

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Teen Pool Party** for rising 6th – 12th graders will be hosted by the Deane family on August 31st from 4-8 p.m. Watch your email/Signal chat for food signup.
- **Tuesday Night Together** is resuming its regular school-year schedule. Details are below in the Fellowship and Teaching section.
- **SRPC's Announcements & Prayer team** is now using a new email messaging system called Flocknote. If you are not already receiving these emails, you can visit srpc.flocknote.com to sign yourself up for any of our groups. Need help or have questions? Chat with Darcy Heisey after service or send her an email at darcy.heisey@spriggsroad.org, and she'll get you situated!
- **Adult Choir** will resume practice September 8th after the service. Any interested adults are welcome to check it out. The **Girls' Choir** will resume soon. Questions: Barbara Harris.
- **Children's Bell Choir** will resume on Sept 8. This choir is intended for children ages 4-10, who need to know the "bell letters" A-G in order to follow the music prompts. Questions: Kate Bredbenner.
- **Annual Church Picnic and SRPC's 17th Anniversary Celebration:** Sat., Oct 12th, 3:00 p.m. at the Shirey home. Please watch for an email and Signup Genius for more details and to RSVP.

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.
- **The Women's Bible Study** will start a new series on the minor prophets beginning Sep 3rd and 5th. They meet roughly every other week at 10:30 a.m./Tuesday or 6:30 p.m./Thursday, whichever works best for you. The meetings run about 2 hours, including prayer time. The fall schedule will have 6 lessons and the spring will have 8. Please refer to the SRPC Announcements email dated 8/12 for details. POC Lisa Bentley or Robin Deane.
- **Young Adults Fellowship** (high school seniors thru mid-20's) meets monthly and is led by David Dise.
- **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** meets each week at 6:30 p.m. for dinner and at 7:00 p.m. for singing, teaching, and prayer. Please join us at either time and use the weekly email to sign up for the meal.

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

AUGUST 25, 2024

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation

[Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

†Hymn of Worship

"O Word of God Incarnate" [TPH 171]

Greeting

†Song of Praise

"Of the Father's Love Begotten" [TPH 268]

†Confession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

Pastoral Prayer

†Scripture Reading

Psalm 27 [Seat Bibles, p. 460]

†Singing Psalms

Psalm 17
Tune: "The Lord's My Shepherd" [TPH 23A]

Tithes & Offerings

†Gloria Patri

[TPH 572]

Sermon Text

John 17:13-26 [Seat Bibles, p.903]

Expounding the Word of God

Pastor Matt Bowles

"Union in Christ" (Part 1)

†Hymn of Response [*]

"We Are God's People"

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

⁴ Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. ⁵ Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; ⁶ do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

– **Philippians 4:4-7 (ESV)**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

O LORD our God, we lament that our sins have grieved Your heart and arrested sweet communion with You.

We cover over sins and transgressions that others do not see. But in Your sight, O merciful God, nothing is hidden.

We declare that our love for those outside the family of God grows cold.

We admit that often our motive for serving You seeks the praise of others.

We acknowledge that we have harbored bitterness and anger toward others.

Forgive us for the hardness of our hearts. Pardon us for delighting more in the fleeting pleasures of this fallen world.

We confess our sins and plead the merits of our Savior's life, death, and resurrection.

For Your great Name's sake, deliver us from evil.

We pray in the Name of Your Son, Christ Jesus, the Righteous One. Amen.

Personal Confession

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

¹⁵ "No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. ^{16a} You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide ... "

– **John 15:15-16a (ESV)**

SERMON NOTES

8/25/2024

Pastor Matt Bowles

Title: "Union in Christ" (Part 1)

Text: John 17:13-26

I. "In Christ"

II. Hidden

SERMON NOTES

III. Body, Temple

IV. Marriage, Clothes



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/>