

THIS WEEK

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting 6:30 PM

Set-up/Clean-up

Meal Ladies A-K
Room Men L-Z



PRAYER LIST FOR FEBRUARY

Copies of our congregation's February 2010 prayer list are available on the literature table.

PSALMS AND TUNES FOR NEXT SABBATH

Sabbath Morning Service

Psalm 8:1-9 Tune: Gainsborough, #65
Psalm 78:42-48 Tune: Stracathro, #136
Psalm 78:49-54 Tune: Ericstane, #58
Psalm 68:31-35 Tune: St. Lawrence, #117

Sabbath Afternoon Service

Psalm 94:1-10 Tune: St. Matthew, #157
Psalm 78:55-60 Tune: Stracathro, #136
Psalm 78:61-66 Tune: St. Magnus, #119
Psalm 94:11-15 Tune: Morven, #90

Did Christ die the cursed death of the cross for believers?

Then though there be much of pain, there is nothing of curse in the death of the saints. It still wears its dart, by which it strikes; but has lost its sting, by which it hurts and destroys. Death poured out all its poison, and lost its sting in Christ, when He became a curse for us.

But what speak I of the harmlessness of death to believers?

It is their friend and benefactor. As there is no curse, so there are many blessings in it. Death is yours (1 Cor. 3:22). Yours as a special privilege and favour. Christ has not only conquered it, but is more than a conqueror; for He has made it beneficial, and very serviceable to the saints. When Christ was nailed to the tree, then He said, as it were, to death, which came to grapple with Him there, "O death, I will be thy plagues; O grave, I will be thy destruction": and so He was, for He swallowed up death in victory, spoiled it of its power. So that now it may frighten some weak believers, yet it cannot hurt them at all.

If Christ died the cursed death of the cross for us, how cheerfully we should submit to and bear any cross for Jesus Christ?

He had His cross, and we have ours; but what are ours compared with His? His cross was a heavy cross indeed, yet how patiently and meekly did He support it! He endured His cross; we cannot endure or bear ours, though they cannot be compared with His.

John Flavel (17th century English Puritan)

SCHEDULE

Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 AM
Catechism Class 11:30 AM
Sunday Fellowship Lunch
Sunday Afternoon Worship 1:30 PM
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6:30 PM

We encourage everyone to quietly prepare his heart for worship before the beginning of each worship service, as this befits the glory of the God with whom we meet.

There is a meal following the morning worship service. We cordially invite our visitors to join us in this opportunity for Christian fellowship and spiritual conversation.

Offerings are collected on the literature table.

OUR CHURCH

We are a congregation of the Free Church of Scotland (Continuing), which has a presbytery in North America. The Free Church traces its historical roots back to the Protestant Reformation in Scotland, which began in 1560. The same biblical truths and spiritual identity have been maintained to the present day. Our doctrinal standards are the original 17th century version of the *Westminster Confession of Faith* and *Larger* and *Shorter Catechisms*. Further detailed information about our doctrine, worship, government, and practice are available on the book table and in the church library.

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- Beware
- lest any man
- spoil you
- through philosophy
- and vain deceit,
- after the tradition of men,
- after the rudiments
- of the world,
- and not after
- CHRIST. **Colossians 2:8**

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