February 12, 2023

This is the day that the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24

Prelude Selection by Musician

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship Ps. 95:1-3

¹ Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! ³ For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

*Hymn of Praise

Psalm 118 V.17-29

Tune: *There is a Fountain* Words from Trinity Psalter

¹⁷ I shall not die, but live and tell
Jehovah's power to save;
¹⁸ The Lord has sorely chastened me,
But spared me from the grave.
¹⁹ O set ye open unto me
The gates of righteousness;
Then will I enter into them

And I the Lord will bless.

²⁰ This is Jehovah's gate; by it

The just shall enter in.

²¹ I'll praise Thee Who hast heard my prayer,

And hast my safety been.

²² That stone is made head cornerstone

Which builders did despise.

²³ This is the doing of the Lord, And wondrous in our eyes.

²⁴ This is the day the Lord has made;

Let us be glad and sing.

²⁵ Hosanna, Lord! O give success!

O Lord, salvation bring!

O bless-ed be the one who comes, Comes in Jehovah's name;

The blessing from Jehovah's house

Upon you we proclaim.

The Lord is God, and He to us Has made the light arise;
O bind ye to the altar's horns
With Cords the sacrifice.
Thou art my God; I'll give
Thee thanks.
My God, I'll worship Thee.
O thank the Lord for He is good;

O thank the Lord for He is good; His grace will endless be.

*Prayer of Invocation & Adoration

Prayer of Confession

Almighty and most merciful Father,
we have erred, and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.
We have followed too much the devices and desires
of our own hearts.
We have offended against your holy laws.
We have left undone those things
which we ought to have done;
and we have done those things
which we ought not to have done;
and there is no health in us.
But you, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders.
Spare us, O God, when we confess our faults.
Restore us who are penitent;
according to your promises declared to us
in Christ Jesus our Lord.

that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life,

And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Amen.

to the glory of Christ's holy name.

Ps. 95:6-11

⁶ Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! ⁷ For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand. Today, if you hear his voice, ⁸ do not harden your hearts, as at Meribah, as on the day at Massah in the wilderness, ⁹ when your fathers put me to the test and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work. ¹⁰ For forty years I loathed that generation and said, "They are a people who go astray in their heart, and they have not known my ways." ¹¹ Therefore I swore in my wrath, "They shall not enter my rest."

*Hymn of Thanksgiving

We Gather Together

No.363

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Scripture Reading

Mark 3:7-21

(Pew pg. 838/LP pg. 1046)

Q. 58. What is required in the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment requireth the keeping holy to God such set times as he hath appointed in his word; expressly one whole day in seven, to be a holy sabbath to himself.

Q. 59. Which day of the seven hath God appointed to be the weekly sabbath?

A. From the beginning of the world to the resurrection of Christ, God appointed the seventh day of the week to be the weekly sabbath; and the first day of the week ever since, to continue to the end of the world, which is the Christian sabbath.

Q. 60. How is the sabbath to be sanctified?

A. The sabbath is to be sanctified by a holy resting all that day, even from such worldly employments and recreations as are lawful on other days; and spending the whole time in the public and private exercises of God's worship, except so much as is to be taken up in the works of necessity and mercy.

Q. 61. What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment forbiddeth the omission or careless performance of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

Q. 62. What are the reasons annexed to the fourth commandment?

A. The reasons annexed to the fourth commandment are, God's allowing us six days of the week for our own employments, his challenging a special propriety in the seventh, his own example, and his blessing the sabbath day.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering

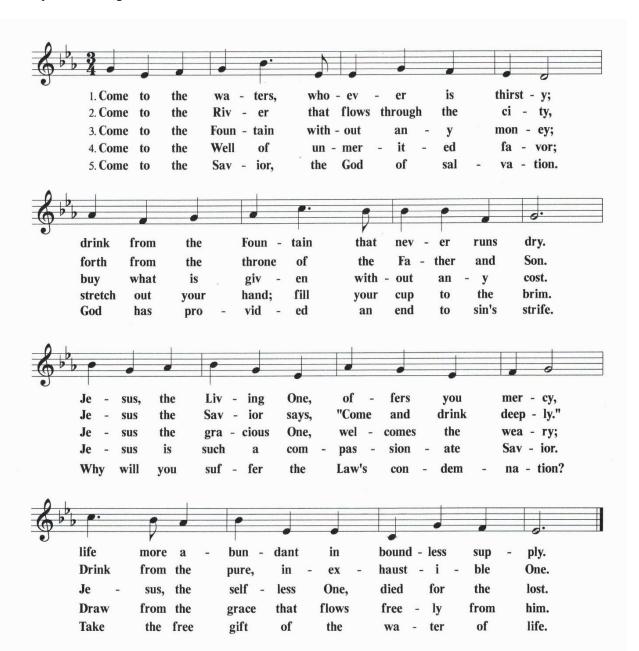
Selection by Musician

*Doxology No. 731

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.

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*Prayer of Thanksgiving



2. The Power of God in Conversion

3. God's Blessing

Questions:

- 1. How familiar are you with the missionaries that GSPC supports? Are there some simple ways that you can communicate with them? Why is this just as important for you as it is for them?
- 2. What prevents you from interacting more with the people of God? What blessings do you think you might be missing out on by disregarding the communion of the saints?
- 3. Why did Christianity grow so quickly in the first 300 years after Christ's ascension? Does it still grow quickly today? Where?
- 4. How do you know if God is blessing something or someone?

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*Benediction

*Gloria Patri No. 735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

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Postlude Selection by Musician

* Congregation: Please stand as able.

PianoEmily TheveninIntercessory PrayerAndrew Gretzinger

	Weekly Calend	<u>ar</u>
SUN 2/12	9:20 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	(Children, Adult, & Inquirers) Worship Service
TUE 2/14	1:00 PM	Senior Bible Study (I Pet 3:1-12)
SUN 2/19	9:20 AM	Sunday School (Children, Adult, & Inquirers)
	10:30 AM 3:00 PM	Worship Service Vietnamese Hot Pot Fellowship Dinner

Serving the Lord

	2/12	2/19	2/26	3/5
AM Nursery	Megan Jones	Alice Lindborg	Megan Jones	Lucy Hrivnak
Greeters	Martha Lietchy	Hrivnak Fam	Phyllis Sederberg	Cherie Lee Yonker
Treats/ Clean Up	Signup	at	welcome	desk
Audio	Ben Armstrong	Joel Tummond	Josh Alderson	Grayden Lash
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Elder of the Week	Andrew Gretzinger	Jim Martin	Chris Erickson	Yon Lindborg
Deacon of the Week	Ben Armstrong	Jason Lash	Craig Curtis	Ben Armstrong
Communion Prep	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yon Lindborg

Announcements

- ➤ Women's Center Partnership: Donation included or not all baby bottles need to be retuned next Sun Feb 19!
- ➤ Vietnamese Hot Pot Dinner: The H&F Committee is providing a Vietnamese Hot Pot dinner activity on Sunday, February 19th at 3:00pm. What is Hot Pot? It's soup served "family" style where meat/seafood, vegetables, and noodles are laid out on a table surrounding pots of different simmering broths (vegetarian/meat/seafood). Choose which ones you want, cook them quickly, and enjoy! It's a wonderful opportunity to fellowship, plus eat an amazing meal together! Please invite friends, and sign up on the sheet on the desk in the narthex if you're interested! See Valerie Lash if you have any questions.
- ➤ Crates for Ukraine: The PCA mission organization MTW is working with our missionaries and partner churches in Ukraine to provide not only prayer but also needed supplies. Details on insert and email. These will be collected on Sun., Feb 12 and 19.
- ➤ Upcoming Missionary Visit: PCA missionary Tracy Dager will be with us Sun. Feb. 26 at 6 pm to share about the work that he and Joy are doing to build up the church in Israel and Palestine. Good Shepherd has been helping to support them. All are invited at to hear about what God is doing in this area of the world. Light refreshments will be provided.