

*The Fear of the
Lord is the
Beginning of
Wisdom*

Proverbs 9:10

Fairview Reformed Presbyterian Church
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January 9, 2022

Worship Service to God

Today, we ready ourselves, and our church officers, for another year we get to serve our Master.
We welcome a new soul into the number of Christ's church through covenant baptism.

MOMENT OF PERSONAL MEDITATION

CALL TO WORSHIP – Ephesians 3:20-21

“Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all we ask or think, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Jesus Christ throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.”

*SONG OF WORSHIP *“O Church Arise”*
(words on next page)

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND INVOCATION

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

BAPTISM INTO CHRIST'S CHURCH OLIVIA ROSE CHAFFEE

Explanation of Baptism

Vows

Covenant Baptism

Church Covenant

*SONGS OF WELCOME *“Covenant Child”*
“Family of God”
(words on next page)

PASTORAL PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

Announcement of Retained Ordained Officers

Installation of Newly Elected Church Officers

“The church submits to Christ” (Ephesians 5:24)

Prayer for the Church and Her Officers in 2022

The Lord's Prayer

*SCRIPTURE READING **Psalm 128 (p.657)**

**PRAYER OF ENLIGHTENMENT

MESSAGE The Pursuit of Happiness

*HYMN OF ASSURANCE *“Holy, Holy, Holy”*
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BENEDICTION

*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

**CHILDREN AGES 4 THRU 1ST GRADE

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP IS AVAILABLE

January 9, 2022

“Jesus Christ for West Beaver County.”

Songs and Words for Worship

O Church Arise

- 1. O church, arise, and put your armor on;**
Hear the call of Christ our captain.
For now the weak can say that they are strong.
In the strength that God has given.
With shield of faith and belt of truth,
We'll stand against the devil's lies;
An army bold, whose battle cry is Love,
Reaching out to those in darkness.
- 2. Our call to war, to love the captive soul,**
But to rage against the captor;
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole,
We will fight with faith and valour.
When faced with trials on every side,
We know the outcome is secure.
And Christ will have the prize for which He died,
An inheritance of nations.
- 3. Come see the cross, where love and mercy meet,**
As the Son of God is stricken;
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet,
For the Conqueror has risen.
And as the stone is rolled away
And Christ emerges from the grave,
This victory march continues till the day
Every eye and heart shall see Him.
- 4. So Spirit, come, put strength in every stride,**
Give grace for ev'ry hurdle;
That we may run with faith to win the prize
Of a servant, good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way,
Retelling triumphs of His grace,
We hear their calls and hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory.

Covenant Child

- 1. Covenant child Water comes as a sign**
Of the washing and cleansing Renewing your mind.
Covenant child You are claimed as God's own
You are one of His people His church is your home.
- 2. Covenant child, We are praying for you**
May you stay close to Jesus In all that you do.
Covenant child Grow strong in the faith
Seek after God's Kingdom And walk in His way.

Family of God

I'm so glad I'm a part
of the family of God
I've been washed in the fountain,
Cleansed by His blood!
Joint heirs with Jesus
As we travel this sod,
For I'm part of the family
the family of God.

Holy, Holy, Holy

- 1. Holy, holy, holy Lord God Almighty**
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty
God in three persons, blessed Trinity.
- 2. Holy, holy, holy all the saints adore Thee**
Casting down their golden crowns
around the glassy sea.
Cherubim and Seraphim falling down before thee
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
- 3. Holy, holy, holy though the darkness hide Thee.**
Though the eye of sinful man
Thy glory may not see.
Only thou art holy there is none beside Thee
Perfect in power in love and purity.
- 4. Holy, holy, holy Lord God Almighty.**
All Thy works shall praise Thy name
in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy merciful and mighty
God in three persons blessed Trinity.

Welcome and Announcements

Welcome

Visitors, welcome to worship. We hope you encounter the living God here and a company of new friends. Feel free to contact Pastor Jeff with any questions about faith, Christ, or our church. pastorjeff@fairviewpca.org.

- **Nursery is available** (in the nursery). Call JoAnna with any questions. 724-601-7153.
- **Children's Worship**, led by Charity te Velde & Helper Josiah te Velde
- **Children's Activity Bags** – are available on the rack in the vestibule.

The Lord's Day

9:30am – Sunday School

Sunday School opening at 9:30am in the sanctuary. We provide Sunday school for all ages.

Kids and Youth Classes

Nursery: Ages 0-2 –Coordinator – LL 201 JoAnna Zehnder

Toddlers thru Pre-K: Room LL 203 Ms. Marie,
Ms. Diane & Ms. Marci

K thru 2nd: Room LL310 Ms. Kara & Ms. Becky

3rd thru 5th: Room LL 204 Mr. & Mrs. Masters

6th thru 9th: Library downstairs - Mr. & Mrs. Billheimer

10th thru 12th: Youth Room- Mr. & Mrs. Oosting

Adult Classes

1. **"GROW: Discipling our Covenant Children"** – Teachers: Giles & Charity te Velde – Fellowship Hall
2. **"Delighting in the Law of the Lord"** – Teacher: Nick Orell – Kitchen

Sunday Worship

Morning Worship 10:45am – Blaise Pascal once wrote in the 1600s, *"All men seek happiness. This is without exception. Whatever different means they employ, they all tend to this end."* But what truly leads men, women, houses and society to happiness? On this baptism Sunday, Psalm 128 is our teacher. The Bible teaches us there is indeed a direct link between something people do and having a blessed life. Today we give a child to the Lord through the sacrament of baptism, and we install and pray for our new church officers.

6pm Evening Worship – We continue to worship the Lord for all of who He is and what He has done. Come and sing your favorite hymns. And study the word of God.

This Week

Monday

10am Bowling – All are welcome to join us at Calcutta Lanes.

6:30pm Session Meeting

Tuesday

6-8pm Fairview Food Pantry will be open for anyone with a need or if you know of someone with a need.

7pm Deacons Meeting

Wednesday

6:30pm–8pm – Covenant Kids – Children, ages 4 years through 5th grade, are welcome to gather on Wednesday nights. The curriculum is "Kid's Quest Catechism"

6:30pm–8:30pm – The Rock meets for Games, Worship, Bible Study and snack.

6:30pm Evening Prayer – *"Prayer and the Battle"* Soldiers need to be vigilant and alert in times of battle. This true in spiritual battles too. We will be studying Ephesians 6:10-20 about spiritual battles and prayer at all times in the Spirit.

Thursday

10:30am Young at Heart – (ages 50 & up) Weather permitting will meet at the church at 10:30am for a bible study on Joshua 12. For fellowship after the Bible study we will talk about recent or past Christmas stories and share in the leftover Christmas cookies. All are welcome who are 50 and up.

Next Sunday

9:30am Sunday School Special Guest – We will have a special guest speaker during the Sunday School hour for adults and jr. high & sr. high classes. He is a missionary from a country where secrecy is needed. And where he has seen some marvelous fruit. The rest of the children's classes will meet as they usually do in their classes.

10:45am Worship Service – We return for the Lord's Day of worship.

6pm Evening Worship – In the evening, we continue to worship the Lord for all of who He is and what He has done. Come and sing your favorite hymns. And study the word of God.

Congregational Announcements

Baptism – Olivia Rose Chaffee, daughter of Josh & Kelly Chaffee is being baptized today. Welcome Olivia today as a covenant child.

Missionary Needs – John and Cathy Rug will be coming to Enon Valley on 1-20-22 for home assignment. They have a home (!) but need a few more items: A couple "firm, old desks or tables". If you could help in any way, please see Linda D'Angelo.

Snow Camp Registrations – The theme this year is "Into the Jungle". Snow Camp is February 4-6th 2022. Registration deadlines Regular Registration - \$120 Nov 1 – Dec 31, 2021; Late Registration - \$140 Jan 1-16, 2022; January 17 the last day to sign up! Camp will be held at Seneca Hills Bible Camp.

<https://ascension.breezechms.com/form/snowcamp2022?>

Fairview Food Pantry – For the month of January we would like to restock our shelves with canned fruit, chicken noodle soup, vegetable soup, chunky soup, canned chicken, oil, shortening, flour, sugar, dish soap and laundry detergent. We want to encourage families or individuals who would appreciate this help to contact Angel Shepler at 724-987-2281. Monetary donations would greatly be appreciated at any time.

Worship Helpers

Worship Leader.....**Ben Hardesty**
Audio-visual**Alessia Miles & Paul Hardesty**
Musicians..... **Linda D'Angelo**
Children's Worship.....**Charity & Josiah te Velde**
Nursery.....**Naomi Shepler & Laura Masters**
Ushers.....**Tim Shepler, John Shepler**
Daniel Shepler & Jacob Shepler

Next Week's Helpers

Audio-visual**Paul Hardesty & Grace Billheimer**
Musician.....**Linda D'Angelo**
Vocalist.....**Rachel Sullivan**
Nursery.....**Naomi & Hannah Oosting**
Ushers.....**Doug Masters, Noah Oosting**
Micah Oosting & Rosh Raines



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Installation of Officers

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we will be installing all the new officers to the committees and retaining Elders Kevin Chaffee & Jeff Lyden and retaining David Allen D'Angelo, Doug Masters & Jacob Shepler as Deacons.

STEWARDS:

William Phillips - 2 year term

Brad Billheimer, Gideon te Velde & Chase Thoman – 3 year term

TRUSTEE OF CORPORATION:

Dick Benzio – 3 year term

CHURCH AUDITORS:

Dave Christian – 1 year term

Michael McComas – 3 year term

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE:

Melissa D'Angelo – 1 year term

Becky D'Egidio, Diane Melendez & Marci Thoman – 2 year term

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:

Emily McComas – 1 year term

Charity te Velde – 3 year term

MISSIONS COMMITTEE:

Edie Chaffee & Ethan Masters – 3 year term

WOMEN'S MINISTRY COMMITTEE

Angel Shepler – 1 year term

Dee Dee Raines – 3 year term

CONGREGATIONAL SECRETARY:

Linda D'Angelo – 1 year term

ASSIST. CONGREGATIONAL SECRETARY:

Amber Harteis - 1 year term

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT:

Kara Masters – 1 year term

SUNDAY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Christine Gallo – 2 year term

Kristine Masters – 3 year term

Rev. Jeff K. Zehnder, Pastor
pastorjeff@fairviewpca.org

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Sermon Notes

Psalm 128 – *“The Pursuit of Happiness”*