

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Fellowship Meal:** Today after Worship. Please join us for this potluck meal.
- **Seniors' Fellowship Lunch:** Wed., Sep 10, noon - 1:30 p.m. at the church building. Just bring your lunch and beverage; desserts will be provided. POC: George and Barbara Harris, John and Paula Strain.
- **Teen Night** for rising 6th-12th graders has been moved to Saturday, Sept 27, 4-7 p.m. at the Deane home.
- The **church picnic/ SRPC's 18th Anniversary celebration** will be held Saturday, Oct 11, 3-8 p.m. at the Shirey home. Please see the August 30 email to sign up.
- **Save the Dates for these upcoming events:**
 - Oct 16-18 - Men and Boys Campout (POC Deanes)
 - Nov 1 - Fall Festival (POC Gina Powell)
 - Dec 13 - Christmas FLOCK (POC Gina Powell)
- **Dianna Dise** is completing her counseling degree at Westminster Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, and is now offering **counseling sessions** to those seeking help with personal or relationship issues. Sessions will be held at the church building. For more information or to schedule a session, please call 478-457-6665.
- **Choir Practices:**
 - Girls' Choir** resumes today after Sunday School, in the choir room.
 - Young Men's Singing Group:** after Sunday School, in the library.
 - Children's Bell Choir** resumes today after Worship, in the choir room.
 - Adult Choir:** today after Worship, in the sanctuary.

FELLOWSHIP AND TEACHING

- **Tuesday Night Together** meets at 6:30 p.m. for dinner (check your email for the weekly sign-up) and 7:00 p.m. for singing, teaching, and prayer.
- **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** meets twice a month on Thursday evenings, 6-8 p.m., to study the book of James. POC Lisa Bentley and Robin Deane.
- **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.

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.

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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

SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Meditation

[Bulletin, p. 2]

Call to Worship & Invocation

†Hymn of Worship

“God Himself Is with Us” [TPH 164]

Greeting

†Song of Praise

"Sing, Choirs of New Jerusalem" [TPH 358]

†Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

Pastoral Prayer

†Scripture Reading

Isaiah 54:11-17 [Seat Bibles, p. 615]

†Singing Psalms

Psalms 11
“The LORD Is My Refuge” [TPH 11B]

Tithes & Offerings

†Gloria Patri

[TPH 572]

Sermon Text

John 6:35-51 [Seat Bibles, p. 892]

Expounding the Word of God

Pastor Michael

The Effectual Call of God

†Hymn of Response [*]

"Jesus Calls Us" [TPH 536]

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

For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the LORD. The blood shall be a sign for you, on the houses where you are. And when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague will befall you to destroy you, when I strike the land of Egypt.

--Exodus 12:12–13 (ESV)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION OF SIN

Our Father, we confess that we fail to forgive as we should. Pardon us for harboring anger and bitterness in our hearts instead of being kind and tender-hearted to forgive as God in Christ has forgiven us.
We grieve that we have been negligent and careless in carrying out Your commandments and duties. All Your laws and precepts reflect Your glory and are for our good.
We mourn that we would rather receive than give.
We abhor the times we waver and do not hold fast our confession that Jesus is Lord.
Because of Your great love and mercy, hear and forgive us.
May we always model the Gospel and show forth that our Lord Jesus has overcome all that has held us in bondage.
Through Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.

Personal Confession

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

“And I will have mercy on No Mercy,
And I will say to Not My People, ‘You are my people’;
And he shall say, ‘You are my God.’” –
And in the place where it was said to them,
“You are not my people,”
It shall be said to them, “Children of the living God.”

-- Hosea 2:23; 1:10 (ESV)

SERMON NOTES

9/7/2025 Pastor Michael

Title: “The Effectual Call of God”
Text: John 6:35-51
Theme: The Effectual Call of God is the work of God’s Spirit in which, by convincing us of our sin and misery, enlightening our minds to truly know Christ, and renewing our wills, He persuades and enables us to freely embrace Christ Jesus as He is offered to us in the Gospel.

- I. The Father _____ to Jesus His Son Those Who Will Truly _____ to Him in Faith (35-40, v.37)
- II. No One Is _____ to _____ in Jesus unless God _____ to Make It Happen (41-51, v. 44)
- III. Brief Teaching on the Effectual Call

A. Definition – Effectual Calling is the _____ of God’s Spirit that powerfully _____ a sinner of his spiritually-lost condition due to sin and how miserable that condition really is by _____ the mind to truly know Christ.

B. Descriptions about the Effectual Call

i. Whom Does God Call? *Those _____ by God*

ii. When Does It Happen? *In God’s _____ time*

iii. How Does God Effectually Call? *By His _____ and _____*

iv. What Happens When You Are Effectually Called?

1. Your _____ is enlightened spiritually and savingly

2. God replaces your heart of _____ with a heart of _____.

3. The LORD _____ your will.

v. What Is the Result of Effectual Calling? *You come _____ being made _____ by God’s grace.*

SERMON NOTES

IV. Applications

- A. Effectual Calling _____ any trace of _____ for man or any hint of human _____ that you _____ at least something to your salvation.
- B. Effectual Calling tells you that _____ is God’s _____ from _____ to _____.
- C. Because God _____ that the Gospel proclamation is effectual for those whom He has chosen and called, your _____ to share the Gospel are ultimately _____.



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/>