August 10, 2025 LORD's Day Worship

9:30 a.m.

Announcements

Michael Brock

Preparation for Worship

*Call to Worship

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us worship God.

*Hymn of Praise #122

"God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory"

*Prayer of Adoration

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell¹; the third day he arose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic† church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

¹Experienced the full fury of the Father's wrath; was utterly forsaken, rejected, and abandoned. †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

Malik Bishop

Silent Prayer of Confession Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Pastor: Based upon the authority of God's word, I

can declare to those of you who are in Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven; in the name of the Father,

and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Thanks be to God!

*Hymn of Pardon #261

"What Wondrous Love Is This"

Pastoral Prayer (with the Lord's Prayer)

Scott Churnock

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.

*Gloria Patri #735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end. Amen, Amen.

*Scripture

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Pastor: This is God's Word. **People: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

Pastor Michael Brock

*Hymn of Response

"The Power of the Cross"

Oh, to see the dawn of the darkest day; Christ on the road to Calvary; Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, Then nailed to a cross of wood.

(Chorus)

This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us; Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross!

> Oh, to see the pain written on Your face, Bearing the awesome weight of sin;

Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed Crowning Your blood-stained brow. (Chorus)

Now the daylight flees; now the ground beneath Quakes as its Maker bows His head.

Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life;

"Finished!" the vict'ry cry! (Chorus)

Oh, to see my name written in the wounds,
For through Your suff'ring I am free.
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,
Won through Your selfless love!
This the pow'r of the cross; Son of God slain for us.
What a love, what a cost! We stand forgiven at the cross!

Pastor: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: Christ has died. Christ has risen.

Christ will come again.

Pastor: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

All: We do not presume to come to this Your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own goodness, but only in Your righteousness credited to us. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under Your table. But You are the same Lord whose manner is always to show mercy. Grant

us, therefore, O Lord, the grace to commune now with Christ by faith, that we may evermore live in Him and He in

us. Amen.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Hunter Twitty

*Chorus of Response

"Give Thanks"

Give thanks with a grateful heart, Give thanks to the Holy One, Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.(repeat)

And now let the weak say, "I am strong",

Let the poor say, "I am rich
because of what the Lord has done for us!"(repeat)

Give thanks, give thanks.

*Benediction

MAY I COME TO THE LORD'S TABLE?

We warmly invite to the Lord's table all those who are baptized disciples of Jesus Christ, meaning...you acknowledge that you are a sinner, without hope except in the sovereign mercy of God; that you trust in Jesus Christ alone for salvation; that you have publicly professed faith in Jesus Christ to the leadership of your church; and, that you submit to their spiritual accountability and authority over your life. If there is any doubt about your partaking of these communion elements, please refrain from partaking at this time and speak with a pastor after the service.

Leading in Worship

Michael Brock, Pastor Hunter Twitty, Associate Pastor Anton Ivanov, Assistant Pastor Amalee Smith, Pianist CCLI#: 1612178

Announcements

Ladies Book Study: J.I Packer's, "A Quest for Godliness: The Puritan Vision of the Christian Life" As Packer surveys the lives of great Puritan leaders, he calls modern Christians to inner revival and personal maturity. The study will meet in Margaret Clarke's home, Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 beginning August 21st. For more information, please contact the church office.

Special Prayer Time: Sunday, August 24th. Please arrive early for a special prayer meeting from 8:45-9:15, in the Faith Classroom-Room 204 In light of the upcoming academic year, the focus of this gathering will be: *The Students at Third* (the little ones and the college students).

Sunday Evening Bible Study: Everyone welcome! The small group Bible study in the Clarke's home will be starting up again on Sunday, August 24th, from 5:30 to 7:00, with fellowship afterwards. We plan to have a covered dish dinner for our first meeting. For more details contact the church office.

Wednesday Women's Bible Study: will resume on Wednesday, September 3rd, at 9:30 with a brunch in the Fellowship Hall. We will be doing part two of the book, Saved: Experiencing the Promise of the Book of Acts, by Nancy Guthrie, but if you were not able to attend part one of this study, you are still welcome to join us this fall. Childcare is available and books will be provided.

Men's Breakfast: On September 6th, please join us for our next Saturday Morning Men's Breakfast. The topic for this session is "What to Look for in a Wife and How to Lead Her if You've Got One" by Pastor Michael Brock. Please RSVP to <u>Jennie@ThirdPCA.org</u> or on Third's App under "Upcoming Events".

Ministry Partner Prayer for the Week

Sergey & Lyuda Betin with Pathway Ministries in Odessa Ukraine. Sergey pastors a local church while Lyuda directs the work of Odessa Springs Counseling Center in Odessa, Ukraine.

Summer Schedule for Children During Worship and Sunday School

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship

- Nursery (through age 2) is available in rooms 109A and 109C.
- Children (ages 3-Kindergarten) participate in the worship service until they are dismissed at the start of the sermon to rooms:
- 107 (3 year-olds) and 108 (4-K) for a Children's Bible Lesson.
- Children (1st grade and up) stay in the sanctuary the entire service.

10:55 a.m. Sunday School

- Infants 18 months Room E109A
- 18 Months 2 years old E109C
- Nursery: Under 3 years old Room 109
- 3 year olds: Room 108
- Pre-K 3rd Grade: Room 107
- 4th Grade 8th Grade: Room 206
- Teenagers 13 years and older: Room 201

Adult Sunday School Classes (10:55 AM)

The **Light and Faith Class**: Combined class (July 27th – Sept. 21st) Meets in the Fellowship Hall.

- Current Topic: How to Interpret the Bible
- Current Teacher: Scott Churnock

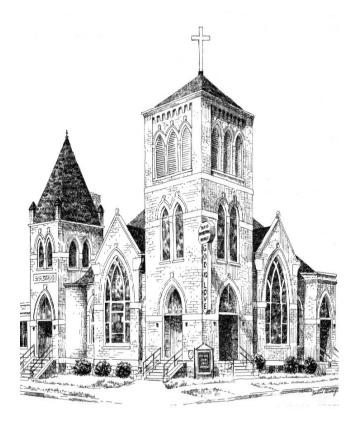
The **Salt** Class: meets in Room 104/105. College age, Singles, and young married couples.

• Current Topic: Conversations with David Byers and Hunter Twitty on Faithful Christian Living

Upcoming Events at Third

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8:30 – Noon Water Play/Courtyard Thursday: 11:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study – E104/105

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