

## **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.
- The Diaconal Offering will be collected after the Lord's Supper.
- Sunday Night Discipleship meets tonight at 5 p.m. before evening worship.
- Midweek Fellowship will meet for the first time this Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at St. Peter's at 7:00 p.m. Please be sure to use the basement entrance via the outside staircase since others will be using the upstairs.
- The regional Home Groups for Midweek Fellowship will meet for the first time at the Roses' (Pleasant Gap) and Jacksons' (off Science Park Rd.) on the fourth Wednesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. Please let Pastor Simmons know where you plan to attend so the hosts can be ready for the right number of people.
- For the rest of the year, Men's Fellowship will typically meet on the third Thursday of the month so that it does not fall the same week as Midweek Fellowship. The next Men's Fellowship will be Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>.

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

*You do not have, because you do not ask. (James 4:2)*

### *Resurrection Family & Ministry*

- Individuals and Families: Bill & Lori Rose
- Ann/Bdays: Skip Dreibelbis (today); Paul & Ronnie Hay (Friday)
- Witness: "And thus I make it my ambition to preach the gospel, not where Christ has already been named, lest I build on someone else's foundation, but as it is written, "Those who have never been told of him will see, and those who have never heard will understand"" (Romans 15:20-21).

### *The Wider Church*

- Local: *pray for other evangelical congregations/ministries*
- Presbytery: Living Hope (Gettysburg)
- Home Missions: Jeremy & Gwyn Baker (Yuma, AZ)
- Foreign Missions: TD (Uganda)
- Persecuted Church: Christians Seeking Refuge (Mozambique)

*Believers are displaced and waiting to find refuge after fleeing recent attacks. After militant Islamists recently besieged the town of Palma, many were driven from their homes with nothing more than the clothes they wore. A group of 100 Christians is currently camped on the Mozambique side of the border with Tanzania, hoping to cross through Tanzania to return to Mozambique in order to find refuge in the Mozambican town of Nampula. Pray that obstacles would be removed from the path of these believers as they seek relocation to a safer place, and pray that they remain firm in their faith as they wait. (from icommittoprayer.com)*

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## **Resurrection Orthodox Presbyterian Church**

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Morning Worship: 8:45 a.m. | Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.  
Meeting at St. Peter's, 1795 W. College Ave.



*And they called Rebekah and said to her, "Will you go with this man?" She said, "I will go."*

*Worshiping the Triune God in*

STATE COLLEGE & CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

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*The Lord's Day, May 9, 2021*

# The Order of Morning Worship

☞ 8:45 AM ☛

## Preparation

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude & Meditation

*"My Life Must Be Christ's Broken Bread"*  
(Paul S. Jones)

## Worship

\* Call to Worship & Salutation

\* Prayer of Adoration

\* Hymn of Adoration

*"Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness" (#200)*

### Adoration

*Psalm 100*

### Confession

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Confession of Faith

The Law of God

Confession of Sin

Promise of the Gospel

\* Gloria Patri

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### Thanksgiving & Supplication

\* Psalm

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Prayers for God's Kingdom

Offering

\* Doxology

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### Hearing & Proclamation

\* Prayer for Illumination

\* Scripture Reading

The Sermon

*Revelation 19:1-9; Genesis 24:34-67*  
*"A Bride for the Son, Part 2"*

### Communion

The Lord's Supper

### Response & Blessing

Diaconal Offering

Closing Hymn

\* The Benediction

*"My Heart Does Overflow" (#45B)*

*\* Those who are able should stand. For the Diaconal Offering, please remain seated for the first 3 stanzas and stand before the fourth stanza.*

# The Order of Evening Worship

☞ 6:00 PM ☛

## Preparation

Welcome & Prayer Requests

Prelude & Meditation

*"My Jesus, I Love Thee"*  
(arr. Dan Forrest)

## Worship

\* Call to Worship & Salutation

\* Hymn of Adoration

\* The Lord's Prayer

*"Loved with Everlasting Love" (#483)*

*Matthew 6:9-13*

### Adoration

*Psalm 117*

### Confession

The Confession of Faith

of the Church Universal

of the Reformation Church

*The Nicene Creed [insert]*

*Heidelberg Catechism #1 [insert]*

### Thanksgiving & Supplication

\* Psalm

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Prayers for God's Kingdom

### Hearing & Proclamation

\* Prayer for Illumination

\* Scripture Reading(s)

The Sermon

*Isaiah 64; Titus 2:11-15*  
*"Why Godliness?"*

### Response & Blessing

\* Hymn of Response

\* The Benediction

*"All for Jesus" (#502)*

*\* Those who are able should stand.*

## ***The Morning Meditation***

*"My life must be Christ's broken bread, my love His outpoured wine,  
a cup o'erfilled, a table spread beneath His name and sign.*

*That other souls, refreshed and fed, may share His life through mine...*

*Lord, let me share that grace of Thine wherewith Thou didst sustain  
the burden of the fruitful vine, the gift of buried grain.*

*Who dies with Thee, O Word divine shall rise and live again." (Albert Orsborn)*

## ***The Apostles' Creed***

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## ***The Law of God***

### ***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 Evening Meditation***

*"My Jesus, I love thee, I know Thou art mine.*

*For Thee all the follies of sin I resign.*

*My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art Thou,  
if ever I loved Thee, my Jesus 'tis now."*

*(William Featherstone, TPH 496)*

## ***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.