

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The **Children's Bell Choir** will meet today after Worship in the choir room with temporary volunteers. A permanent director is still needed. See Barbara Harris for more information.
- **Sunday School Volunteers** are needed in the preschool and early elementary classes. Please see Amy Bowles.
- **Seniors' Fellowship Lunch:** Wed., Feb 14, noon - 1:30 p.m. at the church. Questions: George or Barbara Harris, John or Paula Strain.
- **Paint Night** with Laurie Mang on Feb 16 from 6:30 – 9:30 p.m. See recent email for further details.
- **Ridgehaven Service Project** is coming Jun 17-22. Camp is for SRPC youth rising 6th through 12th grades. Please see Pastor Matt's Jan 19 email for details, or speak to him directly. A \$100 deposit is needed by Feb 15 to lock in the best price.
- **Food Pantry Donations:** The Deacons are continuing to collect non-perishable food items and general items for those in need in our community. Please put items in the ACTS bin in the hallway.
- **Choirs:** The **Girls' Choir** (ages 11 thru high school) practices on Sundays at 10:20 a.m. and the **Adult Choir** after Worship and on Thursday evenings (optional) when the Women's Bible Study does not meet. Questions: Barbara Harris, choir director.
- **Young Men's Singing Group (YMSG)** (ages 13 to 25) practices on most Sundays at 9:00 a.m., as announced, and is led by Grace Reid, church pianist.

FELLOWSHIP AND TEACHING

- **Men's Breakfast** meets on 4th Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. at the church building, for a potluck meal and study of *The Bruised Reed* by Richard Sibbes.
- **Women's Bible Studies** meet every two weeks at the church with a daytime group on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. and an evening group on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. You may come either day/time. Each study is planned to last about 90 minutes. Please see Lisa Bentley or Robin Deane for meeting dates and any other questions.
- **Teen Nights** for middle- and high-school students are held regularly and led by Pastor Matt.
- **Multiple small groups** meet 1-2 times per month for teaching, prayer, and fellowship. Please speak to anyone on the session if you are interested in joining one.
- **Tuesday Night Together** includes a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. (check your email for the weekly signup), followed by singing, teaching, and prayer at 7:00 p.m. Please join us!

Online Church Calendar: This fuller listing of scheduled events is on the home page of the church's website: www.spriggsroad.org.

Opportunities to Serve: Help is always needed in various areas of ministry at SRPC. Please consider offering your time.

Spriggs Road Presbyterian Church is a particular church of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

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The **live webcast** of the worship service and archived **sermons** are found on the church's website.

Mailed donations may be sent securely to the church at P.O. Box 2614, Woodbridge, VA 22195.



And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. Acts 2:42 (ESV)

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WELCOME

We really mean it when we say we are thrilled that you have come to worship with us today! If you should have any questions or comments about the ministry of Spriggs Road Presbyterian Church, please feel free to reach out. Contact information is listed above.

We start **Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 a.m.** and begin **Worship at 10:45 a.m.**, during which a **nursery** is available for ages 3 and under. Children are always welcome in our worship services. We also have a "cry room" available with a large window for viewing the service and a speaker that will be playing all the audio from the main sanctuary. Please feel free to use that if you are concerned that your children's noises are disrupting the service.

We hope that this Lord's Day you will be encouraged by the Word, refreshed by the worship, and touched by Christ's love through our fellowship with one another.

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 11, 2024

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation

[Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

†Hymn of Worship

"Safely through Another Week" [TPH 152]

Greeting

†Song of Praise

"Protector of My Soul"

†Confession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

Pastoral Prayer

Missions Update

†Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 10:1-14 [Seat Bibles, p. 957]

†Singing Psalms

Psalms 92 – It's Good to Thank the LORD [TPH 92A]

Tithes & Offerings

†Gloria Patri

[TPH 572]

Sermon Text

2 Kings 17:1-41 [Seat Bibles, pp. 323-324]

Expounding the Word of God

Pastor Matt Bowles

"Seeds of Hope"

†Hymn of Response [*]

Rejoice, Believer, in the Lord [TPH 486]

The Lord's Supper

[Bread, gluten-free bread (health), wine, and white grape juice (conscience) are served.]

†Doxology

†Benediction

Postlude

† Standing, if able

* The livestream ends during this hymn.

MEDITATION

“We should notice the vast privileges which the Lord Jesus Christ bestows on true Christians. He uses words about them of singular richness and strength. ‘I know them. I give unto them eternal life. They shall never perish--neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.’ This sentence is like the cluster of grapes which came from Eshcol. A stronger form of speech perhaps can hardly be found in the whole range of the Bible. Christ ‘knows’ his people with a special knowledge of approbation (approval or praise), interest, and affection. By the world around them they are comparatively unknown, uncared for, or despised. But they are never forgotten or overlooked by Christ.”

– JC Ryle on John 10:19-30

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep.

We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.

We have left undone those things that we ought to have done; and we have done those things that we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us.

O Lord, have mercy upon us.

And grant, most merciful Father for Jesus’ sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and joyful life to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.

Personal Confession

This time of silence is for private confession of personal sins.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

¹There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. ²For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. . . .³⁸For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, ³⁹nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

-- Romans 8:1-2, 38-39 (ESV)

SERMON NOTES

2/11/2024

Pastor Matt Bowles

Title: “Seeds of Hope”

Text: 2 Kings 17:1-41

I. Ingratitude

II. Idols

SERMON NOTES

III. Syncretism

IV. Seeds of Hope



Questions for Discussion at Home can be found 1) by following the QR Code on your phone to where it’s listed below the bulletin, 2) as a handout on the table at the back, or 3) on the church’s website:

<https://www.spriggsroad.org/SRPCwp/category/bulletins/>