FEBRUARY 28, 2021

WE CALL UPON THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS, IN WHOM WE HAVE BEEN SET APART TO WALK IN LOVE AND HOLINESS

The Prelude God Himself Is with Us arr. A. Page

The Call to Worship Rev. Caleb Cangelosi

The Psalm 100

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

All people that on earth do dwell, sing to the Lord with cheerful voice; him serve with fear, his praise forth-tell, come ye before him and rejoice.

The Lord ye know is God indeed; without our aid he did us make; we are his folk, he doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.

O enter then his gates with praise, approach with joy his courts unto; praise, laud, and bless his name always, for it is seemly so to do.

For why? The Lord our God is good, his mercy is forever sure; his truth at all times firmly stood, and shall from age to age endure.

Psalm 100, music from Louis Bourgeois's Genevan Psalter

The Invocation Rev. Carl Kalberkamp

Confession of Faith Westminster Larger Catechism #66-67

Leader: What is that union which the elect have with Christ?

Leader and People: The union which the elect have with Christ is the work of God's grace, whereby they are spiritually and mystically, yet really and inseparably, joined to Christ as their head and husband; which is done in their effectual calling.

Leader: What is effectual calling?

Leader and People: Effectual calling is the work of God's almighty power and grace, whereby (out of his free and special love to his elect, and from nothing in them moving him thereunto) he does, in his accepted time, invite and draw them to Jesus Christ, by his word and Spirit; savingly enlightening their minds, renewing and powerfully determining their wills, so as they (although in themselves dead in sin) are hereby made willing and able freely to answer his call, and to accept and embrace the grace offered and conveyed therein.

The Scripture Reading Acts 16:1-40

The Offertory

Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would gracious be; help me now thy grace to see, I would be like thee; and, with words that help and heal, thy life would mine reveal; and with actions bold and meek, for Christ, my Savior, speak.

Truthful Spirit, dwell with me, I would truthful be; help me now thy truth to see, I would be like thee; and, with wisdom kind and clear, thy life in mine appear; and, with actions brotherly, speak Christ's sincerity.

Holy Spirit, dwell with me, I would holy be; show thy mercy tenderly, make me more like thee; separate from sin, I would and cherish all things good, and whatever I can be give him who gave me thee.

Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be; help me now thy pow'r to see, I would be like thee; 'gainst all weapons hell can wield, be thou my strength and shield; let thy word my weapon be, Lord, thine the victory. Gracious Spirit, dwell with me; I would be like thee.

The Hymn

Blest Be the Tie that Binds

Before our Father's throne we pour our ardent prayers; our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our comforts and our cares. We share each other's woes, our mutual burdens bear; and often for each other flows the sympathizing tear.

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

When we asunder part, it gives us inward pain; but we shall still be joined in heart, and hope to meet again. This glorious hope revives our courage by the way; while each in expectation lives and longs to see the day. *Chorus*

From sorrow, toil and pain, and sin, we shall be free; and perfect love and friendship reign through all eternity. Chorus

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The Intercessory Prayer

Ruling Elder Neil Barnes

The Scripture Reading

Philippians 1:1-2

The Sermon

Rev. Cangelosi

Allow Me to Introduce Ourselves

The Hymn of Response

Holy Spirit

Holy Spirit, living Breath of God, breathe new life into my willing soul; bring the presence of the Risen Lord to renew my heart and make me whole. Cause Your Word to come alive in me; give me faith for what I cannot see. Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit, breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within; may Your joy be seen in all I do. Love enough to cover every sin in each thought and deed and attitude. Kindness to the greatest and the least; gentleness that sows the path of peace; turn my striving into works of grace: breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, giving life to all that God has made, show Your power once again on Earth, cause Your church to hunger for Your ways. Let the fragrance of our prayers arise; lead us on the road of sacrifice, that in unity the face of Christ will be clear for all the world to see.

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The Benediction Rev. Cangelosi

The Postlude Trumpet Tune G. Young

EVENING WORSHIP 6:00 P. M.

We will worship our glorious God tonight as we sing, pray, and receive the word preached by Pastor Dean. We are working through the Westminster Shorter Catechism and Scripture proofs (in the ESV) on Sunday evenings. Tonight, we are on Westminster Shorter Catechism #102-103.

Matthew 5:10-12

Earthly Pain, Heavenly Gain

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God.

TO EVERYONE WHO VISITS WITH US THIS LORD'S DAY, we welcome you sincerely and from the heart. Grace to you and peace from God our Father through the Lord Jesus Christ.

LORD'S SUPPER NEXT SUNDAY: Please prepare your heart this week for the celebration of the Lord's Supper next Sunday in morning worship.

MISSIONS FESTIVAL UPDATE: Even though we had to cancel our midweek activities, thanks be to God who went before us to prepare the way so that the Missions Festival was such a blessing to our congregation and to our Missions and Ministry Partners! Thank you to all who planned, executed, hosted and participated in numerous ways to make this a special week in the life of Christ's church at POPC. We are off to a slower than normal start on our Direct Member Giving Goal of \$124,600 as we have received only 25 Commitments for \$35,320 so far. We were thrown off by the weather and not having collections, but the Commitment Card boxes are readily available as is the online form on our website. Keep praying about how God would use you to plant the seeds of His love and grace. Will you be one of God's senders? We believe this is an every member ministry.

MONTHLY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS: Next Sunday, from 5:00-5:45 p.m., we invite you to join us in the Sanctuary to pray for our missionaries, church planters, ministry partners, and the progress of the gospel in our hearts and around the world. Come pray that "the earth would be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD as the waters cover the sea" (Habakkuk 2:14).

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FAMILY of Tyler and Emily Ford on the birth of their son, Lewis Gresham Ford. Lewis was born on Friday, February 19, 2021.

OUR HEARTFELT SYPATHY is extended to the family of Pastor Carl Kalberkamp. Carl's father, Carl Herman Kalberkamp, Sr., passed away on Wednesday, February 24, 2021.

SONBEAMS NIGHT OUT: A Disney-themed Sonbeams Night Out will happen this Friday, March 5, from 6:30-9:00 p.m. in the POPC gym for our special needs friends. Come join us in showing the amazing love, welcome, hospitality, and friendship of Jesus to our friends. All volunteers arrive at 6:00 p.m. in the gym. Contact Daphne Clark at 601-594-3743 if you have questions.

MISSIONS PARTNER OF THE WEEK American Heritage Girls, Ridgeland, MS

American Heritage Girls is the premier national character development organization for young women that embraces Christian values and encourages family involvement. AHG seeks to build women of integrity through service to God, family, community, and country. Pray that God will bless the efforts of those who lead this organization, and that the Holy Spirit would use their efforts in His work of drawing many daughters to Christ.

COME PRAY WITH US! If you attend the 11:00 a.m. morning worship service, we invite you to gather in the Parlor during the 8:30 a.m. morning worship service to pray for the worship services and the preaching of God's word.

COLLEGE AND YOUNG ADULTS BIBLE STUDY: All college students and young adults are welcome to join the College and Young Adults staff for our Monday Night Bible study at 7:00, hosted at the RTS Student Center. We are walking through a study on the Holy Spirit. All students, including recent high school graduates, are encouraged to join us! Please contact Josh Beck for more details (jbeck@ccs.ms).

SHOWERS IN THE FORECAST: This Saturday, March 6, from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. we will host a baby shower for Mary Hope Bryant. It's a girl! Mary Hope is registered at Babylist and Target. On Saturday, March 27, we will host a bridal shower for Rebekah Reese in the cafeteria from 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon. Rebekah is registered at amazon.com/wedding.

SEASON SEVEN OF BIBLICAL COUNSELING TODAY has begun. Join Dr. John Kwasny for weekly episodes on the topic of "Satanic Confusion vs. Biblical Logic." Some of the episodes include: "Condemnation vs. Conviction," "Happiness vs. Joy", "Comfortableness vs. Comfort" and "Safety vs. Risk".

ATTENTION LADIES: Women's Spring Semester Studies have begun! We would love to have you join us! Check out the options on our church website at www.pearorchard.org, click on "Get Involved" and then, "Women's Ministry." All information you need to sign up is there for you. You may also direct your questions to the Women's Ministry Director, Tammie Haynes, at thaynes@pearorchard.org.

DO YOU RECEIVE OUR WEEKLY EMAIL UPDATES? Each Friday we send out announcements and encouragement from Pastor Caleb. If you would like to receive these informative emails, please contact Liz Taylor at ltaylor@pearorchard.org.

HELP NEEDED: If you delight in the details and love technology, you are the kind of person we are looking for to serve in our Sound Team Ministry. No prior experience is necessary! We will provide the training, and we have a lot of fun, too. Please contact Howard Graylin, hgraylin@pearorchard.org.

MISSION & MINISTRY COMMITMENTS

FOREIGN MISSIONS

John & Cathy Rug - Chile - MTW Johnny & Becky Long - Serge Josh & Gina Rieger - England - MTW Third Millennium Ministries Roger & Abi Lowther - Japan - MTW Virginia - Asia - IXO Nate & Nikki Bonham - Peru - MTW Jubin, EHA - Asia Ellie Honea - Japan - MTW Michelle Maley - Share the Hope - Ukraine Lee & Emma - N. Africa - MTW China Partnership - Asia Esaie Etienne - Living Stone Reformed Ministry - Haiti Derek & Shannon Ebbers - Romania - MTW Foster & Laura Gullett - Italy - MTW Mark & Bridgette - Middle East David Moran - CITA - Spanish Theological Curriculum Gary Johnson - IXO - European Church Planting Wes & Jami Baker -Peru - Christian Missionary Society Joni & Friends - India Bennett & Bonnie Ndelemeti - Zambia - Centre for Christian Missions and Unreached Missions

NATIONAL MISSIONS

Mid-South Church Planting Network
Harris Bond - Monroe, LA, Mid-South Church Plant
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Arklie Hooten - National Disaster Response - MNA
Dayspring Community Church - Fairmont, WVA - David Eades
Reformed University Fellowship @ University of Southern Mississippi, Mississippi State University, Ole Miss,
lackson State University, Belhaven University, Mississippi College, and Delta State University

LOCAL MISSIONS

Fellowship of Christian Athletes Lifeline Children's Services Gateway Rescue Mission Lantern Medical Clinic Center for Pregnancy Choices Christ Covenant School French Camp Academy Sonbeams Special Needs Ministry Joni & Friends (JAF) American Heritage Girls POPC Neighborhood Diversity Ministry Trail Life Cheryl Reese - Mission First POPC Moses' Basket Friends of Alcoholics Chase Maxey - Biblical Counseling and Training Ministry One Story Ministries Jackson Leadership Foundation Mission First Operation Christmas Child

GENERAL ASSEMBLY MINISTRIES

Covenant College (PCA) – Lookout Mountain, GA
Ridge Haven Conference Center – Rosman, NC
Committee on Discipleship Ministries
Covenant Seminary (PCA) – St. Louis, MO
PCA Foundation

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Administrative Committee
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Josh Beck - College Ministry Intern Adelle Johnson- Children's Ministry Assistant Ashley Biggs - Assistant Youth Director John Kwasny - Director of Discipleship Ministries Daphne Clark - Sonbeams Director Edwin Lewis - Maintenance Director Susie Cook - Organist Serena Lucas - Nursery Director Jan Duran - Administrative Secretary Scott Miller - Director of Youth Ministry Heatherly Edgar - Financial Administrator Margaret Sprow - Music Director Rick Goodwin - Business Administrator Liz Taylor - Media Communication Manager Howard Graylin - Sound Team Leader Madison Taylor - Worship Team Leader Tammie Haynes - Women's Ministry Director Georgia Upshaw - Youth Ministry Coordinator Cathy Haynie - CCS Head of School Madeline Hogue - Youth Ministry Coordinator