



YOUNG
MEADOWS

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ORDER of WORSHIP

Sunday, 8:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

March 18, 2018

The Morning Worship of God
The Lord's Day
March 18, 2018
8:15 & 11:00 a.m.

The Traditional Services of Young Meadows Presbyterian Church exist to joyfully worship
the Triune God in Spirit and in Truth.

*We also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom
we have now received reconciliation.*

Romans 5:11 (ESV)

Pre-Service Music

Michael Wutzke, Organist

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

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Bell Toll

Prelude

A Shepherd's Love . . . Buckwalter
Bells of Praise

***Call to Worship**

Matthew 16:16-18 (ESV)

Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah!

For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven.

**And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church,
and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.**

** The congregation is asked to stand for these acts of worship.*

***Invocation and The Lord's Prayer**

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

***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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He arose 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.

Old Testament Reading

Jeremiah 23:1-6 (ESV)

(p. 650; LP 825-826)

Pastoral Prayer

New Testament Reading

Matthew 18:10-14 (ESV)

(p. 823; LP 1046)

Worshipping the Lord With His Tithe and Our Offerings

8:15 a.m. — *Lamb of God* . . . Reim

Joyful Praise; Bonnie Wutzke, Pianist

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world. Have mercy on us. Grant us peace.

The Lord has placed on You the iniquity of all. Have mercy. The chastisement of our peace was upon You.

You were despised, a man of sorrow and acquainted with grief.

You were despised and we esteemed you not. Grant us peace, Lord, grant us peace.

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world. Have mercy on us. Grant us peace.

11:00 a.m. — *Pie Jesu . . .* Webber
Sanctuary Choir; Bonnie Wutzke, Pianist

Pie Jesu, Pie Jesu, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem.
Agnus Dei, Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem, sempiternam.
Merciful Jesus, merciful Jesus, Father, who takes away the sins of the world, grant them rest.
Lamb of God, Lamb of God, Father, who takes away the sins of the world,
grant them everlasting rest.

***Doxology**

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children's Lesson

Children ages 4 through Kindergarten will be escorted to Children's Church in classroom 112.

***Hymn of Preparation**

How Firm a Foundation

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***Hymn of Consecration**

The Solid Rock

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***Benediction**

Postlude

Built On the Rock the Church Doth Stand . . . Hoelty-Nickel
Michael Wutzke, Organist

Sanctuary Flowers

Today's Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God by Judith and Chalmers Bryan.

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Preparation and Reflection

1. What happens when the foundations of a building are destroyed? What materials would make a bad foundation for a physical building? What makes bad spiritual foundations for a church?
2. What type of physical materials are durable and valuable for physical buildings? What type of spiritual materials are strong and beautiful for the church? What spiritual equivalents are there for “wood, hay, and straw?” (See I Corinthians 3:12.)
3. What are some of the tests that try our faith and foundations both individually and as a local church? What is the final test of faith?
4. Does Christ care about His children? What kind of care for His children and punishment to their enemies does God promise in this passage? Do you think God is serious about caring for His children and His church?

Wednesday Night Supper Reservations — \$5 adults/\$3 children (10 and under)/\$20 Maximum
Name _____ Number: Adults _____ Children _____

This Wednesday Only _____ Place me on Standing Reservation List _____

(Please place this form in the offering plate)

Please Make Reservations by Tuesdays at Noon; Call 244-1385 or pmathis@ympca.org.

Wednesday Night Suppers — 5:00 p.m. (Ends March 28)

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