ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ➤ **Teen Night:** Saturday, April 29, 5:00 p.m. at the Dises' home. Contact Pastor Matt for details.
- ➤ Church Workday: Our next SRPC Church Workday is planned for Saturday, May 6, 8:00 a.m. noon (inclement weather plan is May 13th) details to follow. If there are any questions, please contact one of the SRPC deacons.
- ➤ Life First Abortion Recovery Classes: Life First is offering Abortion Recovery classes. See Lisa Bentley for more information.
- ➤ **Food Pantry Donations**: The Deacons are continuing to collect nonperishable food items and general items for those in need in our community. Please put items in the ACTS bin in the hallway.
- Child Safety Watch: The outside Child Safety Watch was created to help us keep an eye on the children after church while they are outside the building. This is a blessing to the many young families in our church. Since there is not an enclosed play area, it is very helpful to have extra eyes on the parking lot/lawn/driveway. Please consider serving in this way, using the emailed signup link.
- Family Campout: Our annual family campout will be May 18-20 at the Deane property. See Joe or Robin for more details.
- ➤ Vacation Bible School is June 26-30. Questions: Naomi Petko.
- ➤ **Ridgehaven**: The Ridgehaven Service Project is set for July 24-29 for rising 6th to 12th graders. Questions: Pastor Matt Bowles.

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 Gentle and Lowly by Dane Ortlund.
- Women's Bible Studies meet on the 2nd and 4th weeks of the month, on Tuesday morning and Thursday evening. See Lisa Bentley or Robin Deane for details.
- ➤ **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 Nights**: We have a potluck dinner at 6:30 (check your email for the weekly signup) followed by singing, prayer, and teaching at 7:00. Please come!

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

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



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**, and begin **Worship at 10:45**, 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 23, 2023 10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation [Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

Hymn of Worship "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" [TPH 528]

Greeting

Song of Praise "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

Confession of Faith The Nicene Creed

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading Genesis 39:1-6 [Seat Bibles, p. 33]

Singing Psalms Psalm 97

Tune: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" [TPH 222]

Tithes & Offerings

Gloria Patri [TPH 572]

Sermon Text Ephesians 6:5-9 [Seat Bibles, p. 979]

Expounding the Word of God Pastor Michael Mang

Serving and Leading Are Not Mutually Exclusive

Hymn of Response [*] "Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us" [TPH 525]

The Lord's Supper

Doxology

Benediction

Postlude

* The livestream ends during this hymn.

MEDITATION

O God, thou art my God; early will I seek thee: my soul thirsteth for thee, my flesh longeth for thee in a dry and thirsty land, where no water is;

To see thy power and thy glory, so as I have seen thee in the sanctuary.

– Psalm 63:1-2 (KJV)

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.

--The Valley of Vision

Personal Confession

This time of silence is provided for private, personal confession.

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

4/23/2023

Pastor Michael Mang

Title: "Serving and Leading Are Not Mutually Exclusive"

Text: Ephesians 6:5-9

Theme: Leaders serve, and servants lead. Leaders serve in their caring, thoughtful, and beneficial leadership. Servants lead by their excellent service, a service rendered to Christ first and foremost because that is how everyone must render service to the LORD and others.

I. Servants Owe _____ to Their ____ Masters (5-8)

II. Masters Owe ______ to Those Who Them (9)

SERMON NOTES

III. Applications

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D.	We should not be _	or against those who are i	n legitimate



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<u>Questions for Discussion at Home</u> can be found 1) by following the QR Code on your phone, 2) as a handout on the table at the back, or 3) on the church's website: <u>https://www.spriggsroad.org/SRPCwp/wp-</u>

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