

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Orchestra in Worship

We welcome our Orchestra leading worship music this morning. Those who play an orchestral instrument (9th grade-adult) are welcome to play with the ensemble once a month on Sunday mornings; contact Caleb Thompson, caleb@proclamation.org, if interested. Pre-high school instrumental musicians are invited to play for Mr. Thompson and consider playing as part of a future Sunday evening worship service.

Eagles Meeting • March 21

Eagles, our ministry for seniors, will meet on Friday, March 21 from 10:00 a.m. - noon in the Fellowship Hall. Mike and Sandy Martin will lead some musical activities, talk about their music ministry, and what led them to Proclamation. If you have any questions, contact Dan Brubaker at danbru2805@gmail.com or 570-772-9739.

Youth Event • March 29

All youth are invited to gather at the church from 4:00-7:00 p.m. for a Nerf blaster bonanza, dinner, and a movie. RSVP by emailing Antonio Ayala (antonio@proclamation.org) by March 27.

Proclamation Expositors • Men’s Spring/Summer Softball

Our church’s softball team, the Proclamation Expositors, is scouting for players for this year’s season of competitive church league play that starts at the end of April! This is our fifth year to participate in an evangelical church men’s slowpitch league. Season games are primarily in May and June. It may seem far away, but the next few weeks are when we’d like to know if you’re interested in playing; we are always excited about adding more able-bodied players. Ball players who are 13 and up who are interested should contact Matt Craig (craigmw37@gmail.com).

Ultimate Retreat • April 25-27

All youth are invited to the Ultimate Retreat! The 2025 Ultimate Retreat will be held at NorthBay Adventure Camp. Sign up at <https://bit.ly/2025ppcUR>. Speak with Antonio if you have any questions.

Philadelphia Conference on Reformed Theology • April 25-27

Proclamation will be hosting PCRT again this year and the Alliance of Confessing Evangelicals is offering free registrations for PPC members! Members may register at <https://bit.ly/PPCPCRT25>. We will also need many volunteers to make this conference run smoothly. Sign up at <https://bit.ly/volunteerPCRT2025>.

VBS Registration • July 14 - 18

Registration for this year’s Kids Camp (VBS) is now open. Visit proclamation.org/kidscamp to sign up. All children ages 4 years old (potty trained required) by July 1st through completed 5th grade are welcome to participate. Registrations are accepted until Monday, June 30; class space is limited and availability is first-come, first-served.

Pick up a free copy of *Tabletalk* magazine in the narthex

Ligonier had a printing issue which delayed the arrival of this months *Tabletalk*. April issues have arrived and are available for free in the narthex. Pick one up on your way out today.

Alberta McCabe went home to be with the Lord on February 19th. Her family is hosting a reception in memory of Alberta at the Merion Cricket Club on April 1st, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. Friends of Alberta are welcome to attend, please RSVP by emailing Henryhfour@outlook.com.

THIS WEEK AT PROCLAMATION

Sunday:

- 8:30 a.m. Prayer Meeting
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 9:00 a.m. Korean Worship in the Beechwood Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. English Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Japanese Worship in room 243/245
- 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Monday:

- 9:45 a.m. ESL (English as a Second Language) class

Tuesday:

- 7:00 a.m. Women’s Prayer Call

Wednesday:

- 7:00 a.m. Zoom Prayer Meeting
- 9:15 a.m. Women’s Bible Study
- 4:45-6:45 p.m. Dinner
- 5:00-7:00 p.m. Children’s and youth music rehearsal
- 5:00-8:00 p.m. Focus Groups in room 243/245
- 5:45-6:45 p.m. Soli Deo Gloria handbells rehearsal
- 7:00-8:30 p.m. Trail Life and Girls of Grace (K-5th grade)
- Refinery Youth Group (6th-12th grade)
- Chancel Choir rehearsal
- Men’s and Women’s Bible Studies
- ESL (English as a Second Language) class

Friday:

- 9:00 a.m. Women’s Prayer Call
- 7:00 p.m. Sparrows (Young Adults) Game Night

Saturday:

- 9:00 a.m. Men’s Bible Study

For more information contact info@proclamation.org or visit our website: proclamation.org



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Sunday, March 16th, 2025



MORNING WORSHIP

March 16th, 2025
10:30 a.m.

Rev. Dr. John Currie, *preaching*
Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *assisting*

PRELUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*
Proclamation Orchestra

What Wondrous Love Is This
arr. Stan Pethel

WELCOME Rev. Dr. John Currie, *interim senior pastor*

MINISTRY MOMENT Search Committee
Robert Null, *chair*

CHORAL INTROIT Chancel Choir
I Am the Light of the World
George Thalbel-Ball

I am the light of the world. He that followeth me shall not walk in darkness,
but shall have the light of life. — *John 8:12*

CALL TO WORSHIP* 1 Chronicles 16:29

INVOCATION*

HYMN N° 38* Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

DECLARATION OF FAITH* Belgic Confession, art. 10
on the deity of Christ

We believe that Jesus Christ, according to his divine nature, is the only Son of God—eternally begotten, not made or created, for then he would be a creature. He is one in essence with the Father; coeternal; the exact image of the person of the Father and the “reflection of God’s glory,” being like the Father in all things.

Jesus Christ is the Son of God not only from the time he assumed our nature but from all eternity, as the following testimonies teach us when they are taken together. Moses says that God created the world; and John says that all things were created through the Word, which he calls God. The apostle says that God created the world through the Son. He also says that God created all things through Jesus Christ.

And so it must follow that the one who is called God, the Word, the Son, and Jesus Christ already existed before creating all things. Therefore the prophet Micah says that Christ’s origin is “from ancient days.” And the apostle says that the Son has “neither beginning of days nor end of life.” So then, he is the true eternal God, the Almighty, whom we invoke, worship, and serve.

HYMN N° 163* At the Name of Jesus

CONFESSION OF SIN Romans 6:23

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Romans 8:1-2, 11

*At this time we would encourage you to record your attendance with us in the blue attendance pads.
Visitors, please consider filling out our connect card on the church app.*

OFFERTORY Chancel Choir
Sarah Whitehead, *piano*

The Perfect Wisdom of Our God
arr. Sunmin Kim

The perfect wisdom of our God revealed in all the universe: All things created by his hand and held together at his command. He knows the mysteries of the seas; the secrets of the stars are his. He guides the planets on their way and turns the earth through another day.

The matchless wisdom of his ways that mark the path of righteousness: His word a lamp unto my feet, his Spirit teaching and guiding me, and O the mystery of the cross, that God should suffer for the lost, so that the fool might shame the wise, and all the glory might go to Christ!

O grant me wisdom from above to pray for peace and cling to love, and teach me humbly to receive the sun and rain of your sovereignty. Each strand of sorrow has a place within this tapestry of grace; so through the trials I choose to say: “Your perfect will in your perfect way.”
— *Stuart Townend and Keith Getty*

SCRIPTURE READING* Pat Tolbert, *elder*
John 8:12-30, *pg. 894*

HYMN N° 497* I Need Thee, Precious Jesus

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Rev. Dr. John Currie, *interim senior pastor*
Lessons from Philippi
Philippians 2:5-11 *pg. 980*

HYMN N° 442* Arise, O God

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*



Pat Tolbert will be available to pray with you
at the front right of the sanctuary.

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Susan Wambua and Brenda Sbraccia will be available to pray with women
at the front left of the sanctuary.

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Join us tonight at 5:00 p.m. for our Evening Service
Antonio Ayala preaching
Whom Have I
Psalm 73

* Please stand.