

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Eagles Ministry • February 17

Eagles, our ministry for senior saints, will meet on Friday, February 17, at 10:00 a.m. in fellowship hall (lower level). Come hear a special presentation from author Joe Henwood about the life of famous local singer Marian Anderson and how her faith informed her life. We will also have our usual time of fellowship. Contact Annette Hunsaker (annette@proclamation.org) or Bob Sidor (bob.sidor@gmail.com) with any questions.

Concert: Rob Martin Trio • February 17

For Proclamation’s third concert season performance, hear the Rob Martin Trio perform a concert of jazz standards, covers of American songbook favorites, and original compositions. The trio, based in Maryland, features Rob Martin, violin (son of PPC members Mike and Sandy Martin), Jan Knutson, guitar, and Steve Arnold, bass. The concert begins at 7:30 p.m. and is free and open to the public. Celebrate Valentine’s weekend with dinner before the concert and a light reception following!

Crates for Ukraine

MTW’s Crates for Ukraine program assists those suffering from the war in Ukraine. This is an opportunity for you, as members of Proclamation to be a blessing in Christ’s name to those of this war-torn land by purchasing desperately needed items that will be shipped there. Go to proclamation.org/ukraine for more information and instructions or see Glenn Seeger with any questions. Items must be purchased by Februray 21.

“A Parents Legacy: Pass It On” • February 25

On February 25, PPC will be welcoming Christian authors and educators Dr. Ronald and Mrs. Barbara Christman for a biblically-based and practically-oriented parenting seminar. This seminar will be focused on the foundation of faith in one’s parenting, as well as parenting with love and discipline together. The cost for this seminar will be \$20 per couple, which also includes light refreshments and a copy of the speakers’ book. Childcare will be provided. This event is open to non-PPC families, so please feel free to invite friends and family. Light refreshments will be served starting at 8:30 a.m., and the seminar will run from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Please register for this seminar on the PPC App or website. Contact Jon Christman at jchristman@alumni.nd.edu with any questions.

Join our Palm Sunday Concert Choir

Our Chancel Choir will perform Dan Forrest’s *Requiem for the Living* with Covenant Choir and festival orchestra on April 2nd at 5:00 p.m. If you would like to join the concert choir (high school and older), rehearsals are on Wednesdays from 7-7:50 p.m. beginning this week, February 15. If interested, e-mail Ryan Kelly at ryan@proclamation.org.

Spring Youth Retreat • April 21-23

All middle school and high school students are invited to join us for this year’s Spring Youth Retreat. We will be heading to Black Rock Retreat for a fun time outdoors and edifying sessions where we will study God’s Word together. Parents are warmly invited to join us as trip leaders. Visit proclamation.org/spring-youth-retreat to register! The cost of the trip is \$125 (price increases after February 15). Sign up today!

Handbell Camp • June 27-29

Save the dates for our third annual youth Handbell/Percussion Camp! The camp is open to all rising 3rd graders and older at no charge. This year, we will feature our first ever staged and costumed HANDBELL MUSICAL, “Noah and the Ark”. No worries, we’ll still do some of our favorite activities such as bucket drumming, percussion play-alongs, Bell Olympics and “Ring-o”, our handbell version of Bingo. Stay tuned for registration info, camp preview days, and opportunities to help with the camp. Contact sandy@proclamation.org for further information.

HIM WE PROCLAIM

Proclamation is a Bible-centered, Christ-focused, confessional Presbyterian church serving the western suburbs of Philadelphia. We are convinced the ordinary means of grace—the Word, prayer, sacraments, and fellowship—are the primary means God uses to convert and grow His people into conformity with His Son. Toward that end, we are committed to:

- Expositional preaching of the inerrant Word of God
- Reverent and joyful worship of our glorious Triune God
- Fellowship with God in prayer as we intercede for His kingdom to come
- Redemptive community within the body of Christ
- Cultivating a heart of compassion for the lost in our community and around the world

TEACHING ELDERS

BEN FALCONER Senior Pastor
KEN WENDLAND..... Associate Pastor
JEREMY JOHNSON..... Associate Pastor
KISUP LEE Assistant Pastor of Japanese and Korean Ministry
SOONSANG MOON* Assistant Pastor of Korean Ministry

CHURCH STAFF

DAVE MONEYMAKER..... Church Administrator
HENRY OESTREICH Administrative Assistant
YOSHIE LEE..... Japanese and Korean Administrative Assistant
NATE HOOVER Evening Sexton
RYAN KELLY* Director of Music
PAT TOLBERT*..... Financial Comptroller
VIRGINIA SPYKERMAN* Director of Women’s Ministry
KELLY LEIBENSPERGER*..... Director of Children’s Music
SANDY MARTIN* Director of Handbells
EMILY WOO* Director of Children’s Ministry
JONATHAN HARNLY* Media Services
ANNETTE HUNSAKER* Administrative Assistant
DAWN KEMP*..... Bookkeeper
ASAKI NAKAGAWA*..... Accompanist
TOM FOUNTAIN* Daytime Sexton
MIKE SBRACCIA* Daytime Sexton

*part-time

SESSION ELDERS

BEN FALCONER, *moderator* JEFF KIESEL
DAVE MONEYMAKER, *clerk* ROBERT NULL
MIKE HARNISH PAT TOLBERT
JEREMY JOHNSON KEN WENDLAND
DAVID JOSEPHSON PAUL WIK

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RON VOTTO, *chair* ANDY LEISNER
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PROCLAMATION

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America

Sunday, February 12th, 2023



MORNING WORSHIP

February 12th, 2023
10:30 a.m.

Rev. Ben Falconer, *preaching*
Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *assisting*

No unbelief made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. That is why his faith was “counted to him as righteousness.” — Romans 4:20-22

PRELUDE Jubilate Ringers

All Things Bright and Beautiful
arr. Tammy Waldrop

WELCOME Rev. Ben Falconer, *senior pastor*

MISSIONS MOMENT Jonas and Pattie Stava, *MTW Norway*

CHORAL INTROIT Covenant Choir
Asaki Nakagawa, *piano*

My Lord, What a Morning
arr. Sue Ellen Page

My Lord, what a morning, when the stars begin to fall.
You'll hear the trumpet sound to wake the nations underground.
Looking to my Lord's right hand when the stars begin to fall.
Swing low, sweet chariot coming for to carry me home.
My Lord, what a morning, when the stars begin to fall.

CALL TO WORSHIP* 1 Timothy 6:14-16

INVOCATION*

HYMN N° 111* This Is My Father's World
Stanza 1: Praise Makers, Training Choir, and Covenant Choir
Stanza 2-3: All stand and sing

Parents, during the remainder of the hymn, please pick up your child at the back of the sanctuary. After worship, robes may be returned in the narthex.

* Please stand.

DECLARATION OF FAITH* Westminster Shorter Catechism Q/A 33 & 86

Leader: What is justification?
Congregation: Justification is an act of God's free grace, wherein he pardons all our sins, and accepts us as righteous in his sight only for the righteousness of Christ imputed to us, and received by faith alone.

Leader: What is faith in Jesus Christ?
Congregation: Faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, whereby we receive and rest upon him alone for salvation as he is offered to us in the gospel.

HYMN N° 524* Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ

CONFESSION OF SIN Proverbs 3:5-6

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Isaiah 1:18

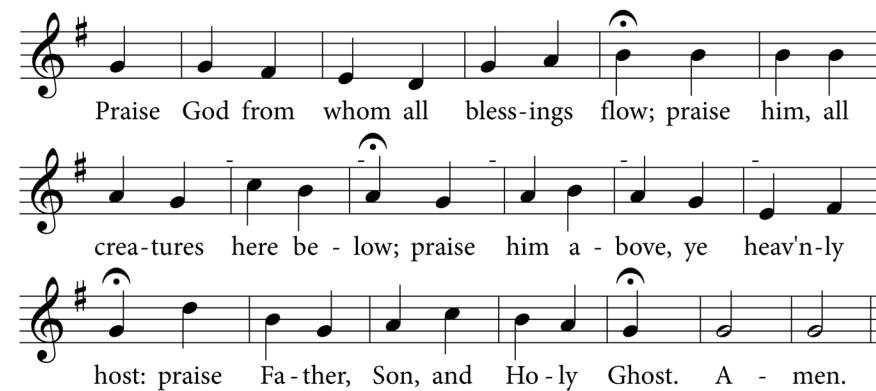
*At this time we would encourage you to record your attendance with us in the blue attendance pads.
Visitors, please consider filling out our connect card on the church app.*

OFFERTORY Chancel Choir

Blessed Are the Men that Fear Him
Felix Mendelssohn

Blessed are the men who fear Him, they ever walk in the way of peace.
Through darkness riseth light, light to the upright. He is gracious,
compassionate; He is righteous. — *Psalms 112:1-2, 4*

HYMN N° 731* Doxology



SCRIPTURE READING Jerry Giosa, *elder*

Matthew 17:1-13, *pg. 822*

*We offer a Children's Church curriculum designed for pre-readers ages 4-6 in Room 147.
Children are welcome to participate at this time in Room 147.*

HYMN N° 398* Christ, Whose Glories Fill the Skies

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Rev. Ben Falconer, *senior pastor*
Faith Credited as Righteousness
Genesis 15, *pg. 10*

HYMN N° 470* How Vast the Benefits Divine

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*



*After the service, take a moment to greet those around you; especially those you may not know.
We want to welcome everyone with the love of Christ and the grace of the Spirit, in the name of the Lord.*

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Jerry Giosa will be available to pray with you
at the front right of the sanctuary.

Brenda Sbraccia and Carole Tolbert will be available to pray with women
at the front left of the sanctuary.

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Join us tonight at 5:00 p.m. for our Evening Service with Hymn Sing.
The Silence of Jesus
Mark 15:1-15