



Holy is the Lord

Fairview Reformed Presbyterian Church

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October 16, 2022

Worship Service to the God of Peace

Today, we come to behold the awesome holiness of God.
He unites us by granting us peace through His son.

CALL TO WORSHIP – Deuteronomy 5:24

*“And you said, ‘Behold, the LORD our God has shown us his glory and greatness, and we have heard his voice out of the midst of the fire.
This day we have seen God speak with man, and man still live.’”*

*SONGS OF WORSHIP *“Behold Our God”*
“Jesus Messiah”
(words on next page)

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND INVOCATION

UNITED BY CHRIST

OLD TESTAMENT READING – Psalm 133 (p. 659)

NEW TESTAMENT READING – 1 John 1:5-10 (p. 1301)

CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF GRACE – Romans 5:10

“For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.”

*SONG OF FELLOWSHIP No. 131
“The Church’s One Foundation”

PRAISES AND REQUESTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIP THROUGH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*SCRIPTURE READING **Leviticus 3 (p.104)**

**PRAYER OF ENLIGHTENMENT

MESSAGE The Peace Offering for Today

*HYMN OF SALVATION No. 157
“Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face”
(words also on next page)

BENEDICTION

*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

**CHILDREN AGES 4 THRU 1ST GRADE,
CHILDREN’S WORSHIP IS AVAILABLE

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“Jesus Christ for West Beaver County.”

Songs for Worship

Behold Our God

1. Who has held the oceans in His hands

Who has numbered every grain of sand
Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice.

Chorus –

Behold our God, seated on His throne

Come let us adore Him

Behold our King, nothing can compare

Come let us adore Him

2. Who has given counsel to the Lord

Who can question any of His words
Who can teach the One who knows all things
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds. **Chorus**

3. Who has felt the nails upon His hands

Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign. **Chorus**

Bridge – Men: You will reign forever
Women: *Let Your glory fill the earth (3x)*

Chorus

Jesus Messiah

1. He became sin Who knew no sin;

That we might become His righteousness.
He humbled Himself, and carried the cross.
Love so amazing, Love so amazing.

Chorus *Jesus Messiah; Name above all names;
Blessed Redeemer; Emmanuel
The rescue for sinners, The Ransom from heaven;
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.*

2. His body the bread, His blood the wine

Broken and poured out, all for love.
The whole earth trembled,
and the veil was torn.
Love so amazing, Love so amazing. **Chorus**

All our hope is in You, All our hope is in You,
All the glory to You, God, the Light of the world.

*Jesus Messiah; Name above all names;
Blessed Redeemer; Emmanuel
The rescue for sinners, the Ransom from heaven;
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all
The Lord of all, The Lord of all.*

The Church's One Foundation

1. The church's one foundation

Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
She is His new creation, By water and the Word;
From heav'n He came and sought her
To be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her,
And for her life He died.

2. Elect from ev'ry nation, Yet one o'er all the earth;
Her charter of salvation, One Lord, one faith, one birth;
One holy name she blesses, Partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses, With ev'ry grace endued.

3. 'Mid toil and tribulation And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation, Of peace forever more;
Till with the vision glorious Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at rest.

4. Yet she on earth hath union

With God the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won;
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we,
Like them, the meek and lowly,
On high may dwell with Thee.

Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face

1. Here O my Lord, I see Thee face to face

Here would I touch and handle things unseen,
Here grasp with firmer hand eternal grace,
And all my weariness upon Thee lean.

2. Here would I feed upon the bread of God,

Here drink with Thee the royal wine of heav'n,
Here would I lay aside each earthly load,
Here taste afresh the calm of sin forgiv'n.

3. I have no help but Thine, nor do I need

Another arm save Thine to lean upon;
It is enough, my Lord, enough indeed
My strength is in Thy might, Thy might alone.

4. Mine is the sin, but Thine the righteousness,

Mine is the guilt, but Thine the cleansing blood;
Here is my robe, my refuge and my peace,
Thy blood, Thy righteousness, O Lord, my God.

Welcome and Announcements

Welcome

Visitors, welcome to worship. We hope you encounter the living God today. If you have any questions about God, Scripture, or the church, or you'd like a call from the pastor, please note it in the attendance pad. Please say hello to Pastor Jeff after the service.

Nursery is available (downstairs). See or call JoAnna with any questions. 724-601-7153.

- **Children's Worship**, led by Naomi Oosting & Helper Micah Oosting
- **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.

Sunday School Superintendent – Kara Masters

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 1st: Room LL302 Ms. Lindsey & Ms. Bre

2nd thru 5th: Room LL 204 Ms. Amy, Ms. Susie, Ms. Linda

6th thru 8th: Library downstairs – Mr. & Mrs. Billheimer

9th thru 12th: invited to join John Gallo's class this quarter.

Adult Classes

"What's The Big Deal About Gender Anyway?" – Taught by John Gallo (Fellowship Hall)

"The Gospel of Mark" – Led by Nick Orell (Kitchen)

Sunday Worship

10:45am Morning Worship – There is no higher calling than to worship God. Yet sometimes, with others or with God, we find ourselves isolated. Separated. How can that be fixed? Leviticus says: through an atoning sacrifice. This week we hear the most joyful of the sacrificial offerings: The Peace Offering, of Leviticus 3. For any who read ahead, Leviticus 2 will also come up.

Small Groups – The study is *Hebrews: An Anchor for the Soul*. Choose one of 3 small group options.

12:45pm Small Group (Ohioville) The Lydens' Home (meets for lunch & study). Location: Type in "148 Fairlane" into GPS. When you see the water tower, take the driveway next to it. The Lyden's house is back behind the houses there. Pastor Jeff is leading.

6pm Small Group (Ohioville) The Chevaliers' Home: 217 Pleasantview Dr. 15052. Scott Shepler is leading.

6pm Small Group (Chippewa) The Raines' Home: 220 Hickory Dr. Chippewa. 15010. Giles te Velde is leading.

This Week

Monday

10am Bowling – All welcome Calcutta Lanes.

6:30pm Called Session Meeting

7pm Evening Ladies Bible Study – We are doing Rejoice & Tremble by Michael Reeves. Proverbs 1:7 "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge." What does that fear of the Lord look like in our lives? Do you struggle with daily fear in your life? How do we rid ourselves of ungodly fear? We'll dive deep into scripture through this book to answer these questions and more.

Tuesday

7pm Hospitality Committee Meeting

7pm Men's Bible Study – Doing a series on the beatitudes by John Stott.

Wednesday

10am Ladies Bible Study – We are doing Rejoice and Tremble by Michael Reeves. Proverbs 1:7 "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge." What does that fear of the Lord look like in our lives? Do you struggle with daily fear in your life? How do we rid ourselves of ungodly fear? We'll dive deep into scripture through this book to answer these questions and more. (Babysitting provided)

6:30pm-8pm Covenant Kids – Ages 4 years—5th grade. This year the curriculum is "*Pilgrim's Progress*" for (1st-5th grade) and *Fruit of the Spirit* for the Pre-K class.

6:30pm-8:30pm – The Rock is doing two studies. One is "A Field Guide on False Teaching." The other, a video discussion series on the Book of James. Along with games worship and snacks.

6:30pm Evening Prayer – Come and pray. We are using *The Heart of Prayer* by Jerram Barrs for study and discussion. Then we pray for our people.

Next Sunday

9:30am Sunday School – Classes for all ages.

10:45am Worship Service – We will continue in God's ancient word of Leviticus: Ancient teaching for our modern day. Next week we will look at the last two of 5 offerings: Commonly called the "Sin" and the "Guilt" offerings of Leviticus 4-5. Read ahead for deeper understanding.

Small Groups – Same as this week (see other side of this page).

Congregational Announcements

Mission Jars – The missions committee passed out the mission jars, if you need one, please see a committee member. Fill them up and return them on Sunday, October 23. We send this collection of money to our missionaries as gifts for them at Christmas time. Let us also pray for our missionaries.

Communicants Class – Starting Sunday, November 6th, we offer a Sunday School class with 20 lessons for youth in grades 6-12, who wish to become communicant members of the church. “*Communicant membership*” means that they become members who can take communion. The class provides special deeper training in the doctrines of the faith. Sign-up in the vestibule by Sunday, October 23rd.

Christmas program! In the evening of December 18th, we will be presenting Fairview’s Christmas Traditions. If you have any ideas for the show or would like to take part in it please see Rosh Raines by **October 16th Today**. All are welcomed.

Fairview Food Pantry, for the month of October, would like to restock the shelves with Spaghetti, egg noodles, spaghetti sauce, mustard, sugar, spam, chunky soup, chili, shampoo, and laundry detergent. Monetary donations appreciated at any time.

Snow Camp (Video Games IRL) –
Laurelville Retreat Center
February 10-12, 2023, Register Now
\$125 October 16 – December 31, 2022
\$145 January 1 – January 20, 2023

Trunk & Treat – at Fairview Church on **Wednesday, October 26th, from 6-8 p.m.** Fun, games, activities and TRUNK/TREAT. Invite your friends and neighbors to join us! We encourage you to bring goodies to bless the children during the trunk visiting/giving out you can decorate your trunk/tailgate, too!!!! If you're interested in helping out, call/text Heidi @ 724.709.5889. Be sure to mark your calendar! (in the event of rain, we'll move indoors for the goodies to be given out).

Reformation Sunday – We celebrate the Reformation on Sunday morning, October 30. The Reformation changed church history and brought the church back to the Bible and the doctrines of grace. The Bible alone is our source of authority that teaches us that we are saved through faith alone, through Christ alone, by grace alone for the glory of God alone.

Presbytery – Fairview is hosting Presbytery on Saturday, November 5th. We will need some volunteers to sign-up to make 8-quart crockpots of soups and desserts. The sign-up sheet is on the information table in the vestibule. Meetings are not secret. Visitors are allowed to come if you'd like to see how presbytery works.

Harvest Home Bags – This year we will collect for our own Fairview Food Pantry. Instructions are simple: Sunday, November 6th, take a paper grocery bag from the vestibule. Fill the bag with the **items listed on the bag** and return to Fairview Church on November 20th. We will offer them in thanks and pray to God. If you prefer to donate rather than shop, you can give a monetary donation; checks should be made to Fairview PCA and in the memo line write Harvest Home Bags.

Grief Share – Are you grieving the loss of a loved one? Are you wondering if what you are experiencing is normal? You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Join us for GriefShare “Surviving the Holidays” Seminar, Oct. 23rd from 1:00 pm – 3:30 pm at Burry's Church (1835 Route 68, Rochester, PA). GriefShare “Surviving the Holidays” is a video seminar as seen from a biblical perspective. The video is combined with support group discussion and a “Surviving the Holiday” guide. We ask that interested parties RSVP to Stacie Aland at Burry's Church, 724-452-6941.

Worship Helpers

Worship Leader..... **Ben Hardesty**
Audio-visual **Gideon te Velde & Noah Oosting**
Musicians..... **Linda D'Angelo & Kara Masters**
Vocalist..... **Lindsey Hollabaugh**
Children's Worship..... **Naomi & Micah Oosting**
Nursery..... **Amber Harteis & Grace Forton**
Ushers..... **Tim Shepler, John Shepler**
Daniel Shepler & Jacob Shepler

Next Week's Helpers

Worship Leader..... **Jeff Lyden**
Audio-visual **Noah Oosting & Jason Dudek**
Musicians..... **Linda D'Angelo & Josh Sullivan**
Vocalist..... **Lindsey Hollabaugh**
Nursery..... **Diane Justice & Diane Melendez**
Ushers..... **Doug Masters, Noah Oosting**
Micah Oosting & Rosh Raines



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Notes Page for Sermon or Prayer Requests

Sermon: "The Peace Offering for Today"

Leviticus 3