
October 2, 2016



sola scriptura
TO THE
sola fide
PRAISE
solus Christus
OF HIS
sola gratia
GLORY
soli Deo gloria

Welcome to the 9th Annual Randolph Street Picnic

May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations. Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you! Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth. Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you! The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, shall bless us. God shall bless us; let all the ends of the earth fear him!

– Psalm 67

CHURCH CALENDAR:

Date		Congregation	
Month	Day	Charleston	Teays Valley
October	1	3rd Annual Cross Roads 5K & 2 Mile Walk For Life @9am – UC Parking Lot Register at www.tristateracer.com	
	2	Annual Church-wide Picnic at Kanawha State Forest @11am Shelters 3–7. Visit Church Website to Signup to Bring Food	
	6	2nd Annual Hope for Appalachia Charity Golf Tournament @Berry Hills Country Club, Register by visiting www.hopeforappalachia.org	
	20	Sojourners' Luncheon @12pm in the Welcome Center	
November	4–5	Appalachia Conference on Theology & the Church w/Dr. Robert Jones	
	6	Combined Gathering in Charleston @10:30am Fundraiser Luncheon for Randolph Street Adoption Fund	
	12	Baby Shower for Andrea Reedy @11am in the Welcome Center	
	17	Sojourners' Luncheon @12pm in the Welcome Center	

Ministry Update:

Please keep Jared Bare and Andrew Dockery in your prayers as the elders engage with these two men through a time of examination and training to serve our body in the office of deacon.

Financial Update

2016 Giving Summary (as of 9/25/16)			
2016 Giving Goals	Giving Goal	Regular Giving	321 Giving
Regular Monthly Budget	\$36,050	\$45,480	\$2,035 MTD
Total Monthly Budget including 321 Expenses	\$49,513		
Regular Yearly Budget	\$432,604	\$418,292	\$35,082 YTD
Total Yearly Budget including 321 Expenses	\$594,154		

Benediction

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Hebrews 13:20–21

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.
Amen.

*Our pastoral staff and elders will be available after the gathering.
We would love to pray for you as you have spiritual or physical needs.*

*The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much.
James 5:16*

Hallelujah! What a Savior!

“Man of Sorrows!” what a name
For the Son of God, who came
Ruined sinners to reclaim.
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Bearing shame and scoffing rude,
In my place condemned He stood;
Sealed my pardon with His blood.
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Guilty, vile, and helpless we;
Spotless Lamb of God was He;
“Full atonement!” can it be?
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Lifted up was He to die;
“It is finished!” was His cry;
Now in Heav’n exalted high.
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

When He comes, our glorious King,
All His ransomed home to bring,
Then anew His song we’ll sing:
Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Congregational Confession Reading:

(From the Heidelberg Catechism)

Question 26: What believest thou when thou sayest, “I believe in God the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth”?

Answer: That the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ (who of nothing made heaven and earth, with all that is in them; who likewise upholds and governs the same by his eternal counsel and providence) is for the sake of Christ his Son, my God and my Father; on whom I rely so entirely, that I have no doubt, but he will provide me with all things necessary for soul and body and further, that he will make whatever evils he sends upon me, in this valley of tears turn out to my advantage; for he is able to do it, being Almighty God, and willing, being a faithful Father.

Creation Sings

Creation sings the Father's song;
He calls the sun to wake the dawn
And run the course of day
Till evening falls in crimson rays.
His fingerprints in flakes of snow,
His breath upon this spinning globe,
He charts the eagle's flight;
Commands the newborn baby's cry.

(Chorus)

Hallelujah! Let all creation stand and sing,
"Hallelujah!" Fill the earth with songs of worship;
Tell the wonders of creation's King.

Creation gazed upon His face;
The ageless One in time's embrace
Unveiled the Father's plan
Of reconciling God and man.
A second Adam walked the earth,
Whose blameless life would break the curse,
Whose death would set us free
To live with Him eternally.

Creation longs for His return,
When Christ shall reign upon the earth;
The bitter wars that rage
Are birth pains of a coming age.
When He renews the land and sky,
All heaven will sing and earth reply
With one resplendent theme:
The glory of our God and King!

All Creatures of Our God and King

All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and with us sing
O praise Him! Allelujah!
Thou, burning sun with golden beam
Thou, silver moon with softer gleam
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Allelujah! Allelujah! Allelujah!

Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness
O praise Him! Allelujah!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son
And praise the Spirit, Three-in-One
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Allelujah! Allelujah! Allelujah!

All the redeemed washed by His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love
O praise Him! Allelujah!
Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on Him
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Allelujah! Allelujah! Allelujah!

He shall return in pow'r to reign
Heaven and earth will join to say
O praise Him! Allelujah!
Then who shall fall on bended knee?
All creatures of our God and King
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Allelujah! Allelujah! Allelujah!

In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found;
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all—

Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save.

Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied;
For ev'ry sin on Him was laid—
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious day,
Up from the grave He rose again!

And as He stands in victory,
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine—
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death—
This is the pow'r of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.

No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home—
Here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

Come Praise and Glorify

Come praise and glorify our God,
the Father of our Lord
In Christ He has in heav'nly realms
His blessings on us poured.
For pure and blameless in His sight
He destined us to be.
And now we've been adopted through
His Son eternally!

(Chorus)

To the praise of Your glory!
To the praise of Your mercy and grace!
To the praise of Your glory!
You are the God who saves!

Come praise and glorify our God,
who gives His grace in Christ.
In Him our sins are washed away,
redeemed through sacrifice.
In Him God has made known to us
the myst'ry of His will.
That Christ should be the head of all,
His purpose to fulfill!

Come praise and glorify our God
for we've believed the Word.
And through our faith we have a seal,
the Spirit of the Lord.
The Spirit guarantees our hope
until redemption's done.
Until we join in endless praise
to God, the Three in One!!!

Let us hear the Word of the Lord

Reading from the Old Testament

Psalm 8

O LORD, our Lord,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory above the heavens.

Out of the mouth of babies and infants,
you have established strength because of your foes,
to still the enemy and the avenger.

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars, which you have set in place,
what is man that you are mindful of him,
and the son of man that you care for him?

Yet you have made him a little lower than the heavenly beings
and crowned him with glory and honor.

You have given him dominion over the works of your hands;
you have put all things under his feet,
all sheep and oxen,
and also the beasts of the field,
the birds of the heavens, and the fish of the sea,
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

O LORD, our Lord,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Reading from the New Testament

Colossians 1:15–20

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

Let us read the Word of the Lord together

Congregational Response

Hebrews 1:1–2

Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, whom he appointed the heir of all things, through whom also he created the world.
