

The Lord's Day, September 1, 2024

**Morning Worship Service**

11:00 a.m.

*Theme: Mark 12: 17*

*“Jesus said to them, ‘Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s and to God the Things that are God’s.’”*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

\*Call to Worship .....Psalm 2: 1-5, 10-12

\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn of Praise: “Rejoice, the Lord is King” .....#309

Call to Faith and Repentance .....Jonah 3:1-9 (p. 775 )

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon.....Jonah 3:10; 1 John 1:9

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving: “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us” .....PP

God’s Will for Our Lives:.....Psalm 119: 33-56 (p. 829) Responsive reading

Congregational Prayer

Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology .....PP (#731)

\*Offertory Prayer

\*Hymn of Preparation: “Psalm 23”.....PP

Scripture .....Mark 12: 13-17 (p. 848)

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon .....“Christ and Caesar” - Pastor Moelker

\*Hymn of Response “ Blessing and Honor” .....#300 (vs. 3 a cappella)

\*Benediction

\*Benedictory Hymn: “Shout for the Blessed Jesus Reigns” .....#369 (vs. 1 & 5)

**Evening Worship Service**

**6:00 p.m.**

\*Call to Worship .....Psalm 24 (p. 791, responsive)

\*Hymn of Praise: “The King of Glory Comes” .....#240

\*Opening Prayer

Confession of Faith: WSC 96-97 .....PP

Scripture Reading .....Matthew 5:38-48 (p. 810)

Hymn Sing/ Songs of Praise, Expressions of Thanks and Prayer Requests

Prayer Of Intercession

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Hymn of Preparation “Approach, My Soul, the Mercy Seat” .....#507

Scripture..... Leviticus 24:10-23 (p. 102)

Sermon ..... “Crime and Punishment”- Pastor Barshinger

\*Hymn: “Arise, My Soul, Arise” .....#305

\*Benediction

\*Benedictory Hymn: “Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God” ..... #11 (vs. 1 & 2)

*\*Please stand, if able.*

about what we believe? What is a reformed and presbyterian church? Do you have a desire to make a public profession of faith in Christ and be a member of Faith Church or perhaps are you a member already and are simply looking for a refresher in what the vows of membership are all about? This class is an opportunity for you to learn more about the church, the importance of church membership, and what it means to profess faith in Jesus Christ. If you would like to participate or have any questions about whether this class is for you, please speak to Pastor Peter. **This class will begin on the Lord's day, September 15th at 9:45 am** during the Discipleship/Sunday School Hour and will meet for 8 weeks in the Conference Room (beside the library). We will be using the booklet "Confessing Christ."

- As a Christian, you don't live in a vacuum. You come after generations of believers who went before you. These saints have much to teach you. You can learn from their triumphs and their failures. They can inspire you to follow Jesus. They remind you that following Jesus in every age is difficult and yet you are not alone. **This fall, Pastor Andrew will lead the adult Sunday school class** as we study early church history. Here believers in the fledgling church wrestled with many of the same questions we hear today in our increasingly pagan society. Be sure to join us starting September 8th as we examine the ancient heritage of our heavenly faith (Hebrews 12:1).
- **The midweek Bible study on Isaiah and time of prayer** begins on Wednesday, **September 18th at 7 pm** and will be meeting on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month.
- **The King's Men** will be meeting on Wednesday, September 25th at 7 pm. We will be continuing our study of "A Quest for Godliness" by J.I. Packer. Any men who have not yet attended are more than welcome to join us.
- **Immediate Sunday School Need:** our Sunday School program is in need of 1 or 2 volunteers who are willing to teach the three and four-year-old preschool class. Please contact Elise Baese or Lisa Moelker if you are able to teach.
- **Get ready to sing!** On September 1st, shortly after the evening service, we will spend 15 minutes in the choir room practicing the hymn selections that we will sing at the Old Pittsgrove Presbyterian Church on the afternoon of September 8th. This is a delightful way to enjoy some time singing together as we increase our skill in worship.
- **Men:** mark off October 4th to 5th for Man Camp! We will be staying once again at the East Creek Cabin in Belleplain State Forest. Sign up on the church website or the sign up sheet in the front narthex.
- **Church Library:** The library has recently added lots of new books and DVD's for all ages! If you haven't checked out the library yet, now is the time! There are many materials that will help you in your walk of faith and encourage you to grow in the Lord.
- **There is a Lost & Found** on a shelf in the back foyer (in the back of the coat closet on the way to the nursery). Please check and make sure none of your belongings are there!
- **Please send announcements and items for prayer** to faithopsecretary@gmail.com no later than noon on Wednesday.

## Today's Greeters

Lisa and Josiah Moelker

## Today's Nursery Attendants

Julia Cummings and Lydia Bohl

## Upcoming Greeters

September 8	Gayle Reeves, Lydia Bohl
September 15	Kathy Butler, Naomi Bohl, & Alex Sezov
September 22	Becky Harrison, Beth Groot
September 29	Lisa & Josiah Moelker

## Upcoming Nursery Attendants

September 8	Rebekah & Naomi Bohl
September 15	Diane Contravo, Miriam Parks
September 22	Beth Groot, Lydia Moelker
September 29	Elizabeth Barshinger, Abigail Moelker

## September's Ushers

Don Groot  
Russ Bohl  
Dave Apgar

## October's Ushers

## Lawn Schedule

September 7	Stephen Groot
September 14	Elmer Lynam
September 21	Tom Contravo
September 28	Dave Bauer

## Sunday School

Classes begin again on September 8th.

## This Week's Calendar

TODAY (9/1)

- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
- 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship