March 24, 2024 LORD's Day Worship 9:30 a.m.

**Announcements** 

Michael Brock

**Vocal Ensemble** 

"Majesty"

## \*Call to Worship

**Hunter Twitty** 

Pastor: Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

People: Hosanna! Rejoice for the Lord is in our midst.

Pastor: He comes with joy and hope, to set us free from sin.

People: Hosanna! Glory to God in the Highest Heaven. Amen.

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us worship God

## \*Hymn of Praise

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

Hosanna, loud hosanna the little children sang; Through pillard court and temple the lovely anthem rang; To Jesus who had blessed them close folded to His breast, The children sang their praises, the simplest and the best.

From Olivet they followed 'mid an exultant crowd,
The victor palm branch waving, and chanting clear and loud;
The Lord of men and angels rode on in lowly state,
Nor scorned that little children should on His biding wait.

"Hosanna in the highest!" That ancient song we sing, For Christ is our Redeemer, the Lord of heav'n, our King; O may we ever praise Him with heart and life and voice, And in His blissful presence eternally rejoice!

\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Hymn of Praise #235

"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

#### \*Affirmation of Faith

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son: who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic† and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

†Universal-not limited to any one particular denomination, nation, or ethnicity.

## \*Doxology #731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Confession of Sin Anton Ivanov

**Silent Prayer of Confession** 

**Prayer of Confession** 

Assurance of Pardon

\*Hymn of Pardon

"Beneath the Cross"
(See insert)

Beneath the cross of Jesus, I find a place to stand; And wonder at such mercy, that calls me as I am. For hands that should discard me, hold wounds which tell me, "Come." Beneath the cross of Jesus, my unworthy soul is won.

Beneath the cross of Jesus, His fam'ly is my own.

Once strangers chasing selfish dreams, now one, through grace alone.

How could I now dishonor the ones that You have loved?

Beneath the cross of Jesus, see the children called by God.

Beneath the cross of Jesus, the path before the crown, We follow in His footsteps, where promised hope is found. How great the joy before us- to be His perfect bride. Beneath the cross of Jesus, we will gladly live our lives.

### Pastoral Prayer (with the Lord's Prayer)

Michael Brock

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

\*Hymn of Preparation

"When His Salvation Bringing" (Tune: "Lead On, O King Eternal")

When His salvation bringing, to Zion Jesus came, The children all stood singing hosanna to His Name: Nor did their zeal offend Him, but as He rode along, He let them still attend Him, and smiled to hear their song.

And since the Lord retaineth His love for children still, Though now as King He reigneth on Zion's heav'nly hill, We'll flock around His banner who sits upon His throne, And cry aloud, "Hosanna to David's Royal Son!"

For should we fail proclaiming our great Redeemer's praise, The stones, our silence shaming, would their hosannas raise.

But shall we only render the tribute of our words?

No, while our hearts are tender, they too shall be the Lord's.

\*Scripture

Romans 7:14-25

Sermon

Michael Brock

\*Hymn of Response #

\*Benediction

## Leading in Worship

Michael Brock, Pastor
Hunter Twitty, Assistant Pastor
Anton Ivanov, Assistant Pastor
Paul Halberstadt, Music Director
Amalee Smith, Pianist
Vocal Ensemble

#### Announcements

*Holy Week Worship Services:* Monday through Friday, March  $25^{th} - 29^{th}$  from 12:00 noon to 12:15 p.m. with free lunch to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

*Maundy Thursday Communion Worship Service:* 6:00 p.m. March 28<sup>th</sup>. Nursery provided for ages 0-36 months only.

*No Sunday School on Easter Sunday – No Children's Church.* Nursery provided for ages 0-36 months only.

*Vacation Bible School:* VBS will be June 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> with this year's theme as "*Babylon: Daniel's Courage in Captivity.*" Ages 3 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to attend. **Please register** your child at ThirdPCA.org and pray for all the upcoming planning and workers involved.

*Friday Email from Third Pres.* On Fridays, Pastor Brock sends out an email with church news, upcoming events, stories, and occasionally a little something funny. If you would like to receive the Friday Email from Pastor Brock, please email: Jennie@ThirdPCA.org.

*Membership at Third:* If you are interested in becoming a member of Third Presbyterian Church, please see Pastor Brock about the process, or you may email him at <a href="Michaelthirdpres@gmail.com">Michaelthirdpres@gmail.com</a>.

*Online Giving*: Contributions may be made securely online by going to our website www.thirdpca.org

#### Sunday School Missionary Prayers - March

Salt Class (104/105): Mark Wiersma - Mark (wife is Bree, 4 children), is a "tentmaker" in a restricted country in the Middle East, where Mark is working as a hospital administrator.

*Light Class* (F. Hall): **Joel Linton** is with Mission Sending Service in Taiwan. Joel is married to Judy, and they have five children (all girls!). They are planting a church in Yilan County.

*Faith Class* (204): **Maranathan Academy-** Donna Dukes is Founder & Executive Director. A non-profit school and learning center dedicated to the education and development of critically-at-risk youth and adults.

## **Today at Third ~ 3/24/2024**

8:45 a.m. Special Prayer Time – Room 204

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship★+ 10:45 a.m. Sunday School★

11:35 a.m. Vocal Ensemble Training

★Nursery provided downstairs in the Ed. Bldg.

+Children(ages 3-8 only) are dismissed for Children's Church before sermon

#### This Week at Third $\sim 3/24/2024 - 3/30/2024$

Monday – Friday: 12:00 p.m. Holy Week Service/Lunch to follow

Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study – 104/105★ Thursday: 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study – E104/105

Thursday: 6:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Communion Service

#### **Current Active Officers**

#### Elders Areas of Responsibility

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Eddie Burg – Prayer (Hunter Twitty)

David Byers – Missions & Outreach (Anton Ivanov)

Chris Hussar – Small Groups (Hunter Twitty) & Assimilation (Anton Ivanov)

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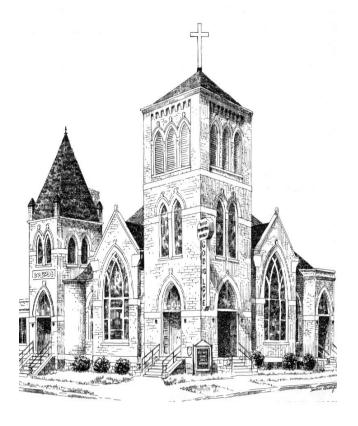
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