The Lord's Day

June 23, 2024 ~ 10:30 AM

Scripture for Meditation: "On that day living waters shall flow out from Jerusalem...Then everyone who survives of all the nations that have come against Jerusalem shall go up year after year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts."

-Zechariah 14:8, 16 (ESV)

Prelude

Nina Kendrick, piano

Announcements

* Call to Worship (responsive reading)

Psalm 145

Leader: I will extol you, my God and my King,

And bless your name forever and ever.

Every day I will bless you

And praise your name forever and ever.

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised,

And his greatness is unsearchable.

My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD,

And let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

* Hymn 2

O Worship the King

LYONS

* Invocation

Old Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 567)

Isaiah 2:2-5

New Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 992)

1 Timothy 4:1-5

(continuous reading)

Hymn 644

May the Mind of Christ My Savior

ST. LEONARDS

- ** Silent Prayer of Confession
- * Assurance of Pardon
- * Hymn (insert)

We Will Glorify

** Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

* Hymn 731

Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

* Prayer of Dedication

Sermon Final Renewal

Pastor Will Snyder

Text: Zechariah 14:1-21 (Bible, p. 799)

Hymn 518 Christ, of All M

Christ, of All My Hopes the Ground

HENDON

* Benediction

Postlude

As you enter the Sanctuary, please be considerate of others who are quietly preparing for worship. Please silence your cell phones before the service begins.

Nursery care is available for infants through age 3 in Rooms 2 and 4.

Sunday Evening Praise, 6:00 PM:

Our Sunday evening gathering of praise starts at 6:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Come sing, pray, and hear from God's Word to close out your Lord's Day rest.

^{*} Congregation Standing

^{**} Congregation Kneeling

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

June 23, 2024

Worship Leader: Armand Chenelle

Greeters:

Deacon in Charge: Peter Benedict Ushers: Walter Mayo

Nursery: Colleen Millett, Calvin Edwards

10:30 (Worship:

Coffee Clean-up: Chenelle Shepherding Group

Evening:

June 30, 2024

Worship Leader: Sterling Harmon

Greeters:

Deacon in Charge: Jeff Edwards Ushers: David Embree

Nursery: Howard Craig, Dee Volkert

10:30 (Worship)

Coffee Clean-up: Chenelle Shepherding Group

Evening: An Evening of Musical Worship-

at 6:00 PM

This Week at Church

Wednesday 6:15 PM PCC Summer Basketball
Sunday 9:00 AM Bible Overview Class

12:00 PM VBS Staff/Volunteer Meeting6:00 PM An Evening of Musical Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMING EVENTS

VBS STAFF/VOLUNTEER MEETING

VBS volunteers! We are holding an informational meeting on Sunday, June 30th after morning worship in the classroom adjacent to the kitchen. We will discuss VBS planning, distribute teacher packets, and relay other information. Refreshments and snacks will be provided.

SEWING SATURDAYS AT PCC!

We are excited to announce a new fellowship opportunity at PCC: "Sewing Saturdays!"

First Saturday of the month: July & August!

Bring your questions! Bring your patterns! Bring your friends! Bring your unfinished sewing projects! Bring your expertise! Bring your sewing machines (if you have one)!

All sewing abilities are invited and encouraged to join us! We hope beginners and veterans alike will attend.

Mark your calendars!

Sat JULY 6th: 9 AM-12 Sat AUG 3rd: 9 AM-12 Childcare will be provided!

Please reach out to Julie Anne Edwards with any questions! 860-498-2280 or jedwards12@snet.net

VBS 2024 - THE GREAT JUNGLE JOURNEY!

VBS is just around the corner! This year it will run from July 29th to August 2nd (M-F), 9 AM – 123 PM at the church. Children ages 4-12 will be learning all about God's creation in Genesis, how God was

merciful to humanity throughout history, and what the future holds once we put our faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Jungle themed games, snacks, and decorations are in store. Please register your child(ren) by July 22nd. There is <u>no</u> physical registration this year, only online/digital. Thank you and see you in the wild!

Registration: https://form.jotform.com/241076229816055
-Collin Robinson, VBS Director

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

PASTOR & FAMILY SUMMER TRAVEL

Dear Congregation,

With summer comes various travel plans for a number of us. I would ask for your prayers as I head to Richmond, VA for the PCA's General Assembly from June 10-14. Additionally, our family will be traveling to Washington State after worship on Sunday, June 23 and returning Friday, July 5th. If during either of these times there is a pastoral emergency, feel free to reach out to one of the elders or myself. The Lord bless you. —Pastor Will

BOOKS AVAILABLE FOR FREE

There is a table at the end of the hallway near the nursery, and another one in the library, that contain books that are free to take. These tables are clearly marked. Please do not take any books that are on the library shelves.

CHURCH KEY INVENTORY

The Deacons are conducting an inventory of all church keys. They need to know the number next to the letter A and also the key number. If you are in possession of one (or more), please contact Deacon Benedict ASAP (860) 803-2159 or peterjohn27@comcast.net

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUBS NEEDED

Children's Sunday School is in need of substitutes for the 10-week Summer Session when we give our regular teachers a break. Needed are teachers for the 4's and 5's, the 5th and 6th grades, and the Jr. High. Please contact Sharon Fox at (860)-871-5491 for more information.

MIDWEEK RECHARGE

This week's Midweek Recharge <u>has been cancelled</u>. The next one will be on Wednesday, July 10th.

VBS DECORATIONS NEEDED!

This year's VBS theme is The Great Jungle Journey. I am in need of artificial plants, greenery, and garland to decorate the fellowship hall and hallway. Please reach out to Anita Hilinski at doggroom21@cs.com or 860-716-4370 if you can help.

BACKYARD FELLOWSHIPS 2024!

During the months of July and August, we will have Backyard Fellowships in place of our regular Sunday evening service. We will

gather at 5:30 PM at either a host home or PCC for a time of food & fellowship, devotion, singing and prayer. Each individual or family should bring chairs or blankets, meat to grill for their own family, and a side dish and/or dessert to share. All plates, utensils, and drinks will be provided. The

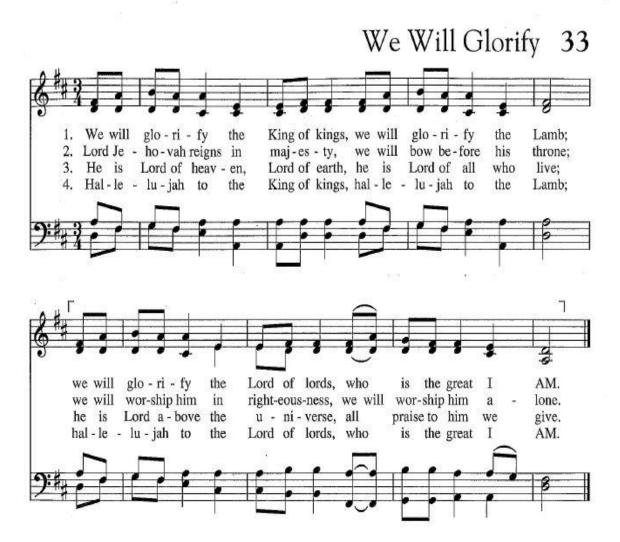


rain location is the church. Please plan to make these gatherings a part of your summer routine! It is a great way to get to know each other better in an informal setting. The first backyard fellowship will be on July 7th. Please sign up on the clipboard on the back table in the Fellowship Hall if you would like to host!

BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

The Caring Families' Baby Bottle campaign has begun! Fill a baby bottle with coins (bills, even checks!) and you can help them provide ultrasounds, diapers, wipes, educational and spiritual support to women facing pregnancy decisions. The bottles are on the back table in the Fellowship Hall. You can return the bottles at church any time before September 1st. If you would prefer an online option, please visit www.carefamilies.com. Contact Danielle Bolliger if you have any questions. PCC has been very supportive in the past, and for that they thank you sincerely!

Songs to God



Notes for the Preaching of God's Word

Final Renewal Zechariah 14:1-21

Main Preaching Point: Since the coming of the Lord will be a day of judgment and of his final supreme reign, yield to the Lordship and saving grace of Jesus Christ, that you may know the hope to which He has called you.

- ➤ The Judgment of God—the One to whom all are accountable
- ➤ The Reign of God—the One who holds sway over all

Questions for Individuals, families, or small groups

Text: Zechariah 14:1-21 Title: Final Renewal

Questions:

1. What was most important or applicable in today's preaching? Can you summarize the main message?

The Judgment of God—the One to whom all are accountable

- 2. Read Zechariah 14:1-7. How do these verses reflect the judgment of God? Who is judged—the enemies and nations opposed to the Lord and his people, or is the covenant community also judged? Discuss.
 - According to the sermon what is significant about the language of "in that day...in that day" (v.1,4,6,8,9,13)? How does it relate to the theme found throughout many prophetic books of "the day of the LORD"? Read Amos 5:18, Isaiah 13:6 & 9, and Zephaniah 1:7, 14. Relate.

- 3. Will the church of Jesus Christ be judged? Read 2 Corinthians 5:20 & Revelation 20:11-15. Discuss.
 - ➤ What kind of judgment will Christians undergo given the truth of Romans 8:1? How ought this to be a great assurance and encouragement? Explain.
- 4. Consider and discuss the following resolution from Jonathan Edwards: Resolution 48. "Resolved, constantly, with the utmost niceness and diligence, and the strictest scrutiny, to be looking into the state of my soul, that I may know whether I have truly an interest in Christ or no; that when I come to die, I may not have any negligence respecting this to repent of. *May 26, 1723*.

The Reign of God—the One who holds sway over all

- 5. Read Zechariah 14:8-21. Verse 9 states that "the LORD will be king over all the earth." Read Mark 1:14-15. According to the sermon, how does God's reign (in Christ) over all the earth come in two main stages? Why is this important for believers as they live their lives between the first and second coming of Christ?
- 6. Read Ephesians 1:20-23. Given that God's reign is now through the coming, person, and work of Christ, how ought this to shape the believer's life and service of the Lord? Explain.
- 7. In considering Zechariah as a whole and this particular part of God's larger redemptive story, why is it important for one's life to be shaped by the whole biblical story of God's creation and restoration of all things? Explain. What are some of the main takeaways from the book of Zechariah? And how does this book as a whole point to the person and ministry of Christ?