

The Lord's Day

October 28, 2018 ~ 10:30 AM

Scripture for Meditation: "But thanks be to God, who gives us victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." -1 Corinthians 15:57(ESV)

- Prelude *A Mighty Fortress is Our God* Hymn 92
- * Call to Worship Revelation 1:4-6
- * Hymn 277 *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* EASTER HYMN
- * Invocation
- Old Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 519) Psalm 133
- New Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 977) Ephesians 4:1-8
- Hymn 726 *Spirit of the Living God (sing twice)* IVERSON
- ** Silent Prayer of Confession
- * Assurance of Pardon
- * Hymn 573 *Am I a Soldier of the Cross* MARLOW
- ** Prayers of the People
- Offertory *He Will Hold Me Fast* arr. K. & K. Getty
Rachel Embree, piano/vocal solo
- * Hymn 731 *Doxology* OLD HUNDREDETH
- * Prayer of Dedication
- Sermon *United for Mission* Rev. Bill Clark
Text: John 17:11-26(Bible, p. 903)
- * Hymn 441 *Jesus Shall Reign* DUKE STREET
- * 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.

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

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by the Women's Ministry Team.

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:

All Ministry Teams will meet in the Fellowship Hall today.

Sermon Application class meets in Room 6.

Reformation Day Service, 6:00 PM:

We will host our sister churches for a Reformation Day Service this evening. Rev. Dr. Mark Jones (PhD, Leiden Universiteit) is our guest speaker. He has been the Minister at Faith Vancouver Church (PCA) since 2007. He is also Research Associate in the Faculty of Theology at University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa. He lectures at various seminaries around the world and is currently finishing a book on Reformed Theology and "Sheer Christianity". He has written at least 12 books, some with Joel Beeke and one with J.I. Packer. There will be a light reception to follow. All are encouraged to attend!

* Congregation Standing
** Congregation Kneeling

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

October 28, 2018

Worship Leader: Elder Armand Chenelle
Greeters: S/A Bassett family
Deacon in Charge: Scott Bolliger
Ushers: David Conte, Greg Attardo
Audio: Kris Popovitch
Nursery: 9:30: Kevin Hilinski
10:30 (*Worship*): Dee Volkert, Patty Marr
Toddler Time: Richard Ashley, Grace Hauser
Coffee Clean-up: Bolliger
Evening Audio: Sam Edwards
Evening Nursery: Mary Edwards

November 4, 2018

Worship Leader: Elder Doug Fox
Greeters: K. Popovitch family
Deacon in Charge: Walter Mayo
Ushers: Corey Christians, Steven Bassett
Audio: Tim Owens
Nursery: 9:30: Vanessa Mayhew
10:30 (*Worship*): Julie Craig, Sue Owens
Toddler Time: Sheri Popovitch, Abigail Popovitch
Coffee Clean-up: S/A Bassett
Evening Audio: Elder Kris Popovitch
Evening Nursery: Leah McGennis

This Week at Church

Monday	1:00 PM	Ladies' Prayer Meeting at Ohlunds
Wednesday	1:00 PM	Pastor's Bible Study
	6:30 PM	<u>NO</u> Pioneer Club & Youth Group
	7:00 PM	Midweek Recharge!
Thursday	10:00 AM	Ladies' Bible Study
	6:30 PM	Ladies' Bible Study
Saturday	7:00 AM	Men's Covenant Group

ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMING EVENTS

MEN'S RETREAT

Please join us for this year's Presbyterian Men's Retreat **November 2nd-4th at Pilgrim Pines in Swanzey, NH**. We had a great turnout last year and will be blessed again by Pastor Brad Evans and Pastor Rob Hill as speakers. This Retreat is open to all men in the Southern New England Presbytery. Please talk to Kevin Marr for more information: kevinmar95@gmail.com, 860-287-8032.

PresWIC FALL LUNCHEON

The PresWIC Fall Luncheon will be held on **Saturday, November 3rd from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM at the Presbyterian Church of Manchester, 394 Lydall St., Manchester, CT**. The women of SNEPresWIC will be gathering together to dig into God's Word, pray, and CONNECT. Karen Gray, who spoke at the 2014 luncheon, will be the speaker once again.

CARING FAMILIES FUNDRAISING BANQUET

Caring Families' annual fundraising banquet, Finding Hope, is scheduled for **Saturday, November 10th, 5:15pm at UConn's Rome Ballroom, 21 Dog Lane, Storrs**. Melissa Ohden, a survivor of a failed abortion, will be the guest speaker. Caring Families has two local ministries, the pregnancy resource center, Women's Center of Eastern CT in Willimantic, and a Mobile Ultrasound Unit which travels all over Connecticut, offering free pregnancy

tests, ultrasound and support to women who might have unplanned pregnancies.

The purchase of the mobile unit has strained the ministry's finances greatly. PCC members are sponsoring four tables at the banquet. If you would be willing to support this ministry either by making a donation or joining a table at the banquet, please speak to the Barrs, Bolligers, Georges, or Pradettos or go to carefamilies.com/RSVP.

LADIES' CRAFT NIGHT

The Ladies Craft Night is going to pick up again here at the church 6:30-8:00 PM on designated Friday evenings. To allow for other events and holidays we will only meet once in November and December. The **November date is the 16th**, the December date will be announced soon. Starting in January we will resume meeting on the originally planned second and fourth Friday evenings. Bring your yarn projects, needle projects, coloring books, Christmas cards, or anything else you can think of!

PARENT'S NIGHT OUT

We will be hosting another Parent's Night out at the church on **Friday, November 30th from 6:00-9:00 PM**. PCC members may drop off their children, who are 14 years old or younger, at the church for an evening of activities supervised by an eager and willing group of volunteers who have a desire to encourage our families. We do require that you RSVP by Wednesday, November 21st, using office@coventrypca.church so that we can make adequate preparations. Children should bring their own brown bag snack or supper with them if needed. This should be a great night for some early Christmas shopping or just recovery from the Thanksgiving week!

CHURCH/FAMILY NEWS

PICTURE DIRECTORY

We will be putting together a picture directory for Pastor Snyder, Shelley and their children to help them get to know their new

church family. There are two ways to be included in the directory: If you would like to use a picture you have of your family please email it along with the spelling of each member of your family and your last name to Krispopovitch@gmail.com or **you can have your picture taken today, the final day to do so, following the morning worship service.**

Any questions please see Mary Edwards, Joe Edwards or Elder Kris Popovitch

PIONEER CLUB & YOUTH GROUP

Pioneer Club & Youth Group will **not** be meeting this **Wednesday, October 31st**.

BIBLE STUDIES

The Wednesday afternoon Bible Study will be studying Mark 2:13-28. The Wednesday night Recharge will be studying 1 Peter 4:12-19.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Boxes are available on the back corner table in the Fellowship Hall for those who would like to participate. They should be returned to the church by **November 11th**. See Sharon Fox, Laurie or Scott Warren if you have questions. (www.samaritanspurse.org)

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

The Food Pantry is in need of the following items: mac & cheese, pasta sauce, juice, cereal, ramen noodles, canned fruit cocktail and pineapple, cake and cookie mix. Thank you for helping provide for our church family and community!

GRATEFUL TO GOD

Cecelia and I would like to thank you all for the heartwarming words and prayers you shared with us on our wedding anniversary this week. The roses and gift card are lovely, but the highlight was taking time to read through your cards at the beginning and end of our day. We are filled with gratitude through your encouragement and prayers on our behalf. The time God is giving us with you all has been one of our greatest joys!