixon, Andy Young

Through Tithes and Offerings: Bethany Christian Services, Covenant Presbytery, Helping Hands, Life Choices Pregnancy Center, Mission to North America, Palmer Home for Children, PCA Christian Education and Publications, PCA Administration, PCA Mid-South Church Plant, Reformed Theological Seminary, RUF General Fund

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Evening Service

WIC at Night...HeBrews at 6:30 on Tuesday, April 2

Wednesday Activities... Supper will be at 5:30 and fried chicken is on the menu. Don't forget your sides. All Bible studies will begin at 6:00.

Weekly Prayer Meeting...Join us at Noon on Thursday, March 28

The last **Congregational Luncheon** for the spring will be April 7.

Security Team Training...The MSPC Security Team will conduct a series of training classes for new team members later this Spring. We ask that men who are interested in becoming part of the security team to prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve the Church. Please contact Roger Day for further information. (662) 312-2326 or rogerd@betterbrands.net.

Main Street Christian School...Registration is open for children ages 2 – 4 years old and will remain open until the classes are full. Please share this information with your family and friends.

Faith Promise Pledge

Our annual pledge drive is underway. Please give prayerful consideration to your commitment to missions in the coming year. Pledges can be made online or by returning a pledge card in the envelopes provided in the pews.

Activities for the Week

Sunday, March 24, 2019

9:00 a.m. Officers' Prayer Meeting
 9:15 a.m. Adult Sunday School Fellowship Time
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School – All Ages
 10:40 a.m. Morning Worship*.....Sanctuary
No Evening Worship

Wednesday, March 27, 2019

5:30 p.m. Church Supper – Menu – Fried Chicken
 6:00 p.m. Children and Youth Activities
 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study and Prayer Time.....Fellowship Hall

Thursday, March 28, 2019

Noon Prayer Meeting

Friday, March 29, 2019

6 – 8:30 Family Movie Night.....Youth Suite

*Nursery Provided

Volunteers

This Week March 24, 2019

Next Week, March 31, 2019

Infant Nursery	Cathy Duncan	Lauren Zarandona
Toddler Nursery	Kitty Brewer	Justin & Ivy Harris
Ushers	Matt White, Thomas Glenn, Patrick Shipp, Mike Meharg, John Hunter Allgood, Jon Watson	Roger Day, Carson Miller, Jay Nail, Gray Flora, Phillip Goodwin, Russ Russell

Church Officers

Ruling Elders

Deacons

Gray Flora, Clerk of Session	Roger Day, Chairman		
Allan Brewer	Gee Allgood	Bill Laws	
Trip Hairston	Justin Harris	Jay Nail	Henry Pilkinton
Ray Kilpatrick	Russ Russell	Patrick Shipp	Ron Simpson
Matt White	Danny Williams	Jon Zarandona	

Church Staff

Todd Matocha Minister
 Pastoral Counseling Hours: Tuesdays 8-5, Wednesdays 8-12
 Please call the office to make an appointment.

Diann Carter Office Administrator
 Church Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:00 – 4:30

Ron Simpson Church Administrator: ronsimpson64@gmail.com
 Colleen Meek Children Ministries Coordinator
 Hours: Tuesday – Friday 10:00 – 4:30
 (Depending on the Weekly Activities)

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