

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Fellowship Meal** today after the service, please stay.
- **Seniors' Fellowship Lunch:** Wed., May 8, noon-1:30 p.m. at the church. Please bring your lunch and beverage; desserts will be provided. Questions: George or Barbara Harris; John or Paula Strain.
- **Sunday School Volunteers** are needed in the preschool and early elementary classes. Please see Amy Bowles.
- **Teen Night** at the Albrights' home on Saturday May 11 from 5-8 p.m.
- **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 not meet today or next Sunday. On May 19th they will practice after Sunday School in the choir room and plan to play/sing in Worship that day if enough kids are available. 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.

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

MAY 5, 2024

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation

[Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

†Hymn of Worship

"Sing, Choirs of New Jerusalem" [TPH 358]

Greeting

†Song of Praise

"I Worship You, Almighty God"

†Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

Pastoral Prayer

†Scripture Reading

Deuteronomy 7:6-10 [Seat Bibles, p. 152]

†Singing Psalms

Psalm 78
Tune: "I Sing the Almighty Power of God" [TPH 250]

Tithes & Offerings

†Gloria Patri

[TPH 572]

Sermon Text

Galatians 1:1-5
[Seat Bibles, p. 972]

Expounding the Word of God

Pastor Michael Mang

Paul's Apostleship Serves the Authentic Gospel

†Hymn of Response [*]

"Praise the Savior Now and Ever" [TPH 335]

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

“This fountain is inexhaustible; it never fails no matter how much we draw from it. Even if we dip from it without stopping, it cannot be emptied, but it remains a perennial fount, an unfathomable well, an eternal fountain.”

– Martin Luther on God’s forgiveness

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

O living and true God, our hearts are cold and indifferent to Your Kingdom. We take for granted the grace You lavish upon us daily.

We confess anger that our desires are frustrated, not that Your majesty is maligned, Your Word impugned, or Your glory ignored.

Forgive us for loving the world more than loving You, Who gives us all good gifts to enjoy.

Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Purify us from our sinful desires and erring ways.

Help us to serve You in newness of the Spirit.

Enable us always to be mindful of Your providence, vigilant to do Your will, and humble to esteem others better than ourselves.

Hear our confession today as we pray in the merit and mediation of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Personal Confession

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

¹²“Yet even now,” declares the LORD,
“return to me with all your heart,
with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning;
¹³and rend your hearts and not your garments.”
Return to the LORD your God,
for he is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love;
and he relents over disaster.

-- Joel 2:12-13 (ESV)

SERMON NOTES

5/5/2024

Pastor Michael Mang

Title: “Paul’s Apostleship Serves the Authentic Gospel”

Text: Galatians 1:1-5

Theme: Paul’s apostleship ministers the real Gospel to those entrapped by this present evil age because of their sins. The reason for the Gospel is to deliver us from the ravages of this fallen world and from its destiny. This is only accomplished by Christ who gave Himself for us.

I. Paul is the _____ sent by the _____ and the _____ (1)

II. Christian _____ join Paul in _____ to the Saints (2a)

III. Paul addresses the various _____ in the region of _____ (2b)

SERMON NOTES

IV. The Greeting Focuses on What _____ Has Done for Us in _____ (3-5)

V. Applications

A. We still need Paul’s _____ today because it is an _____ of the ultimate apostleship of _____.

B. The _____ of God is the _____ We do not _____ Him anything. He gives us _____.

C. The _____ and _____ of the truth of God is the paramount _____ of the Church.



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/>