Welcome to St. John's Reformed Church



Lord's Day Sunday, September 28, 2025

2 Peter 3:8-13 The Already and Not Yet



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Ongoing...

- * Monday Night *Bible Study* 6:30-8:00pm Fellowship Hall. Current study: Acts
- * We have a *prayer time* before service at 8:40 downstairs in our prayer room to the right of the nursery. Please plan to come so that we can prayer together.
- * Every 1st Sunday after service around 11:30 we have a potluck lunch in our fellowship hall.
- * Want to receive a weekly copy of the *sermon manuscript* for further study of God's Word? Let Pastor Matt know.
- * During service parents are welcome to use the nursery or preschool room downstairs for your young kids if need be.
- * Downstairs we have a growing *library* of books that you can check out. Plus free booklets and t-shirts to take.

 "Print ministry" donations are always welcome as offerings.
- * There is a *mother and baby room* available downstairs next to the library/lounge area for those who need it.
- * If you are interested in becoming a member of St. John's please talk to Pastor Matt for more information on a *membership* class and more.
- * We always have a need for **bottled water and paper products**. If you would like to donate, it is much appreciated. They can go on any counter in the kitchen.
- * If members need a *Member Directory*, talk to Pastor Matt.
- * Offerings can be given during service, in the offering boxes located at the top of the stairs in the back of the sanctuary or in the foyer of our west entrance, or through our app.
- * Our *church app* is available through allofchrist.org or any app store

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Welcome and Announcements

* Call to Worship * Psalm 42

* Songs of Praise *
Come Ye Sinners Poor and Needy
Psalm 68 (Let God Arise)
Be Still and Know (Psalm 46)

Catechism

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon 2 Peter 3:8-13 The Already and Not Yet

Offering and Song of Preparation
Praise to the Lord the Almighty

Offering Prayer

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

Lord's Supper

* Song of Response *
All My Ways

* Benediction and Closing Doxology *

[* If able, you are invited to stand *]

2 Peter 3:8-13 - The Already and Not Yet

The already and not yet:

God's sovereignty in salvation:

The church:

Sermons are usually uploaded by Monday and can be accessed thru our website at www.allofchrist.org

Westminster Shorter Catechism:

Q. 103. What do we pray for in the third petition?

A. In the third petition, which is, "May your will be done in earth as it is in heaven," we pray that God, by his grace, would make us able and willing to know, obey, and submit to his will in all things, as the angels do in heaven.

Announcements...

Today at 4pm Andrew Horvath finishes teaching on Apologetics in our Institute. Next month Pastor Matt and Luke Saint will teach on The Place For Natural Law.

Pastor Matt has 8 free gifts of a year's access to Canon+ where you can stream Canon Press audiobooks and more on your phone, desktop, and TVs. This is first-come-first-served. Please talk to Pastor Matt if you'd like to take advantage of this.

The Future of Christendom conference is now sold out.

Next Sat urday Oct. 4th, 7am-2pm is our Yard Sale. If you have anything to donate, coordinate with Pastor Matt or Debra Marbarger.

*** For the Yard Sale we will have hot food, drinks, and baked goods for purchase. If you can donate any of these things, there will be a signup list downstairs on the bulletin board across from Pastor Matt's office. Also, an email will be circulating over the next couple of weeks. If you have any questions, talk to Shea Kenitzer. ***

Save the date for:

Sat Oct. 25th - 3-8pm - Fall Fest

Sat Nov. 1 is our next FLINT event: The Man As Provider

Today's flowers are in memory and in honor of all First Responders by the Friedensburg Fire Department.

Elders: Pastor Matt, Ethan Tuke, and Denis Ryabyy

Deacons: Ronnie Hikes, Kevin Elwood, and Andrew Killian

Consistory:

Deacons listed above and Marie Laubenstine, Nancy Umbenhaur, Debra Marbarger, Amy Laubenstine, Tara Laubenstine, and Ashley Elwood

If there are any specific needs you can contact any Council member listed above or:

Music Leader:

Andrew Horvath

Building/Maintenance/Safety:

Ronnie Hikes Andrew Killian Mike Dixon Sharon Dixon

Finance:

Nancy Umbenhaur

Hospitality/Mercy/Benevolence/Emergency:

Kevin Elwood Ashley Elwood Marie Laubenstine Debra Marbarger (in charge of flowers)

Prayer List:

Bob Baum

All contact information can be found in your church directory. If you need a directory, please ask Pastor Matt for one.