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YOUNG  
MEADOWS

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ORDER of WORSHIP

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

March 4, 2018

**The Morning Worship of God  
The Lord's Day  
March 4, 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)

**Preparing Our Hearts for Worship**

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**Bell Toll**

**Prelude**

*My Jesus, I Love Thee . . .* arr. Robertson  
Bonnie Wutzke, Pianist

**\*Call to Worship**

Psalm 139:23-24 (ESV)

Search me, O God, and know my heart!

**Try me and know my thoughts!**

And see if there be any grievous way in me,

**and lead me in the way everlasting!**

**\*Hymn of Exaltation**

*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

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*\* 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.

**Heidelberg Catechism: Question No. 53**

Q. What do you believe concerning the Holy Spirit?

A. First, He is, together with the Father and the Son, true and eternal God. Second, He is also given to me to make me by true share in Christ and all His benefits, to comfort me, and to remain with me forever.

**Old Testament Reading**

Isaiah 44:17-20 (ESV)

(p. 605; LP 769)

**Pastoral Prayer**

**New Testament Reading**

James 1:22-26 (ESV)

(p. 1011; LP 1289)

**Worshipping the Lord With His Tithe and Our Offerings**

8:15 a.m. — *Free From Guilt and Free From Sin . . .* Hall

Bonnie Wutzke, Soloist; Michael Wutzke, Pianist

11:00 a.m. — *Free From Guilt and Free From Sin . . .* Hall

Sanctuary Choir; Bonnie Wutzke, Pianist

*Dark, the stain I cannot hide; stain of sin, my guilt to prove. Guilt my own, and foolish pride; pride, the reason for my sin. Light of God came shining down; Son of God, my soul to win, laid aside His heav'nly crown, paid the price for all my sin. Wash me in the Savior's blood; make me pure, without, within; cleanse my heart and set me free, free from guilt and free from sin. Love of God that lights my way; love displayed on Calvary; Lamb of God my soul to save gave His life to set me free! Gone, the darkness, come the Light: Gone, the night, the day begins. Gone, the wrong, my soul made right, free from guilt and free from sin. Wash me in the Savior's blood; make me pure without, within. Cleanse my heart, and set me free: free from guilt and free from sin.*

**\*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**

*Break Thou the Bread of Life*

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**Proclamation of the Word**  
***The Ever-Lurking Temptation of Self-Deception***  
**I Corinthians 2:14-3:4**  
**Jay Joye**

I. The Reality of Self-Deception

II. The Restraining of Self-Deception

**Next Week's Sermon Scripture: *I Corinthians 3:5-9***

**\*Hymn of Consecration**

*Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling*

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**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Maestoso in G . . .* Engel  
Michael Wutzke, Organist

**Sanctuary Flowers**

Today's Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God by Jim and Linda Brennan  
in honor of their children, Paige, Christy and Jamie.

**The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

The Lord's Supper will be served during the morning services next week. All those who have received Jesus Christ as personal Savior and Lord and who are members in good standing in an evangelical church are invited to partake of this special means of grace. Children who have not been received by the elders as communing members should not partake, but learn by reverent observation, even though they may have trusted Christ for salvation. If you are aware that you have not received Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, you should allow the elements to pass, and you are urged to repent of your sin and embrace the free offer of salvation in Christ by faith.

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## Preparation and Reflection

1. What examples of self-deception and its destruction have you witnessed?
2. Upon prayerful consideration, are there any areas of your life in which you feel that you've been prone to self-deception? Can you explain the process by which people become self-deceived?
3. Why do you think humans have a tendency towards self-deception?
4. What safeguards has God provided to minimize self-deception?

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**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](mailto:pmathis@ympca.org).

***Wednesday Night Suppers — 5:00 p.m.***

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