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### 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.

**Opportunities to Serve**: Help is always needed in various areas

of ministry at SRPC. Please consider offering your time.

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**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.

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***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.

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Lord’s Day Worship

### October 22, 2023 10:45 a.m.

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**Prelude**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Meditation**  [Bulletin, p. 2]

**Call to Worship & Invocation**

**Hymn of Worship** “Man of Sorrows! What a Name” [TPH 352]

**Greeting**

**Song of Praise**  “My Worth Is Not in What I Own”

**Confession of Faith** The Nicene Creed

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Scripture Reading** Hebrews 8:1:13 [Seat Bibles, p. 1005]

**Singing Psalms** Psalm 49 -- "Hear This, All Ye Peoples" [TPH 49, vv,.1-3, 7]

Tune "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" [TPH 403]

**Tithes & Offerings**

**Gloria Patri** [TPH 572]

**Sermon Text** Hosea 8:1-14 [Seat Bibles, p. 755]

**Expounding the Word of God** Pastor Michael Mang

***Ancient Israel’s Corruption on Full Display (Part 2)***

**Hymn of Response** [\*] “Jesus Paid It All” [TPH 276]

**The Lord’s Supper** [Bread, gluten-free bread (health), wine, and white grape juice (conscience) are served.]

**Doxology**

**Benediction**

**Postlude**

\* *The livestream ends during this hymn.*

### Meditation

 “For the essence of sin is man substituting himself for God [Gen.

3:1-7], while the essence of salvation is God substituting himself

for man [2 Cor. 5:21]. Man asserts himself against God and puts

himself where only God deserves to be; God sacrifices himself for

man and puts himself where only man deserves to be.”

**– John Stott**

### 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

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***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)**

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Sermon Notes

### 10/22/2023 Pastor Michael Mang

Title: “Ancient Israel’s Corruption on Full Display (Part 2)”

Text: Hosea 8:1-14

Theme: Israel egregiously violated her covenantal obligations. Our relationship to God today is also based on covenant, a bond that can be violated by unbelief and unfaithfulness if we fail to love the LORD our God and follow His ways for our lives.

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1. **Hosea Highlights Five Areas of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Committed by Israel.**
2. **Two Particular \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Warn of the LORD’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ upon Israel.**
3. **Contrary to the Covenant, Israel Put Misplaced \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Her Own \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

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Sermon Notes

1. **Applications**
	1. Every covenant has two aspects: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
	2. Everyone belongs to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ covenants by God’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
	3. God’s Covenant of Grace is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ relationship, but it is more than this. It brings you into living and vital \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and union with Christ Jesus, Who is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God’s covenant.
	4. When you are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to God’s covenant, you are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Christ.

*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/

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