

## Order for the Worship of God

11 A.M.

*“And Jesus said, “I am, and you will see the Son of Man seated at the right hand of Power and coming with the clouds of heaven.”*

~ Mark 14:62

**The Prelude**                      *Meditation*                      Colin Hand

### The Welcome & Exhortation to Worship

**The Introit**                      *Surely the LORD Is in This Place*

\* **The Call to Worship – Hebrews 10:22-23**

\* **Hymn of Praise No. 122**                      *God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory*

\* **The Prayer of Invocation**

\* **The Confession of Faith – Westminster Shorter Catechism #84-86**

Q. What are the decrees of God?

**A. The decrees of God are His eternal purpose, according to the counsel of His will, whereby for His own glory, He hath foreordained whatsoever comes to pass.**

Q. How doth God execute His decrees?

**A. God executes His decrees in the works of creation and providence.**

Q. What are God’s works of providence?

**A. God’s works of providence are, His most holy, wise, and powerful preserving, and governing all His creatures, and all their actions.**

\* **Psalm of Assurance – Psalm 27B**                      ST. MICHAEL

### The Pastoral Prayer

### Choral Response

### The LORD’s Tithes and Our Offerings

(Please sign & pass the registration pad)

**The Offertory**    *All Creatures of Our God and King*    arr. P. L. Harris

\* **The Old Testament Reading – Psalm 35 (pgs. 464-65)**

\* **The Doxology**                      Old Hundredth  
*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.*

**The Anthem**                      *None Other Lamb*                      Craig Courtney  
*None other Lamb, none other Name, none other hope in heav’n or earth or sea. None other hiding place from guilt and shame, none beside Thee. My faith burns low, my hope burns low; only my heart’s desire cries out in me. By the deep thunder of nor home, but Thee. None other Lamb. Love’s fire Thou art, however cold I be: LORD, Thou art life, tho’ I be dead; nor heav’n have I, nor place to lay my head, nor home, but Thee. None other Lamb.*

\* **Hymn of Preparation No. 460**                      *Amazing Grace!*  
(Children K4-1<sup>st</sup> grade dismissed to children’s church)

\* **The New Testament Reading – Mark 14:53-65 (pgs. 851-52)**

**The Sermon**    *Injustice Part 1: Jesus before the Religious Council*  
Rev. Joel Smit

\* **Hymn of Affirmation No. 299**                      *Look, Ye Saints, the Sight Is Glorious*

\* **The Benediction**

\* **The Congregational Chorus Psalm 23:6**                      CRIMOND  
*Goodness and mercy all my life shall surely follow me; and in God’s house forevermore my dwelling place shall be.*

\* **The Postlude**                      *Joyful Jig*                      Patricia Lou Harris

\* The congregation stands.

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH

*LORD’s Day* - 9:15 A.M. - Prayer Time  
9:45 A.M. - Adult & Children Sunday School  
10:30 A.M. - Fellowship Time  
11:00 A.M. - Worship of Almighty God  
6:00 P.M. - Evening worship of Almighty God  
*Monday* - 8:00 P.M. - Men’s Bible study  
*Wednesday* - 5:45 P.M. - Salmon dinner  
6:00 P.M. - WIC Council meeting  
7:00 P.M. - Adult Bible study, King’s Kids  
FACT, Choir Rehearsal  
*Thursday* - 10:00 A.M. - Faithfulness Circle meeting

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL:** On Wednesday, February 28<sup>th</sup> we will have salmon, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, rolls, and dessert for dinner. The cost is \$4 per person with a \$12 cap per family. If you plan to eat dinner, please sign the sign-up sheet.

**MEN’S BIBLE STUDY:** The men’s Bible study will be held tomorrow evening, Monday February 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 p.m. at the home of Matt Hammond.

**WIC COUNCIL:** The WIC Council will meet Wednesday, February 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the conference room.

## MARCH CIRCLE MEETINGS

**Tuesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>—10:00 A.M.**  
Love Circle - Will meet in the church parlor. Nursery is provided.

**Tuesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>—7:15 P.M.**  
Gentleness Circle - Will meet at the home of Page Whitfield.

**Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup>—10:00 A.M.**  
Faithfulness Circle – Will meet in the church parlor.

**Saturday, March 10<sup>th</sup>—8:45 A.M.**  
Kindness Circle - Will meet in the church fellowship hall.

**WEDDING DIRECTORS NEEDED:** The Deacons are looking for SPC members who are willing to serve as wedding directors in accordance with SPC’s new Wedding Policy. The wedding director will assist in organizing wedding ceremonies at the church and will also help ensure that the wedding party adheres to the Wedding Policy. The wedding director will be paid by the wedding party on a per-wedding basis. Please see Matt Ramsey if you are interested.

**SAVE THE DATE: MISSION YARD SALE:** Please save the date for Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup> for our Missions’ yard sale. You can have your own table or contribute items to the SPC table. We are asking that no linens or clothes be donated. More details will follow.

## UPCOMING GREETER SCHEDULE

**February 25<sup>th</sup>**

Church Wing— Tom & Maxine Miller

School Wing— Ralph & Evelyn Canup

**March 4<sup>th</sup>**

Church Wing— Julie Ramsey

School Wing— Howard & Jean Campbell

## UPCOMING NURSERY WORKERS

If you have a conflict, change your date with someone else and contact the staffing coordinator. Please note: You may request a CD for the message preached during your time of service; see the audio team in the sound booth for a copy.

**February 25<sup>th</sup>**

Infant— Page Whitfield/ Leslie Boyd

Toddler— Caroline Wesley/Scott Holland

2’s & 3’s—Leah Thomas/Wayne Hughes

Extra– Buddy Kelly

Floater—Ella Becker

Children’s Church—Paige Crooks

**March 4<sup>th</sup>**

Infant— Anh Ton/Evelyn Canup

Toddler— Britta Lee/Andy Fogarty

2’s & 3’s—Amanda Stevenson/Brandi Kornegay

Extra– Max Thelen

Floater—Lily Becker

Children’s Church—Lilli Hovey

**Elders**  
*Let the elders that rule well be counted worthy of double honor, especially they who labor in the word and doctrine.*  
 ~ I Timothy 5:17

<i>Class of 2018</i>	<i>Class of 2019</i>	<i>Class of 2020</i>
Rob Hines	Rob MacGregor	Dan Hall
John Milberger	David Owen	Bill Pruett
David Stallings		

**Elder Emeritus**  
 Gene Hall    Chip Howell    Don Wilkes

**Deacons**  
*For they that have used the office of a deacon well purchase to themselves a good standing, and great boldness in the faith which is in Christ Jesus. ~ I Timothy 3:13*

<i>Class of 2019</i>	<i>Class of 2020</i>
Dervon Douglas	Mike Becker
Danny Powell	Andy Fogarty
	Buddy Kelly
	Matt Ramsey
	James Wesley

## Evening Worship

6:00 P.M.

*“Then you shall rise up from the ambush and seize the city, for the LORD your God will give it unto your hand.”*

~ Joshua 8:7

The Prelude

The Words of Welcome

\* The Call to Worship

\* The Psalm – 108A

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\* The Prayer of Invocation

\* The Hymn – 667

*God Is My Strong Salvation*

Psalter Reading

Psalm 27 (pgs. 793)

The Offering & Prayer of Dedication

The Offertory

The Evening Prayer

The Hymn – 588

*Who Is on the LORD’s Side?*

\* The Reading of God’s Word

Joshua 8:1-29 (pgs. 183-84)

The Sermon

*Restored: Defeat over Ai*

Rev. Joel Smit

\* Hymn of Thanksgiving – 358

*For All the Saints*

\* The Benediction

The Postlude



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*The ministry of Smyrna Presbyterian Church exists to worship the triune God by preaching, praying, singing, and living the Holy Scripture so as to know Christ as a covenant community of believers and to make Him known in our community and world.*