

Morning Worship

September 8, 2019

Please mute cell phones and other electronic devices.

Welcome and Announcements

Quiet Preparation and Prayer

Prelude

Call to Worship

Psalm 63:1-4
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Hymn of Praise

Oh, How Good It Is

Oh how good it is
When the family of God
Dwells together in spirit
In faith and unity.
Where the bonds of peace,
Of acceptance and love
Are the fruit of His presence
Here among us.

CHORUS

*So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His word
Till the whole earth sees
The Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people.*

Oh how good it is
On this journey we share
To rejoice with the happy
And weep with those who mourn.
For the weak find strength
The afflicted find grace
When we offer the blessing
Of belonging.

CHORUS

Oh how good it is
To embrace His command
To prefer one another
Forgive as He forgives.
When we live as one
We all share in the love
Of the Son with the Father
And the Spirit.

CHORUS

Prayer of Invocation

Reading of the Law

Colossians 3:1-17
Pew Bibles Page 984

Public Confession

Based on Ephesians 1:3-6

Our heavenly Father, You have clearly told us in Your Word that You have blessed us with every spiritual blessing in Christ and chosen us in Him before You even created the world, to be holy and blameless in Your sight. We are thankful for our high position in Christ, but we confess to You that we have failed to live up to the holy and blameless position. We have sinned daily against Your divine majesty by thought, word and deed. We confess that our sins are the reason Jesus suffered and died. Forgive us for our manifold sins against You and cause us to grow into the people You created us to be by the power of Your blessed Holy Spirit. Amen!

Assurance of Pardon

1 John 1:8-10
Pew Bibles Page 1021

Hymn

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Insert

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

"Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine." Proverbs 3:9-10

Offertory

Pastoral Prayer

Reading of God's Word

James 5:13-18
Pew Bibles Page 1013

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!
All: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

Rev. Todd Matocha

"Prayer, Praise, and the Glory of God"

Hymn of Response

In Christ Alone

Insert

Prayer of Preparation and Consecration

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise Him, all creatures here below!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly hosts!
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.*

Benediction

Postlude

Hearing assistance is available by asking one of the ushers.

All songs covered by or used under CCLI #124

Sermon Notes

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Prayer, Praise, and the
Glory of God

James 5:13-18

FAMILY WORSHIP HELPS

Question: What did God at first reveal to man for the rule of his obedience?

Answer: The rule which God at first revealed to man for his obedience, was the moral law.

Monday: Scripture: Romans 2:14-16
Key Thought: The moral law of God is written in the hearts of men.

Tuesday: Scripture: Romans 5:12-13
Key Thought: Without a moral law there could be no consciousness of sin.

Wednesday: Scripture: Genesis 4:1-11; 20:1-9; 26:4-5; 30:32-33
Key Thought: The moral law can be clearly seen before Moses.

Thursday: Scripture: Romans 3:9-28; 7:7
Key Thought: The function of the moral law is to reveal sin.

Friday: Scripture: Numbers 15:38-41; John 14:15
Key Thought: The moral law is a rule for life to believers.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE MISSIONARIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WE SUPPORT

Through Faith Promise: Bill Boggess, Larry Brown, Nell Chinchon, Dale & Susan Ellison, Elliott Everett, Clete Hux, Bob McPherson, Ministry to the Military International, Clarke Norton, Richard Pratt, Wiley Smith, Rekindle Children’s Hope, Christina Thomas, Linda Wixon, Andy Young

Through Tithes and Offerings: Covenant Presbytery, Helping Hands, Life Choices Pregnancy Center, Mission to North America, Palmer Home for Children, PCA Christian Education and Publications, PCA Administration, PCA Mid-South Church Plant, Reformed Theological Seminary, RUF General Fund

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Evening Service – Community Groups will meet.

The **Men’s Prayer Breakfast** will resume on Wednesday, September 11, at 6:30 a.m. Please join us!

Wednesday Activities... Supper will be served at 5:30 and the menu will be fried chicken, macaroni & cheese, green beans, and dessert. Enjoy your “night off” from cooking and come enjoy the fellowship and Bible study. Please consider making a small donation for the meal.

Weekly Prayer Meeting...Join us at noon on Thursday, September 12.

A new **Catechism Class** will begin in September. If you are interested, please contact the church office. (662-328-2523 or mainstreetpres@gmail.com)

The first **Congregational Luncheon** for the fall will be September 15. Clarke Norton will be speaking during the Sunday School hour. John Gore will prepare chicken and the congregation will furnish sides and desserts. Please bring the following. If your last name begins with:

- A-D** Cold Vegetable Dish or Salad
- E-L** Hot Vegetable
- M-S** Fruit or Fruit Salad
- T-Z** Dessert

Happy Hearts will meet on Tuesday, September 17, at 10:30 in the Fellowship Hall. Our special guest will be Rev. Curtis Bray from Shaeffer’s Chapel.

The **Women in the Church** will have a **clean-up day** on Tuesday, September 24, beginning at 9:30. Bring your dust cloths and cleaning supplies.

Activities for the Week

Sunday, September 8, 2019

- 9:00 a.m. Officers’ Prayer Meeting
- 9:15 a.m. Adult Sunday School Fellowship Time
- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School – All Ages
- 10:40 a.m. Morning Worship*.....Sanctuary
- No Evening Service

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

- 6:30 a.m. Men’s Prayer Breakfast.....Fellowship Hall
- 5:30 p.m. Church Supper.....Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 p.m. Children and Youth Activities
- 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study and Prayer Time..... Fellowship Hall

Thursday, September 12, 2019

- Noon Weekly Prayer Meeting

*Nursery Provided

Volunteers

	This Week Sept. 8, 2019	Next Week, Sept. 15, 2019
Infant Nursery	Camille Pittman, Marianne Field	Meryl Fisackerly, Cathy Duncan
Toddler Nursery	Janie Williams	Jelaine Fondren
Ushers	Justin Harris, Henry Pilkinton, Grover Allgood, Bill Laws, Ben Woodson, Stephen Matocha	Roger Day, Gee Allgood, Mike Meharg, Patrick Shipp, Jon Watson

Church Officers

<u>Ruling Elders</u>		<u>Deacons</u>	
Gray Flora, Clerk of Session		Roger Day, Chairman	
Allan Brewer		Gee Allgood	Bill Laws
Trip Hairston	Justin Harris	Jay Nail	Henry Pilkinton
Ray Kilpatrick	Russ Russell	Patrick Shipp	Ron Simpson
Matt White	Danny Williams	Jon Zarandona	

Church Staff

Todd Matocha	Minister Pastoral Counseling Hours: Tuesdays 8-5, Wednesdays 8-12 Please call the office to make an appointment.
Diann Carter	Office Administrator Church Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:00 – 4:30
Ron Simpson	Church Administrator: ronsimpson64@gmail.com
Colleen Meek	Children Ministries Coordinator Hours: Tuesday – Friday 10:00 –4:30 (Depending on the Weekly Activities)

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Church Budget	\$ 424,625.00
Last Week’s Giving	\$ 4,055.00
Remaining need to make budget per week	\$ 14,056.00