

Today

9 AM - **Elders' Prayer time.** Everyone welcome.

9:30 AM - **Church School**

* Adults & Youth - *A Call to Spiritual Reformation*, located in the fellowship hall

* Middle School/Young Teens - *Understanding Biblical Doctrine*, located above the fellowship hall

* Pre-Readers - *Obeying God*, located above the fellowship hall

10:45 AM - **Worship & Sacrament of Baptism Service**

This Week

Tuesday, Ladies Bible Study 9:30-11:30 AM

Monthly

1st Sunday, Communion Service

3rd Sunday, Communion Service, followed by a fellowship meal

Announcements

Men, Save the Dates, November 9 - 10, Men's Retreat with Westminster Presbyterian.

We're planning a **chili cookoff** for **Saturday, November 3rd**. Please see Aubrie Miller for all the delicious details.

Sermon Title: *The Meaning of Baptism*

Text: Titus 3:3-7

Point:

Welcome Visitors!

We are delighted to have you worship with us. May we heartily worship and praise God together in a manner both pleasing to Him and edifying to you. If you would like more information about our church or have another need, please speak with our pastor or an elder.

We Affirm The "Solas" Of The Protestant Reformation

Sola Scriptura: The Bible is the sole written divine revelation and alone can bind the conscience of believers absolutely.

Sola Fide: Justification is by faith alone. The merit of Christ imputed to us by faith is the sole ground of our acceptance by God, by which our sins are remitted.

Solus Christus: Christ is the only mediator through Whose work we are redeemed.

Sola Gratia: Our salvation rests solely on the work of God's grace for us.

Soli Deo Gloria: To God alone belongs the glory.

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For the word of God and the testimony of Jesus Christ...
Revelation 1:9



God Prepares Us to Worship Him

Meditation and Preparation: *Lord, we beseech you to keep your household the church in continual godliness; that through your protection it may be free from all adversities, and devoutly given to serve you in good works, to the glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Welcome & Announcements

Musical Prelude

God Calls Us to Adore Him

***Call To Worship:** (responsively) Psalm 96:1-6 (ESV)

Oh sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth!

Sing to the LORD, bless his name; tell of his salvation from day to day.

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!

For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he is to be feared above all gods.

For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and beauty are in his sanctuary.

***Salutation:** Galatians 1:3-5 (ESV)

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

***Hymn of Praise:** *Holy, Holy, Holy, st. 1-4* #100

***Prayer of Invocation:** (followed by the Lord's Prayer)

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in 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.

***Confessing the Faith:** (unison) 1 Timothy 3:16

Great indeed, we confess, is the mystery of godliness: He was manifested in the flesh, vindicated by the Spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among the nations, believed on in the world, taken up in glory.

***Praise to the Triune God:**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

God Reveals His Holy Will

Reading of the Law: Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Corporate Confession of Sin (unison):

We have sinned, Father, against heaven and before you. We have all sinned and fallen short of your glory. We have failed to honor you, the God who gives us every breath and sustains our every step. Against you, you only, have we sinned, and have done much evil in your sight. We have not obeyed your voice to walk in your laws which you have plainly set before us, though they are holy, just, and good.

Who would want to make a complete list of all his errors? Cleanse us from our secret faults. In many different ways we all offend, and our iniquities are more numerous than the hairs of our head. As a spring spews out its waters, so our hearts spew out wickedness. This has been our manner of life from our youth, for we have never really wanted to obey your voice. Out of the evil treasury of our hearts we have brought forth many evil things. Hear us as we confess our own sins silently before you and by your mercy in Christ Jesus forgive us of them all...(from Matthew Henry's *Method of Prayer*)

Silent Confession of Sin

God Cleanses Us In Christ

Assurance of Pardon: Galatians 3:13-14

Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us-- for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who is hanged on a tree"-- so that in Christ Jesus the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles, so that we might receive the promised Spirit through faith.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving:** *And Can It Be That I Should Gain, st. 1-5* #455

Giving of Tithes and Offerings: Malachi 3:10

Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. And thereby put me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a blessing until there is no more need.

God Covenants With His People

Public Profession of Faith: Nicholas Shane Miller

God Signifies And Seals His Covenant Of Grace

The Sacrament of Baptism

God Consecrates Us Through His Word

Psalm of the Month: Psalm 29, *You Sons of the Gods* 29A

The Word of God: Isaiah 50:1-11 (Pew Bible, pg. 611)

Pastoral Prayer

***Scripture:** Titus 3:3-7 (Pew Bible, p. 998)

Sermon: *The Meaning of Baptism* Rev. Josh Hinson

God Blesses and Commissions Us

***Hymn of Application:** *Nothing but the Blood, st. 1-5* #307

***Benediction**

***Musical Postlude**

29A

Psalm 29

You Sons of the Gods

And I heard a voice from heaven, like the voice of many waters, and like the voice of loud thunder. — Revelation 14:2

1. ¹ You sons of the gods, give the LORD as His right,
2. ³ The LORD's voice is o - ver the wa - ters a - broad;
3. ⁵ The voice of the LORD splits the ce - dars in two;

As - cribe to the LORD both great glo - ry and might.
And thun - der pro - ceeds from the glo - ri - ous God.
The LORD shat - ters trees that in Leb - a - non grew.

² And un - to the LORD's name its glo - ry ac - cord;
A - bove the great wa - ters the LORD from His height!
⁶ Then Leb - a - non's hills and Mount Si - ri - on reeled

In splen - dor of ho - li - ness wor - ship the LORD.
⁴ The LORD's voice of splen - dor! The LORD's voice of might!
When He made them skip like young calves in the field.

4. ⁷ The LORD's voice in flashes of lightning exclaims, The places it strikes all burst out into flames;
5. ⁹ The LORD's voice induces the deer to give birth, And strips bare the forests that cover the earth;
⁸ The voice of the LORD makes the wilderness quake; But inside His temple all things will exclaim,
The LORD makes the desert of Kadesh to shake. And everything found there will "Glory!" proclaim.

6. ¹⁰ The LORD ruled as King as the floodwaters raged, And still shall the LORD rule throughout every age.
¹¹ The LORD will the strength of His people increase; The LORD gives His people the blessing of peace.

Traditional Welsh melody; arr. John Roberts, 1839

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