

Morning Worship

December 31st, 2023

Prelude	Sue Gross
Announcements	
Call to Worship	
Pastor: Ho! Everyone those thirsts, come to the waters	
Cong: And you who have no money, come buy and eat	
Pastor: Come, buy wine and milk	
Cong: Without money and without cost	
*PH Hymn 444	Come to the Waters
*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer	
Professing our Faith	The Creed of Chalcedon (insert)
Call to Confession	Psalm 51:1-4
Reading of the Law	1 John 4:11-12
Prayer of Confession	
Assurance of Pardon	Psalm 51:7-12
*TH Hymn 524	Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ
Congregational Prayer	
Offertory Worship	
Old Testament	<i>Ezekiel 36:22-32 (pg. 865)</i>
New Testament	<i>Mark 4:5-17 (pg. 998)</i>
Sermon	THE ROCKY SOIL
*PH Psalm 67B	O God, Show Mercy to Us

*Benediction and the Doxology

Postlude

Evening Worship

Prelude	Sandy Kaeiser
Call to Worship	Isaiah 25:6-9
*TH Hymn 382	God Himself Is with Us
*Invocation	
Songs of Worship	PH Psalm 69B Thy Lovingkindness, Lord Is Good and Free
	PH Hymn 153 O Day of Rest and Gladness
	PH Psalm 76 God the Lord Is Known in Judah
Sharing & Prayer	
Offertory Worship	
Scripture	<i>2 Samuel 11:6-13 (p. 327)</i>
Sermon	DAVID'S COVER-UP
The Lord's Supper	
Deacons' Offering	
*TH Hymn 421	Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness
*Benediction	
*Gloria Patri (PH 572)	
<i>Postlude</i>	

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Welcome

A fellowship time, refreshments and Sunday school classes will take place after the morning service. New visitors can sign the guest book in the hallway.

TODAY

Greeter	D. TenPas
Refreshments	D. TenPas
Building Opener	B. Boss

NEXT WEEK

Greeter	H. Voskuil
Refreshments	Onnink
Building Opener	R. Nyhof

SERMONS NEXT WEEK

Morning Sermon	Mark 4:7-19
Evening Sermon	2 Samuel 11:14-27

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THE LORD'S SUPPER

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be held today during the evening worship service. The Lord's table is open to all those who have professed faith in Jesus Christ and are communing members in good standing of a Bible-believing church. Gluten free bread is available for those with gluten allergies. Please let Pastor De Jong or one of the elders know if you need this option.

ANNUAL MEETINGS

At the December Session meeting, the dates for our annual congregational and corporation meetings was set. We will meet on Wednesday, January 17 with a snow date of Wednesday, January 24. The Session also certified the following nominees for election: Ruling Elders: Roger Arndt and Chris Kaeiser; Deacons: Jeff Froh and Jason Will; Trustee: Connor Froh, Carl Nyhof, Joe Mamazza and James Bingham. Those who are responsible for written reports for the packet should get them to Stephanie as soon as convenient.

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

We will be having a Fellowship Lunch on January 14, 2024 at noon. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board. Hope everyone can make it.

FREE BOOKS

Our friends at Reformed Forum have sent us some free books for distribution. There are 3 copies of *Regeneration and Redemptive History* by Scott Wright and 10 copies of *Unfolding Redemption Exploring the History and Order of Salvation* by Camden Bucey and Lane Tipton. First come, first serve. See Pastor Brian to get your copy.

MILWAUKEE RESCUE MISSION

Milwaukee Rescue Mission Boxes will be in the foyer until January 7th. If you want to donate you can do so this week and next week. Mark Berenschot will be taking the boxes down to Milwaukee the week of January 7th. Thank you for donating.