

SEVERN RUN EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

A Church devoted to the pursuit of Scripture, Prayer, Fellowship and Worship as an effective and ultimately victorious means of reaching our community for Christ.

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

Sunday, 13 February, 2022

* Indicates standing if able

WELCOME & GREETING

Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley



INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 95:1-7

"Oh come, let us sing to the LORD! Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; Let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms. For the LORD is the great God, And the great King above all gods. In His hand are the deep places of the earth; The heights of the hills are His also. The sea is His, for He made it; And His hands formed the dry land. Oh come, let us worship and bow down; Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker. For He is our God, And we are the people of His pasture, And the sheep of His hand."

♦ HYMN N° 01

Psalm 95

CONFESSING CHRIST

Deuteronomy 31:1-6

"Then Moses went and spoke these words to all Israel. And he said to them: "I am one hundred and twenty years old today. I can no longer go out and come in. Also the LORD has said to me, 'You shall not cross over this Jordan.' The LORD your God Himself crosses over before you; He will destroy these nations from before you, and you shall dispossess them. Joshua himself crosses over before you, just as the LORD has said. And the LORD will do to them as He did to Sihon and Og, the kings of the Amorites and their land, when He destroyed them. The LORD will give them over to you, that you may do to them according to every commandment which I have commanded you. Be strong and of good courage, do not fear nor be afraid of them; for the LORD your God, He is the One who goes with you. He will not leave you nor forsake you."

CONFESSION OF SIN

Ruling Elder Joe Mackes

Confessional Prayer

"But when the kindness and the love of God our Savior toward man appeared, not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Savior, that having been justified by His grace we should become heirs according to the hope of eternal life."

♦ HYMN
No 02

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Giving of Our Gifts

Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

Praise Him all creatures here below, Praise Him above, ye Heav'nly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Gloria Patri: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,

and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end; Amen, Amen.

(Children ages infant - 3 years old are now dismissed to the Nursery)

RECEPTION OF MEMBERS

Communicant - Justin, Monica & Joshua Best Non-Communicant - Caleb Best

THE WORD PREACHED

Reading of Scripture "Be of Good Courage"

Acts 23:11-35
Pastor Jesse M. Crutchley

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

* INVITATIONAL HYMN
O Sacred Head Now Wounded

Nº 03

COMMUNION WITH CHRIST IN THE SUPPER

 ❖ HYMN
 N° 04

Still, My Soul, Be Still

BENEDICTION

* Postlude



SERMON NOTES

"Be of Good Courage"

Acts 23:11-35

11 But the following night the Lord stood by him and said, "Be of good cheer, Paul; for as you have testified for Me in Jerusalem, so you must also bear witness at Rome." 12 And when it was day, some of the Jews banded together and bound themselves under an oath, saying that they would neither eat nor drink till they had killed Paul. 13 Now there were more than forty who had formed this conspiracy. 14 They came to the chief priests and elders, and said, "We have bound ourselves under a great oath that we will eat nothing until we have killed Paul. 15 Now you, therefore, together with the council, suggest to the commander that he be brought down to you tomorrow, as though you were going to make further inquiries concerning him; but we are ready to kill him before he comes near." 16 So when Paul's sister's son heard of their ambush, he went and entered the barracks and told Paul. 17 Then Paul called one of the centurions to him and said, "Take this young man to the commander, for he has something to tell him." 18 So he took him and brought him to the commander and said, "Paul the prisoner called me to him and asked me to bring this young man to you. He has something to say to you." 19 Then the commander took him by the hand, went aside, and asked privately, "What is it that you have to tell me?" 20 And he said, "The Jews have agreed to ask that you bring Paul down to the council tomorrow, as though they were going to inquire more fully about him. 21 But do not yield to them, for more than forty of them lie in wait for him, men who have bound themselves by an oath that they will neither eat nor drink till they have killed him; and now they are ready, waiting for the promise from you." 22 So the commander let the young man depart, and commanded him, "Tell no one that you have revealed these things to me." 23 And he called for two centurions, saying, "Prepare two hundred soldiers, seventy horsemen, and two hundred spearmen to go to Caesarea at the third hour of the night; 24 and provide mounts to set Paul on, and bring him safely to Felix the governor." 25 He wrote a letter in the following manner: 26 Claudius Lysias, To the most excellent governor Felix: Greetings. 27 This man was seized by the Jews and was about to be killed by them. Coming with the troops I rescued him, having learned that he was a Roman. 28 And when I wanted to know the reason they accused him, I brought him before their council. 29 I found out that he was accused concerning questions of their law, but had nothing charged against him deserving of death or chains. 30 And when it was told me that the Jews lay in wait for the man, I sent him immediately to you, and also commanded his accusers to state before you the charges against him." Farewell. 31 Then the soldiers, as they were commanded, took Paul and brought him by night to Antipatris. 32 The next day they left the horsemen to go on with him, and returned to the barracks. 33 When they came to Caesarea and had delivered the letter to the governor, they also presented Paul to him. 34 And when the governor had read it, he asked what province he was from. And when he understood that he was from Cilicia, 35 he said, "I will hear you when your accusers also have come." And he commanded him to be kept in Herod's Praetorium.

Psalm 95





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CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY

"Be of Good Courage"

Acts 23:11-35

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O Sacred Head Now Wounded

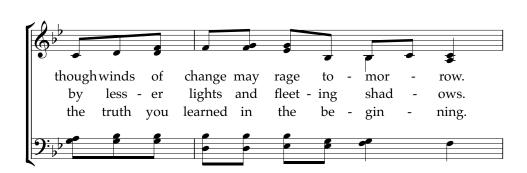


Tr. to English by James W. Alexander, 1830



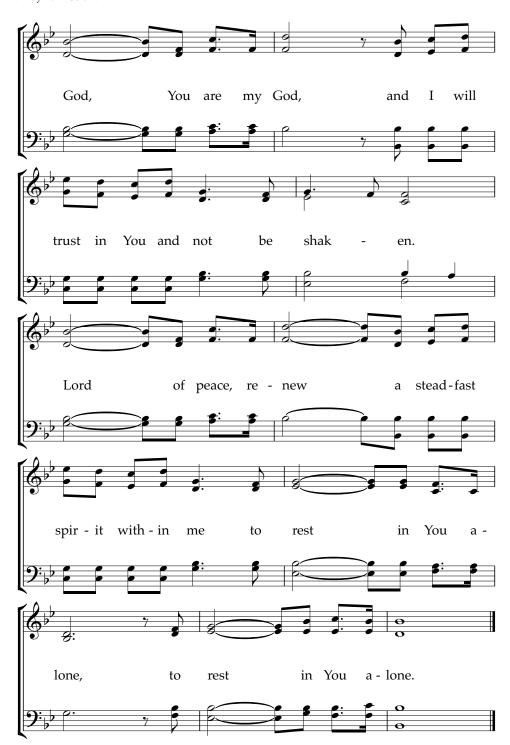
Still, My Soul, Be Still











Announcements at Severn Run...

TODAY

Welcome to those who are visiting with us! Please take time to fill out a green Visitor's Welcome Card on the table in the narthex and help yourself to some information about SREPC. Please place these cards in the Tithe Box (which is located on the table before entering the sanctuary)—Thank you!

Today there will be a short congregational meeting following morning worship for the election of new officers. All SREPC members age 18 and over are eligible to vote.

Standing for Elder: *Jeremiah Horner* (re-election)

Evening Service - 5pm. Pastor Jesse will continue in the book of Proverbs. As there is no meal following this service, we encourage you to use this time to invite others into your home for continued fellowship! Thank you!

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A Memorial Service will be held for our beloved brother Harry O'Haver on **Thursday**, **February 17th**, **at 6pm** here at the church. A dessert reception will immediately follow this service.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING/INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Any newly elected officers will be installed **next Sunday, February 20th,** during our morning worship service. Our annual congregational meeting is also next Sunday. The meeting will start directly after lunch. Lunch is provided - On the menu will be tacos and the fixings, chips, cookies, and bottled water to drink. Please plan to stay for this important meeting. Please note that there will be no Evening Service this day.

SEVERN RUN CLASSICAL CHRISTIAN HOMESCHOOL ACADEMY

NEW - 9th grade offered for next year! Please see the insert in the narthex for details or contact Marilyn Doerfel or Nick Clark with any further questions. Thank you!

SREPC CHOIR

Our Adult Choir ministry is practicing again! It is open to everyone over the age of 12. Rehearsals are every Wednesday at 6pm. All who are interested but wanting more information can speak to Bradley Chwastyk or email him at bradley.srep@gmail.com.

YOU'RE INVITED!

SREPC Ladies, please join us for a **baby shower honoring Rebecca Bamgbade on Saturday, 2/19 at 2pm!** Please see the insert in the narthex for more details!

POP-UP PANTRY

Many thanks to those who volunteer for this ministry every month! **We are in need of volunteers for the next Pop-Up Pantry on 2/16.** If you'd like to volunteer, please sign up using the Sign-Up Genius link or contact the church office. —Additionally, the Pop-Up Pantry is in need of the following items: Brown Grocery Bags, Strawberry Jelly, Grape Jelly, and Boxes of Cereal. Thank you!

SREPC WOMEN'S MINISTRY - GROWING IN GRACE, LOVING LIKE CHRIST Women's Monday Evening Bible Study - Mondays at 7pm (at the church) - All newcomers are welcome to join us in January. For more information, contact Carol Speargas (carolanne7856@gmail.com).

Women's Tuesday Evening Bible Study - Tuesdays at 6:30pm (typically at the Nolen home, but subject to change)— Please contact Elaine Nolen at laneybelle.en@gmail.com if you are interested in attending.

SREPC MEN'S MINISTRY - GRACE, GRIT, GLORY...

Men's Wednesday Bi-Weekly Evening Study - 7:30pm - Please contact Bradley Chwastyk at bradley.srep@gmail.com for more details.

UPCOMING EVENTS

February - 2/16 - Pop-Up Pantry; **2/20** - Installation of Officers / Annual Congregational Mtg; **2/22** - Session Mtg.

March - 3/2 - Pop-Up Pantry; 3/5 - Men's Breakfast; 3/6 - Celebration Sunday; 3/8 - Presbytery Mtg; 3/8 - Session Mtg; 3/16 - Pop-Up Pantry; 3/22 - Session Mtg.

What's Happening at Severn Run

Nursery (Infant-age 3)

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