

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Sunday School Volunteers** are needed in the preschool and early elementary classes. Please see Amy Bowles.
- **Ridgehaven Service Project** is coming Jun 17-22. Camp is for SRPC youth rising 6th through 12th grades. Please see Pastor Matt for details.
- **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.
- The **Children's Bell Choir** will meet after Worship in the choir room with temporary volunteers. A permanent director is still needed. See Barbara Harris for more information.
- **Choirs:** The **Girls' Choir** (ages 11 thru high school) practices on Sundays at 10:20 a.m. and the **Adult Choir** after Worship. Questions: Barbara Harris, choir director.
- **Young Men's Singing Group (YMSG)** (ages 13 to 25) practices on 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

APRIL 14, 2024

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation

[Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

†Hymn of Worship

"Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder" [TPH 286]

Greeting

†Song of Praise

"O Love That Will Not Let Me Go"

†Confession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

Missions Update

Pastoral Prayer

†Scripture Reading

1 Chronicles 23:24-32 [Seat Bibles, p. 352]

†Singing Psalms

Psalm 42
[Tune, "As the Deer"]

Tithes & Offerings

†Gloria Patri

[TPH 572]

Sermon Text

John 18:33-38; Luke 12:13-14; Mark 6:14-20
[Seat Bibles, pp. 904; 871; 841]

Expounding the Word of God

Pastor Michael Mang

Trying to Make Sense of the Spirituality of the Church

†Hymn of Response [*]

"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" [TPH 429]

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

¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵ and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

– 2 Timothy 3:14-17 (ESV)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, we have sinned against You and against our fellow men in our thoughts, in our words, and in our deeds.

We have sinned in the evil we have done and in the good we have not done.

We have sinned through ignorance, through weakness, and through our own deliberate fault.

We are truly sorry and repent of all our sins.

For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, Who died for us, forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may serve You in newness of life to the glory of Your Name. Amen.

Personal Confession

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.

-- 1 John 1:8-10 (ESV)

SERMON NOTES

4/14/2024

Pastor Michael Mang

Title: "Trying to Make Sense of the Spirituality of the Church"

Text: John 18:33-38; Luke 12:13-14; Mark 6:14-20

Theme: The Gospel is the central focus and mission of the Church. Nothing must detract or dilute this message or this mission. If it does, the souls of men, women, and children are in real spiritual peril.

I. Jesus' _____ Is Not of This
_____ – John 18:33-38

II. Jesus Refused to Be _____ - _____
from His Mission – Luke 12:13-14

III. A _____ for God Speaks Out Against a
Magistrate's _____ – Mark 6:14-20

SERMON NOTES

IV. Applications

A. "The Spirituality of the Church" doctrine means that the Church must not _____ itself into the _____ of the _____.

B. "The Spirituality of the Church" doctrine means that the Church is not _____ nor is it _____ to evaluate _____ pronouncements about _____ acts of the State.

C. "The Spirituality of the Church" doctrine means that Christians should not _____ over _____ issues and the _____ they support.

D. "The Spirituality of the Church" doctrine means that the Church must have as its foremost and primary mission the _____ of the _____ and _____ all that Christ _____ in His _____.



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/>