

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Our **Ridgehaven** campers and counselors leave tomorrow morning! Please pray for traveling mercies, safety and good health on site, good fellowship, and deeper walks with Christ.
- **Additional AV Volunteers Needed:** If you are an adult or teenager and willing to help, please contact Mike Albright. Training is provided.
- **Donations** of non-perishable food items and general items for the needy in our community may be placed in the Deacons' "ACTS" box in the hallway.
- **Choir Practices:**
 - Girls' Choir** is on summer break.
 - Young Men's Singing Group:** after Sunday School in the library.
 - Children's Bell Choir** is on summer break.
 - Adult Choir** is on summer break.

FELLOWSHIP AND TEACHING

- **Multiple small groups** meet 1-2 times per month for teaching, prayer, and fellowship. If you are not involved in a small group, we encourage you to consider becoming part of one. Talk with a Pastor or an Elder for more information.
- **Men's Breakfast** meets on 4th Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. at the church building, for a potluck meal and study of *The Excellency of Holy Courage in Evil Times* by Jeremiah Burroughs.
- **The Women's Bible Study** has concluded until the fall.
- **College and Career Fellowship** (high school graduates and up) meets 2nd Friday of every month for dinner and games. POC Hannah Shirey.
- **Teen Nights** for middle- and high-school students are held regularly and led by Pastor Matt.
- **Tuesday Night Together** is on its summer schedule: 6:15 p.m. for dinner (check your email for the weekly signup) and at 7:00 p.m. for singing, teaching, and prayer, plus classes and recreation time for the teens and younger ones.

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.

Special Music Volunteers: please contact Pastor Michael, Pastor Matt, Barbara Harris, or Ezra Huckabee.

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

JULY 27, 2025

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation

[Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

†Hymn of Worship Psalm 148 -- "Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah!" [TPH 148B]

Greeting

†Song of Praise "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand"

†Confession of Faith The Nicene Creed

Pastoral Prayer

†Scripture Reading Isaiah 49:1-13 [Seat Bibles, pp. 609-10]

†Singing Psalms Psalm 29
"Now unto Jehovah, Ye Sons of the Mighty" [TPH 29B]

Tithes & Offerings

†Gloria Patri [TPH 572]

Sermon Text Mark 1:29-45 [Seat Bibles, pp. 836-37]

Expounding the Word of God Pastor Matt

Hidden Agenda, Hidden Glory

†Hymn of Response [*] "All Authority and Power" [TPH 424]

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.

If unable to come forward for the Lord's Supper on the 2nd/4th Sundays, simply raise your hand after all others have returned to their seats, and the Elders will serve you where you are seated.

MEDITATION

“Jesus is hungry but feeds others; He grows weary but offers others rest; He is the King Messiah but pays tribute; He is called the devil but casts out demons; He dies the death of a sinner but comes to save His people from their sins; He is sold for thirty pieces of silver but gives His life a ransom for many; He will not turn stones to bread for Himself but gives His own body as bread for people.”

— D. A. Carson

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

O God of unsearchable greatness, before You [we are] nothing but vanity, iniquity, perishing.

Sin has forfeited Your favor, [marred in us] Your image, banished [us] from Your presence, exposed [us] to the curse of Your law. [We] cannot deliver [ourselves], and [are] in despair.

But a resource is found in You, for You did devise an everlasting plan in Christ. May His shed blood make [us]:

more thankful for Your mercies,
more humble under Your correction,
more zealous in Your service,
more watchful against temptation,
more contented in [our] circumstances,
and more useful to others. Amen.

--Excerpt from *The Valley of Vision*, ed. by Arthur Bennett; Banner of Truth.

Personal Confession

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Because of the LORD's great love, we are not consumed,
for his compassions never fail.

They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. I say to myself,

“The LORD is my portion; therefore I will wait for him.”

The LORD is good to those whose hope is in him,
to the one who seeks him;

It is good to wait quietly for the salvation of the LORD.

-- Lamentations 3:22-26 (NIV, 1984)

SERMON NOTES

7/27/2025

Pastor Matt

Title: “Hidden Agenda, Hidden Glory”

Text: Mark 1:29-45

I. The real power of Christ stays _____ from those seeking _____, but transforms those willing to follow Him into _____ and surrender.

II. We fear being _____ or forgotten, so we reject a Savior who calls us into _____ -- and instead, we reshape Him to fit our desire for _____.

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III. The _____ power and love of Christ is fully revealed at the _____, where He takes our place outside the _____.

IV. Since Jesus took your place in the _____ places, you can now live with _____ in the _____ places – trusting, serving, and following Him without fear.



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/>