

## **GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM AS OUR GOD**

Psalm 33:6-8

### **A PSALM OF PRAISE**

*Psalm 96 – Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise*

### **A PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

### **THE CONFESSION OF OUR FAITH IN GOD**

Westminster Confession of Faith 2.2 (Hymnal Pg. 921)

### **A HYMN OF RESPONSE**

*Hymn 216 – Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Stanzas 3 & 4)*

### **OUR RESPONSIVE READING OF GOD'S LAW**

The Ten Commandments (see insert)

### **THE CONFESSION OF OUR SINS TO GOD**

Holy God, we are people who cannot wash ourselves or make ourselves clean. Even as your children, we love evil and resist what you have said is good. We demand justice for ourselves but fail to pursue it vigorously on behalf of others. We are indignant about the oppression we read of in faraway lands yet blind to the oppression taking place right here before our eyes in our families, homes and work places. We feel good when we give money to feed orphans in foreign countries but we often don't know or care about the widows and orphans who need your love right around us. Father forgive us. Redeeming God, we praise you that you have washed us clean in the blood of your Son. You placed all our evil on him so that it could be removed from your sight forever. Jesus suffered profound injustice for our lukewarm apathy and was fatally oppressed for our continuing failure to love and help the oppressed, here and abroad. He became fatherless to pay for our careless disregard for the fatherless and widows in our own towns. We crucified your precious Son and instead of hating us, you have given us his perfect goodness and welcomed us to your feast. We are left undone by your extravagant love and complete salvation. We ask you to wash our minds and hearts clean, moment by moment. Make our hearts good so that works of kindness and mercy flow from us to the needy people you have placed in our lives. May we love them as you have loved us in our great need. Cause us to love justice and like your Son, to suffer joyfully great injustice on behalf of others. Help us to love extravagantly, as we have been loved by you. Amen.

### **SILENT MOMENT FOR CONFESSING PERSONAL SINS**

### **GOD'S ASSURANCE THAT WE ARE PARDONED**

Come now, let us reason together says the Lord. Though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow. Though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool. Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived. Neither the sexually immoral, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor men who practice

homosexuality, nor thieves, nor the greedy, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers will inherit the kingdom of God. And such were some of you. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God. Isaiah 1:18; 1 Corinthians 6:9–11

### **A HYMN OF RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE**

*Hymn 213 – Glory Be to God the Father (Stanzas 1 & 2)*

### **SCRIPTURE RELATIVE TO TODAY'S SERMON**

Job 28:12-28

Pew Bible Pg. 551

### **PASTORAL PRAYER FOR THE CONGREGATION**

Followed by the Lord's Prayer ("Debts")

### **DOXOLOGY TO GOD**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Old Hundredth L.M. (567)*

### **THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD OF GOD**

Job 11:7-12

Pew Bible Pg. 537

God vs. Man

Pastor James A. La Belle

### **RESPONDING IN PRAISE TO GOD'S WORD**

*Hymn 214 – Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*

### **THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

*(The inner circles of cups contain wine and the outer circle contains grape juice. Please hold each element until all have been served so that we may partake together.)*

### **DEACON'S OFFERING**

### **RESPONDING IN PRAISE TO GOD'S GRACE & MERCY**

*Hymn 496 – My Jesus, I Love Thee*

### **OUR LORD'S BLESSING**

### **HIS CONGREGATION'S RESPONSE**

Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel. For he alone does wondrous works in glory that excel. And blessed be his glorious name to all eternity. The whole earth let his glory fill. Amen, so let it be. - *McKee CM*

We extend a **cordial welcome** to the visitors in our service today.

**Afternoon Study:** Reformed Worship, Lesson 7: A Theology of Worship - Pastor La Belle

**Women's Fellowship:** Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm, Chapter 10 in Sovereign

**Prayer Meeting:** Wednesday, March 10<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm

**Christian Education 8:50 am** – Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup> – Chapter 13:44-58 R.C. Ryle's Matthew Study

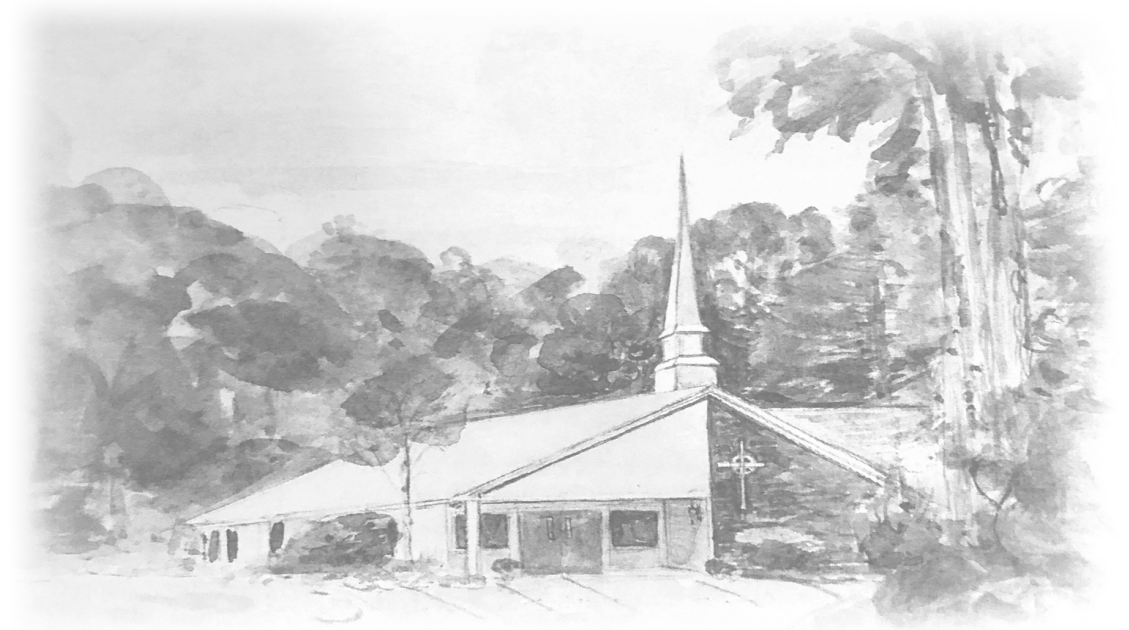
**Birthdays:**  
February 13<sup>th</sup> – Ryder Furman

Our denominational missionary from Asia will be visiting us on March 14<sup>th</sup> to preach in the morning service. He will then give a presentation! All are invited.

**The missionaries** for this month – Rev. Dr. Charles & Connie Jackson, Mbale, Uganda

**Bulletin announcements** should be submitted to Elly Mead by 12 noon on Wednesdays.  
Please e-mail to [pcccsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:pcccsecretary@gmail.com).

# *Presbyterian Church of Cape Cod*



**“I was glad when they said to me, Let us go to the house of the Lord!” Psalm 122.1**

## *The Lord's Day*

March 7th, 2021

Rev. Dr. James A. La Belle, Pastor

LIVE STREAMING @

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**Christian Education 8:50 - Morning Worship 10:00 am – Afternoon Study 4:30 pm**

*We welcome you* to the Lord's house, to the worship of the living and true God, and into the fellowship of this congregation. If this is your first visit, please sign the guest book in the foyer.