

## **Announcements**

- This morning we celebrate the Lord's Supper. The Lord's Table is open to any current communicant member of a visible, gospel church. If you would like to explore membership with us, please speak to a member of session.
- Men's Doctrine Class meets this Wed., October 17<sup>th</sup>, at the Simmons home.
- This Friday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, there will be a service at Omega OPC in Williamsport at 7 p.m. to recognize Omega as a new and separate congregation and install Drew Adcock as their pastor. All are welcome to celebrate this special milestone for this congregation and our presbytery.
- Resurrection's Reformation Day Mini-conference, "Spirit and Truth: The Protestant Reformation and Worship Today," will be Wed., Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>, from 6:30-8:45 p.m. Speakers will be D. G. Hart and Tim Shafer. Please invite others!
- Please consider signing up to attend evening worship at Grace and Truth.

## **Prayers for God's Kingdom**

*"God will either give us what we ask or give us what we would have asked if we knew everything he knew." (Tim Keller)*

### *Resurrection Family & Ministry*

- Individuals and Families: William Noland
- Ann/Bdays: Lou Ann Shafer (Thursday); Tim Shafer (next Sunday)
- Specifics: Sherry London; Sandra Siggins; Kendra Smith
- Witness: "For we know, brothers loved by God, that he has chosen you, because our gospel came to you not only in word, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction" (1 Thess 1:4-5a).

### *The Wider Church*

- Local: *pray for other evangelical congregations/ministries*
- Presbytery: Providence (Mifflinburg)
- Home Missions: Jeremy & Gwyn Baker (Yuma, AZ)
- Foreign Missions: MM & LM (Asia)
- Persecuted Church: New Believer Rejected by Family (Yemen)

*After leaving Islam recently and placing his faith in Christ, Khalid has faced several tests of his new faith. His wife left him along with their two young children and said she would return only if Khalid returned to Islam. Three friends also told him that news of his conversion had spread and he could be killed for rejecting Muhammad. Khalid faced the choice of remaining faithful to Christ and facing persecution or returning to a perceived safety in the form of a false religion. After much prayer, Khalid chose Jesus. He knows, however, that his life won't be easy. His wife has returned to him, but she still urges him to follow Islam. Pray that Khalid will remain firm in his faith and continue to grow. Pray for the protection of Khalid and his family, and that his life will prompt others to seek Christ, especially his wife and children.*

### **Resurrection Orthodox Presbyterian Church**

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Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. | Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Meeting at State College Friends School, 1900 University Drive

Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m. | Meeting at St. Peter's, 1795 W. College Ave.



*And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head."*

*Worshiping the Triune God in*

STATE COLLEGE & CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

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*The Lord's Day, October 14, 2018*

# The Order of Morning Worship

☞ 10:30 AM ☛

## Preparation

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude & Meditation

*"Blessed Jesus, at Your Word"*  
(arr. W. Wold)

## Worship

\* Call to Worship & Salutation

\* Prayer of Adoration

\* Hymn of Adoration

*"Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus!"* (#285)

### Adoration

*Psalm 66:1-3a, 5*

### Confession

The Revelation of God

Confession of Our Duty

Prayer of Confession

Promise of the Gospel

*The Ten Commandments [insert]*

### Thanksgiving & Supplication

#571

*Psalm 107A, stanzas, 1, 8-13*

\* Gloria Patri

\* Psalm of Thanksgiving

Prayers for God's Kingdom

Offering

\* Doxology

#567

### Hearing & Proclamation

\* Prayer for Illumination

\* Scripture Reading(s)

The Sermon

*Psalm 65; Matthew 8:18-27*

*"Following the Suffering Sovereign"*

### Communion

*"The Apostles' Creed" (#561)*

\* Hymn of Communion

The Lord's Supper

### Response & Blessing

*"Be Still My Soul" (#532)*

\* Hymn of Response

\* The Benediction

*\* Those who are able should stand.*

# The Order of Evening Worship

☞ 6:00 PM ☛

## Preparation

Welcome & Prayer Requests

Prelude & Meditation

*"O Spirit of Life"*  
(M. Biery)

## Worship

\* Call to Worship & Salutation

\* Hymn of Adoration

\* The Lord's Prayer

### Adoration

*Psalm 66:8-9*

*"All Glory, Laud, and Honor" (#325)*

*Matthew 6:9-13*

### Confession

The Confession of Faith

of the Church Universal

of the Reformation Church

*The Nicene Creed [insert]*  
*Heidelberg Catechism #1 [insert]*

### Thanksgiving & Supplication

*Psalm 107A, stanzas 1-7*

\* Psalm of Thanksgiving

Prayers for God's Kingdom

### Hearing & Proclamation

\* Prayer for Illumination

\* Scripture Reading(s)

The Sermon

*Revelation 16; 1 Samuel 28*

*"Saul and the Medium"*

### Response & Blessing

*"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (#466)*

\* Hymn of Response

\* The Benediction

*\* Those who are able should stand.*

## ***The Morning Meditation***

*Blessed Jesus, at your word we are gathered here to meet you.  
(T. Clausnitzer, TPH no. 271)*

### ***The Confession of Our Duty***

***What is the preface to the Ten Commandments? (Exodus 20:1-2)***

And God spoke all these words, saying, "I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery."

***What are the commandments of God? (Exodus 20:3-17)***

1. "You shall have no other gods before me."
2. "You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments."
3. "You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain."
4. "Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy."
5. "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you."
6. "You shall not murder."
7. "You shall not commit adultery."
8. "You shall not steal."
9. "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor."
10. "You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's."

### ***The Promise of the Gospel***

But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. (Isaiah 53:5-6)

## ***The Evening Meditation***

*O Spirit of life, O Spirit of God, make us to love your precious word.  
(J. Niedling)*

### ***The Nicene Creed***

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of his Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us and for our salvation  
came down from heaven,  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered and was buried;  
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,  
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;  
and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;  
whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified;  
who spoke by the prophets;  
and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church;  
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;  
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### ***The Reformation Confessions***

***What is your only comfort in life and death? (Heidelberg Catechism #1)***

That I am not my own, but belong body and soul, in life and in death – to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me whole-heartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.