

Hope

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (OPC)



The Lord's Day
March 18, 2018

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. — *1 Peter 1:3*

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Morning Worship Service – 9:30am

And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. — *Acts 2:19–21*

Quiet Meditation in Preparation for Worship

God Calls Us To Worship

Apostolic Greeting

Call to Worship

Psalm 105:1–2

***We Respond to God’s Call** (*please respond in the bold print*)

Leader: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

***People:* Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually!**

Leader: Remember the wondrous works that he has done, his miracles, and the judgments he uttered, O offspring of Abraham, his servant, children of Jacob, his chosen ones!

***People:* He is the LORD our God; his judgments are in all the earth.**

*Hymn of Praise

Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise

#62

*Invocation

*Gloria Patri

#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.

Confession of Faith

The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

* *Please stand*

Morning Worship Service – 9:30am

We Confess Our Sins

Call to Confession

Psalm 51:1–6a

Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 1:18

God Speaks to Us from His Word

*Hymn of Preparation

By Grace I Am an Heir of Heaven

#695

Scripture Reading

Provided Bible, p. 812

Matthew 7:12–29

Sermon

Doers of the Father's Will

Matthew 7:21–23

*Hymn of Thanksgiving

The Mighty God, the Lord

#316

Congregational Prayer and 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 for ever. Amen.

Offering

*Closing Hymn

Blessed Assurance

#693

God Blesses Us

*Benediction

* *Please stand*

Evening Worship Service – 6:00pm

Quiet Meditation in Preparation for Worship

God Calls Us To Worship

Call to Worship

Matthew 11:28–29

We Respond to God's Call

*Hymn of Praise *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* #53

*Invocation

Hymn of Adoration *Be Thou My Vision* #642

Responsive Reading *Trinity Hymnal, p. 814* Psalm 86

Special Offering *Venture Missions, Zoar, Wisconsin*

Congregational Prayer

*Hymn of Preparation *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* #629

God Speaks to Us from His Word

Scripture Reading *Provided Bible, p. x* Luke 18:1–8

Sermon *Always Pray and Do Not Lose Heart!* Luke 18:1–8

*Hymn of Thanksgiving *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* #598

God Blesses Us

*Benedictory Prayer

** Please stand*

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