

## The Lord's Day

February 18, 2018 ~ 10:30 AM

Scripture for Meditation: "You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might." Deut. 6:5(ESV)

- Prelude      *And Can It Be That I Should Gain*      arr. V. Halberg  
Hymn 455
- \* Call to Worship      Psalm 147:1-6
- \* Hymn (insert)      *Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah*      ODE TO JOY
- \* Invocation
- Old Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 448)      Psalm 1
- New Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 982)      Philippians 4:4-9
- Hymn 499      *Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me*      TOPLADY
- \*\* Silent Prayer of Confession
- \* Assurance of Pardon
- \* Hymn 140      *O Word of God Incarnate*      MUNICH
- \*\* Pastoral Prayer
- Offertory      *Gracious Spirit Dwell with Me*      arr. K. Lee Scott  
PCC Choir
- \* Hymn 731      *Doxology*      OLD HUNDREDTH
- \* Prayer of Dedication
- Sermon      *Mercy Transforming My Mind, Then Life*      Rev. Bill Clark  
Text: Romans 12:1-2 (Bible, p. 947)
- \* Hymn 565      *All for Jesus!*      WYCLIFF
- \* Benediction
- \* Silent Meditation
- Announcements and Dismissal

*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.*

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given in loving memory of **Richard Gray** and in honor of **Corinne Gray's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday** from Jill and Pete Benedict.

**We warmly invite our visitors** to join us in the Fellowship Hall after the service for fellowship.

**Nursery care** is available for infants through age 3 in Rooms 2 and 4. Children aged 3-5 may attend Toddler Time in Room 5 during the Sermon. They may be dismissed just after the Offertory.

### Adult Sunday School, 9:30 AM:

"**Self Control**" will be co-taught by Elder Richard Jones (theological perspective) and Dr. Brad Wright (sociological perspective) and will meet in the Fellowship Hall.

**Disciple Making Parent Study**, open now to men and women, meets in Pastor Bowlin's office.

**Sermon Application** class meets in Room 6.

### Evening Service, 6:30 PM:

Please join us for our regular evening service and the Lord's Supper at 6:30 PM. Jeb Ralston will be preaching from Ecclesiastes 4:7-12 "Reconsidering Loneliness".

## SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

February 18, 2018

**Worship Leader:** Sterling Harmon  
**Greeters:** Barbara Crickmore, Liz DeMartin  
**Deacon in Charge:** Peter Benedict  
**Ushers:** Kevin Hilinski, Chris Marr  
**Audio:** Joshua Popovitch  
**Nursery:** 9:30: Julie Rau  
10:30 (*Worship*): Danielle Bolliger, Rachel Anderson  
**Toddler Time:** Mary Edwards, Shelby Warren  
**Coffee Clean-up:** Mayo  
**Evening Audio:** Kris Popovitch  
**Evening Nursery:** Leah McGennis

February 25, 2018

**Worship Leader:** Brian Wilson  
**Greeters:** Barbara Crickmore, Liz DeMartin  
**Deacon in Charge:** Scott Bolliger  
**Ushers:** Dave Conte, Greg Attardo  
**Audio:** Joshua Popovitch  
**Nursery:** 9:30: Kevin Hilinski  
10:30 (*Worship*): Ryan Mayhew, Vanessa Mayhew  
**Toddler Time:** Wendy Harmon, Grace Hauser  
**Coffee Clean-up:**  
**Evening Audio:** Kris Popovitch  
**Evening Nursery:** Ellen Bowlin

## Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah

The Scottish Psalter

Ludwig van Beethoven  
ODE TO JOY 8.7.8.7.8.7.8.7.

1. Hal - le - lu - jah, praise Je - ho - vah! O my soul, Je - ho - vah praise;  
2. Hap - py is the man that choos - es Is - rael's God to be his aid;  
3. Food He dai - ly gives the hun - gry, sets the mourn - ing pris - 'ner free;  
4. Hal - le - lu - jah, praise Je - ho - vah! O my soul, Je - ho - vah praise;

I will sing the glor - ious prais - es of my God thru all my days.  
He is blessed whose hope of bless - ing on the Lord his God is stayed.  
Rais - es those bowed down with an - guish, makes the sight - less eyes to see;  
I will sing the glor - ious prais - es of my God thru all my days.

Put no con - fi - dence in\_\_ prin - ces, nor for\_\_ help on man de - pend;  
Heav'n and earth the Lord cre - at - ed, seas and\_\_ all that they con - tain;  
well Je - ho - vah loves the\_\_ righ - teous, and the\_\_ strang - er he be - friends;  
O - ver all God reigns for - ev - er, thru all\_\_ a - ges He is King;

He shall die to dust re - turn - ing, and his pur - pos - es shall end.  
He de - liv - ers from op - pres - sion, righ - teous - ness he will main - tain  
helps the fa - ther - less and wid - ow, judg - ment of the wick - ed sends.  
un - to Him, thy God, O Zi - on, joy - ful hal - le - lu - jahs sing!

## This Week at Church

Monday	12:00 PM	PCC Newsletter Deadline
Monday	1:30 PM	Ladies' Prayer Meeting at Ohlund's
Tuesday	7:30 PM	Men's Bowling League
Wednesday	1:00 PM	Pastor's Bible Study
	6:30 PM	Pioneer Club & Teen Group
	7:00 PM	Midweek Recharge!
Thursday	1:00 PM	Red Cross Blood Drive
Friday	7:00 PM	Ladies' Craft Night
Saturday	7:00 AM	Men's Covenant Group
Sunday	9:00 AM	Prayer for the Nations

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### COMING EVENTS

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#### RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Our church is hosting an American Red Cross blood drive on **Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>** from 1:00-6:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. You can make an appointment to donate online at the Red Cross web site: [www.redcross.org/give-blood](http://www.redcross.org/give-blood). The Red Cross says their supplies are critically low right now so please consider donating. One donation can save up to 3 lives!

#### THE DISCIPLE-MAKING PARENT SEMINAR

There will be a seminar on the teachings from the book "The Disciple-Making Parent" on **February 24<sup>th</sup>**, from 9 AM-3:30 PM at the Federated Church of Willington, 132 River Road in Willington. The speaker will be the author of the book, Chap Bettis. Tickets are \$25/person, \$30/couple which includes lunch. Child care is available for children 12 and under. If you have questions you can call (860) 429-9911 or send an email to [Info@FedChurchWillington.org](mailto:Info@FedChurchWillington.org).

## CHURCH/FAMILY NEWS

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### BIBLE STUDIES

The Wednesday afternoon Bible Study will be studying Psalm 2 this week. The Wednesday night Recharge will be studying 2 Thessalonians 1:3-12.

### EASTER FLOWERS

Easter Sunday is coming on **April 1<sup>st</sup>**! That morning, we will enjoy an arrangement of spring flowers in the sanctuary, given in memory of loved ones. The flowers can be taken home after the morning service. A sign-up sheet with prices and varieties of flowers is on the back table in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, please see Amy Hauser.

### FLOWER CALENDAR

Flowers in worship serve in reminding us of God's glory reflected in creation, His loving care for us and our own mortality. If you would like to bless our worship/honor a loved one by providing flowers please use the flower calendar found on the Women's Ministry board in the Fellowship Hall. Flowers can be from your garden or purchased. If you have any questions please contact Dee Volkert.