

- ANNOUNCEMENTS
- **Teen Service Night** October 27 at 6 – 8 p.m. at the Church! After a pizza dinner, we will go out in groups to the nearby neighborhood placing Fall Festival flyers on the mailboxes. Devotional at the church when we return.
  - **Annual Fall Festival Outreach:** Sat., Nov 4, 10 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Please see email sent 9/27/23 with the corrected link to sign up to help and/or donate food items.
  - **Choirs:** The **Girls' Choir** (ages 11 thru high school) practices on Sundays at 10:20 a.m.; the **Children's Bell Choir** (ages 4 or 5 thru 10) after Worship; and the **Adult Choir** after the Bell Choir and on Thursday evenings when the Women's Bible Study does not meet. Questions: Barbara Harris, choir director.
  - **Young Men's Singing Group (YMSG)** (ages 13 to 25) practices on most 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](http://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

OCTOBER 15, 2023		10:45 A.M.
Prelude		
Welcome & Announcements		
Meditation		[Bulletin, p. 2]
Call to Worship & Invocation		
Hymn of Worship	“Rejoice the Lord Is King” [TPH 281]	
Greeting		
Song of Praise	“O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!” [TPH 463]	
Confession of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed	
Pastoral Prayer		
Scripture Reading	Romans 2:1-5, 12-16; 3:19:20 [Seat Bibles, pp. 940-941]	
Covenant Baptism	Lucy Todd Niewoehner Covenant daughter of Brent and Hannah Niewoehner	
Singing Psalms	Psalm 35 “LORD, Plead My Case” [TPH 35, vv. 1-4]	
Tithes & Offerings		
Gloria Patri	[TPH 572]	
Sermon Text	Hosea 7:3-16 [Seat Bibles, p. 754]	
Expounding the Word of God	Pastor Michael Mang	
<b><i>Ancient Israel’s Corruption on Full Display (Part 1)</i></b>		
Hymn of Response [*]	“How Vast the Benefits Divine” [TPH 426]	
The Lord’s Supper	[Bread, gluten-free bread (health), wine, and white grape juice (conscience) are served.]	
Doxology		
Benediction		
Postlude		
* <i>The livestream ends during this hymn.</i>		

MEDITATION

Praise be to you, LORD;  
teach me your decrees.  
With my lips I recount  
all the laws that come from your mouth.  
I rejoice in following your statutes  
as one rejoices in great riches.  
I meditate on your precepts  
and consider your ways.  
I delight in your decrees;  
I will not neglect your word.

– Psalm 119:12-16 (NIV)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord of mercy and grace, we confess that our love for You  
waxes cold and our hearts grow indifferent to Your holy Word. We  
are quick to blame others and to excuse our own faults and  
shortcomings.

We frequently doubt Your love for us, and our trust in Your  
promises becomes overshadowed by our fears.

We confess and repent of our sins, O LORD. Hear us as we  
approach Your Table and anticipate the grace that comes to us by  
faith therein. Cause our faith to grow stronger as we again survey  
the wondrous cross of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Produce in us the fruits of righteousness and holiness to the  
glory of Your Name: Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Whose  
righteousness is our glorious clothing. Amen.

Personal Confession

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

“I, I am he who blots out your transgressions for my own sake,  
and I will not remember your sins.  
Put me in remembrance; let us argue together;  
set forth your case, that you may be proved right.”

– Isaiah 43:25-26 (ESV)

SERMON NOTES

10/15/2023

Pastor Michael Mang

Title: “Ancient Israel’s Corruption on Full Display (Part 1)”  
Text: Hosea 7:3-16  
Theme: Israel should have turned to their God for strength, but  
instead they sought out the nations around them for help.  
As a result, life in Israel grew more and more unstable and  
chaotic. What happened to Israel also happens to us  
when we become intimately bound up with the world  
around us.

I. Political \_\_\_\_\_ for Israel Came After  
\_\_\_\_\_ the LORD (7:3-7)

II. Israel Sought \_\_\_\_\_ and Stability Among  
\_\_\_\_\_ Nations (7:8-16)

SERMON NOTES

III. Applications

A. God has just as much an \_\_\_\_\_ case  
against \_\_\_\_\_ as He did against  
\_\_\_\_\_.

B. The entire \_\_\_\_\_ stands  
\_\_\_\_\_ to the LORD God, not just  
ancient \_\_\_\_\_.

C. Every \_\_\_\_\_ we enjoy has been  
\_\_\_\_\_ to us by God. We are either using  
these to \_\_\_\_\_ His Kingdom, or we are  
using them to \_\_\_\_\_ His Kingdom.



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/>