

THE LORD'S DAY

DECEMBER 3, 2017
MORNING WORSHIP
8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

The Prelude *OF THE FATHER'S LOVE BEGOTTEN* Gerald Near

The Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Register — Visitors please give complete address and phone number.)

The Introit *ONCE HE CAME IN BLESSING* Michael Weisse
Once He came in blessing, all our sins redressing; came in likeness lowly, Son of God most holy; bore the cross to save us; hope and freedom gave us. Come, then, O Lord Jesus, from our sins release us, keep our hearts believing, that we, grace receiving, ever may confess You 'till in heaven we bless You.

The Call To Worship Isaiah 59:20

* **The Hymn 194** *O COME, O COME, EMMANUEL* VENI EMMANUEL

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

* **The Gloria Patri** Hymnal, page 735

* **The Confession of Faith** WCF 10:1 Hymnal, page 854

The Commandment Exodus 20:8-11
"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy."

The Confession of Sin and Supplication for Grace

Eternal and Almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before Your holy Majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and corruption, prone to evil, unable of ourselves to do any good; who, by reason of our sinfulness, transgress Your holy commandments. O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and deplore our offenses! Be pleased then to have compassion on us, Father of all mercies, for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. And in removing our guilt and corruption, grant us the daily increase of Your Holy Spirit that we might put to death the sin that is within us and bear all the fruit of the Spirit in our daily lives. We trust You for these graces on the basis of the death and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Scriptural Assurance of Pardon 1 John 2:1, 2
If any man sins, he has an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and He is the propitiation for our sins.

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory Anthem *THE GLORY OF THE FATHER* Egil Hovland
The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us. We beheld the glory of the Father, full of grace and truth. In the beginning was the Word, the Word was with God. In Him was life; and the life was the light of men. He came to His own, and His own, received Him not. from John 1

* **The Doxology** Hymnal Page 731 OLD HUNDREDTH

* **The Prayer of Dedication**

The Scripture Reading Hebrews 10:1-18 (Page 1282 in the Pew Bible)

The Prayer of Intercession

* **The Hymn 193** *LET ALL MORTAL FLESH KEEP SILENCE* PICARDY

The Scripture Genesis 26:1-33 (Page 25 in the Pew Bible)

The Sermon **FAITH OF OUR FATHERS** Dr. Richard D. Phillips

* **The Hymn 570** *FAITH OF OUR FATHERS!* ST. CATHERINE

* **The Benediction**

The Postlude Michael Burkhardt
WAKE, AWAKE, FOR NIGHT IS FLYING

*Congregation Standing



We are delighted to have you join us for worship today. We are a founding congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America, the largest Bible-believing Presbyterian denomination in America. We invite you to take a Visitors Packet and a weekly newsletter located throughout the church and learn more about how you can become a part of our mission.

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EVENING WORSHIP
6:00 PM

The Prelude *IN DULCI JUBILO* J. S. Bach

The Welcome and Announcements

The Call To Worship Psalm 95:6-7 RE Ken Safford

* **The Hymn 218** *ANGELS, FROM THE REALMS OF GLORY* REGENT SQUARE

* **The Invocation**

* **The Psalm 13** *HOW LONG WILL YOU FORGET ME, LORD?* MEDITATION
(see back of bulletin)

The Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory *I WONDER AS I WANDER* arr. Ledgerwood
Brian and Sarah Moore - trumpet/piano duet

* **The Offertory Response** *WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN* SCHUMANN
The text for the offertory response is hymn 432, stanza 1
We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be: all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

The Evening Prayer RE David Rainey

* **The Hymn 219** *ALL PRAISE TO THEE, ETERNAL LORD* CANONBURY

The Scripture Daniel 8 (Page 946 in the Pew Bible)

The Sermon **THE GOD WHO DECREES** Rev. Chad T. Bailey

* **The Hymn 196** *COME, THOU LONG-EXPECTED JESUS* HYFRYDOL

* **The Benediction**

The Postlude *NOEL* Alexander Guilmant

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this Lord's Day
to the glory of God.

DUTIES FOR THE WEEK

Nurseries:

AM Monitor	Sarah Spinnenweber
8:15 Early Service	Katie Preston/Tam Savidge
9:45 Treasures	Chris Zimmerman/ Kaitlyn Bouchillon
9:45 Cherubs	Joan Barringer
10:45 Treasures	Christy Strickland/ Ellie Phillips
10:45 Cherubs	Sharon and Lydia Phillips
10:45 Sunbeams	Kathy Karr
PM Monitor	Rebekah Johnson
5:45 Worker	Caroline Mobley

Ushers:

8:30 AM Service: Phil Larson, Fitz King,
Leon Harmon
11:00 AM Service:
Main Floor: Jeremy Weaver, Andy Barringer,
Mark Baxa, Edward Enggasser, Tony Stephens
Balcony: Travis Gaulden, Jason Korol
Evening: Jeremy Weaver, Kirby Kee, Tim Johnson,
Jerry Traynham, Phil Larson

Counters:

Kirby Kee, Capt., Tim Johnson, Jerry Traynham

Elders on Duty:

David Rainey and Keith Pratt

Wednesday night workers:

Prep/Serve: Laurie Griffin
Clean-up: Bob Holman, Rich McCall
Ashton and Reese Scoggins

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, December 3

- 8:30 AM **MORNING WORSHIP**
- 9:50 AM Children's Chapel
- 10:00 AM **SUNDAY SCHOOL**
- 11:00 AM **MORNING WORSHIP**
- 5:30 PM Season of Prayer in the Chapel
- 6:00 PM **EVENING WORSHIP**
- 7:30 PM Congregation Informational Budget Meeting

Monday, December 4

- 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study
- 6:00 PM Diaconate Meeting
- 7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, December 5

- 10:00 AM WIC Bible Study
- 6:00 PM Evangelism Explosion Training

Wednesday, December 6

- 5:00 PM WIC Council
- 5:00 PM Pastoral Care Committee Meeting
- 5:30 PM **FAMILY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP SUPPER**
- 6:15 PM Hope Choir (4 & 5 year olds)
- 6:15 PM Covenant Choir (1st-6th grades)
- 6:15 PM Youth Ensemble (7th-12th grades)
- 6:50 PM WIC Circle 1 Christmas party
- 6:55 PM CAT/Covenant Kids
- 6:55 PM Jr. & Sr. High Bible Studies
- 6:55 PM **PRAYER MEETING FOR ALL ADULTS**
- 7:25 PM **BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL ADULTS**
- 7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, December 7

- 5:00 PM Jr. High Boys' Basketball practice
- 6:00 PM Mission to Main
- 6:00 PM LightBringers Christmas Party

Friday, December 8

- 12:00 PM Men's Lunch & Bible Study
- 6:30 PM Middle School Christmas Event

Saturday, December 9

- 10:00 AM WIC Cookie Exchange

How Long Will You Forget Me, LORD?

Psalm 13

1. How long will You for - get me, LORD? For -
2. How long must I ad - vise my soul, And
3. Con - sid - er me, O LORD, my God; Give

ev - er will it be? How long un - til You
con - stant sad - ness know? How long must I be
an - swer to my cry. Let me see light, or

show Your face Which You've con - cealed from me?
sub - ject to The tri - umph of my foe?
I will sleep In death with those who die.

4. "See, I have overcome him now!"
My enemy will call;
My adversaries will rejoice
When I begin to fall.

5. But Your unfailing love I trust;
Your saving pow'r I praise.
The LORD in bounty dealt with me;
My songs to Him I raise.

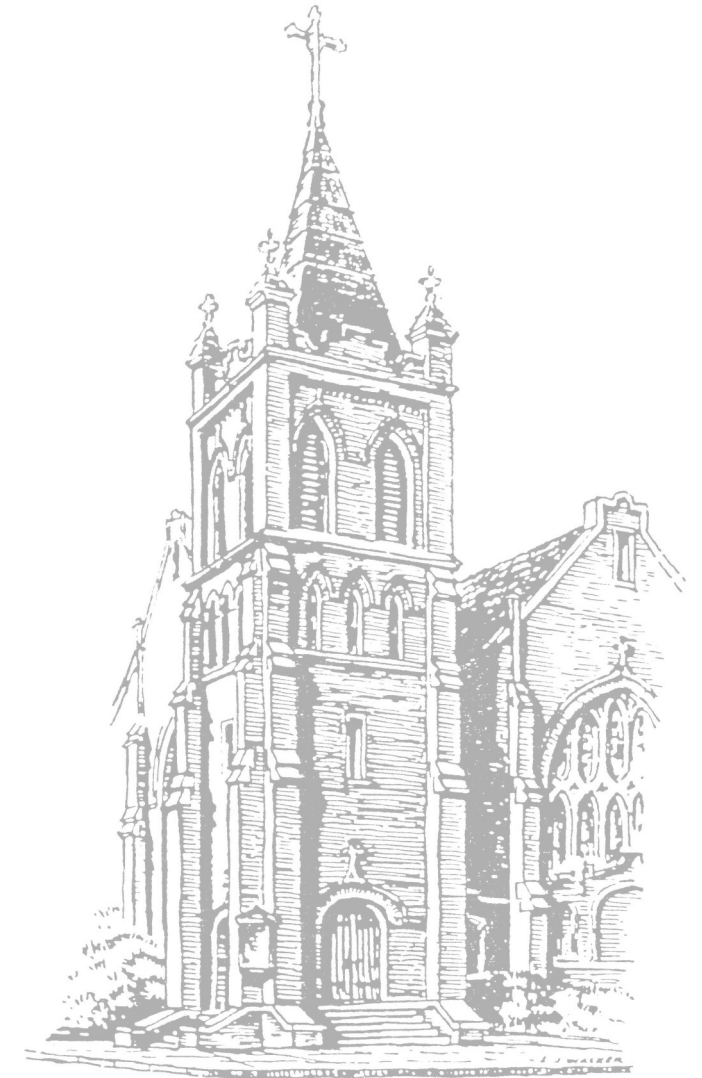
CHURCH INFORMATION

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Church Services: Sunday: Sunday School-10:00 AM
Morning Worship - 8:30 and 11:00 AM • Evening Worship - 6:00 PM
Wednesday: Supper - 5:45 PM & Prayer Meeting and Bible Study - 6:55 PM

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Dr. Richard D. Phillips, Senior Minister



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*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
To all who mourn and long for comfort;
To all who struggle and desire victory;
To all who sin and need a Savior;
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to whoever will come;*

*This church opens wide her doors
and offers her welcome in the name
of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

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