

# Morning Worship

May 12, 2019

*Please mute cell phones and other electronic devices.*

## Welcome and Announcements

## Quiet Preparation and Prayer

## Prelude

## Call to Worship

Psalm 46:1-5  
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## Hymn of Praise

Trinity Hymnal No. 87

*The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want*

## Prayer of Invocation

## Confession of Faith

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 on 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 Ghost, the holy catholic church\*,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*\*universal church*

## Gloria Patri

*Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be,  
world without end.  
Amen, amen.*

## Giving of Tithes and Offerings

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not  
reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful  
giver."  
2 Corinthians 9:7

## Offertory

## Pastoral Prayer

## Hymn

Trinity Hymnal No.634

*Sweet Hour of Prayer*

## Reading of God's Word

James 1  
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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!  
All: **Thanks be to God!**

## Sermon

Rev. Todd Matocha

"Seeking Wisdom"

## Hymn of Response

*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."

## Benediction

## Postlude

*Hearing assistance is available by asking one of the ushers.  
All songs covered by or used under CCLI # 124789*

## Sermon Notes

Rev. Todd Matocha  
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James 1  
Seeking Wisdom

**FAMILY WORSHIP HELPS**

**Question:** *How doth Christ execute the office of a prophet?*  
**Answer:** *Christ executeth the office of a prophet, in revealing to us, by His word and Spirit, the will of God for our salvation.*

**Monday:** Scripture: Deuteronomy 18:15-19  
 Key Thought: Jesus Christ is the perfect prophet.

**Tuesday:** Scripture: John 20:24-31; Isaiah 8:20  
 Key Thought: As prophet, Jesus teaches us by His word.

**Wednesday:** Scripture: John 14:23-26  
 Key Thought: As prophet, Jesus teaches us by His Spirit.

**Thursday:** Scripture: John 15:1-14  
 Key Thought: As prophet, Jesus reveals to us the will of God.

**Friday:** Scripture: 1 Peter 1:10-25  
 Key Thought: As prophet, Jesus reveals to us the way of salvation.

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

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

**Through Tithes and Offerings:** 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 – Community Groups will meet.**

**A New Members Class** will be held on Saturday, May 18, from 9a.m – Noon. If you are interested in joining the church, please contact the church office to sign up for the class. (662-328-2523 / mainstreetpres@gmail.com)

**Weekly Prayer Meeting...**Join us at Noon on Thursday, May 16.

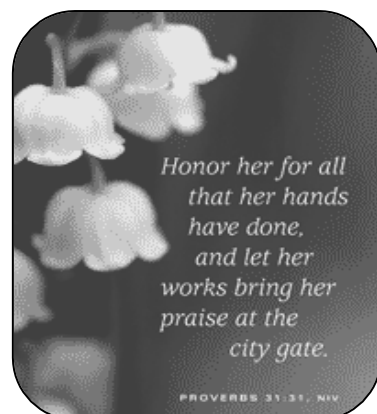
**Happy Hearts...**Ivy Harris and Jen Peacock will be the guests on Tuesday, May 14, at 10:30 a.m.

**Pour Painting** is planned for Saturday, May 18. Space is limited – sign up today!

**Vacation Bible School** will be held Monday, June 3 – Wednesday, June 5, from 9-12 daily. Registration forms are available in the chapel.

**Faith Promise deadline...**As you are in prayerful consideration of your Faith Promise pledges for the year, please be mindful the deadline for returning them is Sunday, May 26. Pledge cards and envelopes are in the pew pockets or you may pledge or donate on the MSPC website.

The flowers are given to the glory of God  
 and in honor and remembrance  
 of our covenant mothers by Mike and Lynda Meharg.



**Activities for the Week**



**Sunday May 12, 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 Service – Community Groups will meet.

**Tuesday, May 14, 2019**  
 10:30 a.m. Happy Hearts.....Fellowship Hall

**Thursday, May 16, 2019**  
 12 (Noon) Prayer Meeting

**Saturday, May 18, 2019**  
 10:00 a.m. Painting with "Miss" Shirley.....MSPC 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor

\*Nursery Provided

**Volunteers**

|                        | <b>This Week, May 12, 2019</b>  | <b>Next Week, May 19, 2019</b>                                       |
|------------------------|---|--|
| <b>Infant Nursery</b>  | Marianne Field  | Cathy Duncan   |
| <b>Toddler Nursery</b> | Janie Williams  | Kitty Brewer   |
| <b>Ushers</b>          | Justin Harris, Henry Pilkinton,<br>Grover Allgood, Bill Laws,<br>Ben Woodson, Stephen Matocha | Roger Day, Gee Allgood,<br>Mike Meharg, Patrick Shipp,<br>Jon Watson |

**Church Officers**

| <u>Ruling Elders</u>         | <u>Deacons</u>            |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 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  
 Colleen Meek Children's Ministries Coordinator  
 Hours: Tuesday – Friday 10:00 –4:30  
 (Depending on the Weekly Activities)

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