# Lord's Day Worship April 23, 2023

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

Welcome, Announcements

Janet Vail

Silent Prayer

#### <u>PRAISE</u>

\* Call to Worship

Psalm 124:8

Pastor Douglas: Our help is in the name of the Lord, Congregation: who made heaven and earth.

\*Song

God of our Fathers

\*Prayer of Confession

Holy and merciful God, for the times we have followed the path of the wicked, stood in solidarity with those who were wrong, or sat quietly and allowed sin to happen, forgive us. Help us to meditate, even delight, in your Word so that we will flourish with the fruit of your Spirit. Amen.

**Silent Confession** 

\*Assurance of Pardon

Pastor Douglas: Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners: that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Congregation—In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Glory to God! Amen.

Ordination and Installation of Julie Smith

\*Affirmation of Faith

**New City Catechism** 

Q2: What is God?

A2, Congregation: God is the creator and sustainer of everyone and everything. He is eternal, infinite, and unchangeable in his power and perfection, goodness and glory, wisdom, justice, and truth. Nothing happens except through him and by his will.

## 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.

Minute for Mission:

Topher Philgreen

President Laszlo Mission League

\*Offering

Doxology

## THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament Reading

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Sermon Text

Philippians 2:1-11

Sermon

"Called to Worship: Affirmation of Faith"

\* Song

He Leadeth Me

\* Benediction

Pastor Douglas

\*Dismissal:

Church, where are you going?

We go forth to serve God's world as those who love our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Glory to God!

#### SERMON NOTES

"Called to Worship: Affirmation of Faith"

Philippians 2:1-11

- I) Introduction Called to Worship Series
- II) The Text
  - A) Deuteronomy 6:4-9
    - 1) Declaration of Faith (6:4)
    - 2) Heart not just mind (6:5)
    - 3) Instruction (6:6)
    - 4) Entire Family (6:7)
    - 5) Every Square Inch (6:8-9)
  - B) Philippians 2:1-10
    - 1) Incarnation
    - 2) Death
    - 3) Resurrection
    - 4) Ascension
    - 5) Imitation (heart)
- III) Application Why the New City Catechism?
  - A) It's a Framework
  - B) Memory Work
  - C) Establishing Deep Roots
- IV) Closing How has our liturgy shaped our devotional life?

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP: Men will meet April 29, at 10am, at Gerry Helling's house (255 Palomino Dr.), for doughnuts and coffee. They will walk or drive 2 blocks to Pat Parker's blacksmith shop for a demonstration on making bottle openers from a horseshoe. There will be a drawing for two attendees to win a bottle opener! Sign up at the Information Table.

**NEW MEMBER/INQUIRER CLASS**: Starting Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> Pastor Douglas will be holding a new member class from 9-9:45 am, before worship service. Come and learn about Christ Presbyterian Church and the value of membership. Sign-up at the Information Table.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** "THE WOMEN OF EASTER" last study is scheduled for **Saturday morning, April 29nd** at the Ministry Center. Study begins at 10:30 am and concludes at noon. Contact Vicki Abel @ (509) 362-0793 or Anne Rice @ (208) 908-9988 for more info.

STANTON BABY BOTTLE DRIVE: Stanton Healthcare Baby Bottle Drive is coming! The annual Stanton Baby Bottle Drive begins next week. Stanton provides life-affirming healthcare to women facing unexpected pregnancies at no charge. The Baby Bottle Drive provides crucial support for Stanton's mission to protect mother and baby. To learn more visit StantonBabyBottleDrive.com

**ZOOM NEW CITY CATACHISM STUDY:** Meets Wednesday evening at 7pm, led by Pastor Douglas. Please email, call or text Pastor Douglas or the church office if you would like to be **added** to the current group.

**PASTOR'S INSTALLATION:** At 1pm on April 30<sup>th</sup>, following worship service at the Courtyard Marriott, lunch will be served, and then Pastor Douglas will be installed as our pastor. Please join us for this special service.

**CPW:** Mark your calendars for May 20<sup>th</sup> for the next women's luncheon. The speaker for this luncheon is from Threads in Faith: Prayer Quilt Ministry. Rich's ministry is similar to our quilt ministry but on a valley-wide scale!

# **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**HEALING:** 

**EPC PRESBYTERY OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST**: Pray this week for Living Waters EPC in Wendell, ID and their pastor Shaun Spencer.

**MISSIONARIES:** Please pray for the ministry of Laszlo Mission League.

# **LOCATIONS of UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES:**

April 30<sup>th</sup>Courtyard Marriott (Pastor Doug's Installation@1pm)

May 7<sup>th</sup> Kleiner Center

May 14<sup>th</sup> Kleiner Center

May 21st Kleiner Center

May 28th Courtyard Marriott



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

April 23, 2023 | Rev. Douglas Kortyna "Called to Worship: Affirmation of Faith" Philippians 2:1-11

Pastor – Douglas Kortyna

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