

WORSHIPING THE GOD OF GRACE

June 3, 2018 - 10:30 AM

Please silence all communication devices. Hearing Assistance Devices and Large Print Bibles are available; please ask an Usher. Children's Bulletins and "Quiet Bags" are available at the Welcome Table.

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP *Here I Am To Worship* Arr. by Carol Turnquist

Please take this time to quietly meditate on the following Scripture passage as you prepare your heart to worship the Lord.

There is one body and one Spirit - just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call – one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.
Ephesians 4:4-5 (ESV)

*CALL TO WORSHIP **Psalm 16:1-2, 8-11 (ESV)**

As God's Word calls us to worship, let's shout these words to one another recognizing that our worship is a response to God's gracious call.

Leader: Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

People: **I say to the LORD, "You are my Lord; I have no good apart from you."**

Leader: I have set the LORD always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

ALL: Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure. For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption. You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

*HYMN OF PRAISE #692 *To You, O Lord, I Fly*

*PRAYER OF ADORATION Elder Leo Mooney

*WORSHIP IN SONG *Christ Is Risen Jesus Paid It All*

*GREETING OF PEACE **2 Corinthians 13:11 (ESV)**

Please take this opportunity to greet those around you, offering them the right hand of fellowship and the peace which is only found in Christ.

*Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace;
and the God of love and peace will be with you.*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER **Ephesians 6:18 (ESV)**

[Pray] *at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication.
To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints.*

WORSHIPING THE LORD WITH HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Please take a moment to sign our "Fellowship Pad" and pass it along to those worshiping with you. Thank you!
The offering is a vital part of our response to God and God's Word. It helps us connect our adoration for God with our life of discipleship.

*No servant can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other,
or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money*
Luke 16:13 (ESV)

OFFERTORY *Jesus, the Lord, My Savior* By Sandra McCracken

SCRIPTURE READING (page 910 in blue pew Bible) **Acts 2:14-36**

**For those who are able, please stand.*

SERMON

“One Faith, One Hope, One Lord”

Rev. David Stain

Pastor, Spring Hills Presbyterian Church

***HYMN OF RESPONSE #378** (stanzas 1-3) *Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face To Face*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

After the public confession below, you are encouraged to confess your sins silently to God.

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

COMFORT AND ASSURANCE OF THE GOSPEL

1 Peter 2:24 (ESV)

He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.

THE LORD’S SUPPER

The Lord’s Supper is a physical action, mandated by Jesus, through which God acts to nourish, sustain, comfort, challenge, teach, and assure us. The celebration of the Lord’s Supper nourishes our faith and stirs our imaginations to perceive the work of God and the contours of the gospel more clearly.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Luke 22:15-20 (ESV)

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

[there is a gluten-free option on the bread tray]

Please feel free to eat the bread when you are served to signify that Christ’s death was for you as an individual.

Please hold the cup until all have been served so that we may partake together signifying that the Christ’s death was for the Body of Christ called from before the foundation of the world.

***CLOSING HYMN #378** (stanzas 1-3) *Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face To Face*

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

One Bread One Body

By John Foley

Personal Prayer and Counsel

“Be devoted to one another in brotherly love. Honor one another above yourselves. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Share with God’s people who are in need. Practice hospitality.”

Romans 12:10, 12, 13 (NIV)

We want so much to come alongside you in brotherly love and hospitality by your allowing us to be in prayer for your salvation or any need you may have. Please see Pastor Stain or one of our Elders at the back of the church following the worship service where we are available and eager to meet with you and pray with you in complete confidence.

Spring Hills Presbyterian Church is committed to:

CHANGED HEARTS through the transforming power of the Gospel of Grace,

CHANGED LIVES through Biblical preaching, teaching, fellowship and discipleship, and a

CHANGED COMMUNITY, where the community is so transformed by the power of the Gospel that it becomes predominately Christian and committed to the worship and service of our Triune God.