

Welcome to the Morning Worship Service! *January 28, 2018*

When the music begins to play, please turn off your cell phones and prepare your hearts for worship.

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Prayer

♪ Call to Worship ♪

Worship of Giving

♪ Song of Preparation ♪

Hymn #411: "Be Still, My Soul"

(Children who are in kindergarten through the 3rd grade are dismissed for Children's Church. Nursery care is provided for infants and children 4 years old & under.)

Message: Pastor Ron Dusharm

♪ Praise Music ♪

Benediction



Visitors

We are honored to have you with us today. Please be sure to sign the attendance record as it comes around, and if you would like more information about the church, please ask one of the ushers for a Welcome brochure.

Praise Night Service

There will be a Praise Service this evening at 7:00 pm. Please join us as we praise God through song and music. Light refreshments to follow.

Youth Groups

Both Youth Groups will meet today from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

Young Adults Group

The Young Adults Group will be meeting this Tuesday at 7:00 pm with Jay and Shelby at the Ministry House.

Deaconess Meeting

Sherri Woods will be the hostess for the meeting scheduled for this Thursday evening at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Attention All Men!

To all men, who would like to serve, or continue serving, as an usher, please sign up on the sheet located in the church vestibule. If you have any questions about ushering, please see Dennis Pierce.

Soup & Chili Luncheon



It's soup and chili time again! All are invited to join us downstairs Sunday February 11th after the morning worship service for a culinary delight. Please bring a pot of your favorite soup or chili to share. Bread, dessert, beverage and place settings will be provided.

News From Beaver Camp

Cold and snow got you down? Choose to make the best of winter! February 3rd Ice Fishing Derby at Beaver Camp and also in February are 3 amazing winter camps to choose from! For details go to beavercamp.org or call 315-376-2640.

From the Pregnancy Care Center

It's time again for the annual Change for Life fundraiser to support the Pregnancy Care Center and to help more women and men find hope during an unplanned pregnancy situation. One of the easiest ways to help our clients is to participate in this annual bottle drive. It's easy!! Just take a baby bottle and fill it with change, cash, or checks (made out to the Pregnancy Care Center). Return the bottle and the Center will take them to the bank to be counted. It's amazing how quickly it adds up – just under \$12,000 last year. Our goal again this year is \$12,000. Together we can save and change lives in our community. Please fill and return your bottles by February 25th. Thank you!



Giving

| General Fund Balance | Actual | Budgeted |
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| Offering for January 21 | \$2,952.00 | \$3,150.00 |
| Fiscal Year-to-Date | \$105,349.99 | \$107,100.00 |

Opportunities for Jan. 28th - Feb. 4th

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| TODAY | Morning Worship Service | 11:00 AM |
| | Jr & Sr High Youth Groups | 6-8:00 PM |
| | Praise Service | 7:00 PM |
| Wednesday | Moms in Prayer | 9:30 AM |
| | Hour of Prayer | 7:00 PM |
| | NO Choir Practice | |
| Thursday | Deaconess Meeting | 7:00 PM |
| | Men's Bible Study | 7:00 PM |
| | Teen Choir Practice | 7:30 PM |
| Next Sunday Feb 4 th COMMUNION | Sunday School | 9:30 AM |
| | Morning Worship Service | 11:00 AM |
| | Jr Hi Youth Group | 6-8:00 PM |
| | Sr Hi Youth Group Super Bowl Party @ the Carnicelli's @ 5:30pm | |

Nursery Volunteers

Today Cindy Pratt & Kristen Hirvela ✧ Teen: Jordan Greene

Next Sunday Feb 4th

Julie & Jacey Phillips ✧ Teen: Jayla Phillips

Children's Church

Today Deb VanNorstrand

Next Sunday Feb 4th

Melanie Lavere

Looking ahead . . .

Feb 11 Soup & Chili Luncheon

Feb 16-17 Timothy Keller Conference

Now to Feb 25th PCC "Change for Life" Bottle Drive

Mar 16-18 Senior High Winter Retreat at Beaver Camp

A better hope is introduced... draw near to God!

Please turn to Genesis 14:17-20 (pg. 10 in the pew Bible) and
Hebrews 7 (pg. 1004)

Melchizedek

- King of Peace, King of Righteousness
- Priest of God Most High
- Without Genealogy
- A Type of Christ- ***Resembling*** the Son of God

Jesus

- John 14... "My peace I give to you"
- He has become our righteousness
- He is our High Priest forever – Heb. 7:24

Who else but Jesus could fulfill what Melchizedek foreshadowed?

Hebrews 7:18-19 – The law made nothing perfect... a better hope is introduced through which we **draw near to God.**

- Romans 5:20 – The law came to increase the trespass
- Draw near – 7:19, 7:25, 4:16

Hebrews 4:16 - Let us then with confidence **draw near** to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need

- Keep on coming to

After the order of Melchizedek, Jesus has opened the way for whosoever will to draw near to the throne of Grace!

Are you drawing near to God?