Lord's Day Worship March 5th, 2023

*(Asterisk) indicates Please stand as you are able.

Welcome, Announcements

Paul Combs

Silent Prayer

<u>PRAISE</u>

* Call to Worship Psalm 21:13 and Psalm 30:4

Be exalted, O Lord, in your strength! That we may sing and praise your power.

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.

* Song Come, Thou Almighty King

*Prayer of Confession Book of Common Prayer

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we might delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

All the prophets testify about Christ that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name. Acts 10:43

Thanks be to God!

*Song Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

RENEWAL

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering Doxology

THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 48:12-22

* Song Eternal Light, Shine in my Heart

Sermon Text Acts 1:1-8

Sermon "When the Holy Spirit Comes Upon You"

Pastor Mark Cox

*Affirmation of Faith Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 1

What is your only comfort in life and in death?

That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself but to my faithful savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of his own blood has paid fully for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that he protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit his purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him. Amen.

* Closing Song O Church Arise

* Benediction Pastor Mark Cox

SERMON NOTES

"When the Holy Spirit Comes Upon You"
Acts 1:1-8

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S MINISTRY: CPW Stanton Healthcare Baby Shower will be Sat., March 18th at the Ministry Center, 11:30-1:30pm. This is an Appetizer Potluck—bring finger food to share. Learn more about Stanton Healthcare Clinic in Boise and how they assist women in the Treasure Valley facing crisis pregnancies. Meet some Stanton folks. Please bring an <u>unwrapped</u> gift that will help Stanton provide needed items for pregnancy and new babies. (Suggested gift list on Information Table).

Sign up today to attend this special event. Find out why Christ Presbyterian Church supports Stanton Healthcare. Questions? Contact Julie Smith at 208-989-9397 or juliewilber@msn.com

TITHING CHECKS: If you mail your tithing checks please make sure your checks have cleared from January and February and that you have the correct address for the new Ministry Center. (6074 N Discovery Way, Ste 110, Boise, ID 83713)

LOCATIONS of UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES:

- March 12th Kleiner Center
- March19th Courtyard Marriott
- March 26th Courtyard Marriott
- April 2nd Kleiner Center

PRAYER REQUESTS

HEALING: Charlie Gray, Paul Hoover, Dave Abel, Casey Rayburn, Ron Kappel, Ruthy Rayburn, Charles Coon, Linda Perkins, Josh, Diania, Karen Yeager. Pray for Jim & Laura Shaffer for wisdom in dealing with family health issues.

EPC PRESBYTERY OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST: Pray this week for First Presbyterian Church of Fairbanks, in Fairbanks Alaska, and their search for a pastor.

LOCAL MINISTRY: Please pray for the ministry of The Well Church and their pastor Josh Bales.



"...so that Jesus Christ might come to have first place in everything." Colossians 1:18 (b) NRSV

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