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*And a highway shall be there, and it shall be called The Holy Way.*

*Isaiah 35:8*

April 10, 2016  
Third Sunday of Easter

“They set out in a boat, but throughout the night they caught nothing.”  
*John 21:3*

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**GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — WELCOME!**

**PRELUDE** *Sonata in C Minor, Second Movement* by Beethoven

**INTROIT** *When Morning Gilds the Skies* All Choirs

**CALL TO WORSHIP** (Psalm 30:4-5, 11-12)

**LEADER:** Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.

**PEOPLE:** **For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.**

**LEADER:** You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sack cloth and clothed me with joy,

**PEOPLE:** **so that my soul may praise you and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.**

**\*HYMN** *Lift High the Cross* #826

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord God, hear our open hearts. Our words fail to express all we hope to open to Your grace. Hear our sorrow, mend our brokenness, comfort our pain, and forgive our guilt. May we hear from You more than words can say. Bring peace to our storm, relief to our anguish, and Divine Presence in our emptiness. May the burdens we bear and the shame we protect from sight be lightened and relinquished. We believe in the everlasting power of peace and new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*RESPONSE** *Glory Be to the Father* #581

**A TIME OF GREETING**

**ANTHEM** *The Church's One Foundation*  
Christ Presbyterian Choir, Dr. Richard Hintze  
Holy Way Presbyterian Choir, Ryan Phillips  
Trinity Presbyterian Choir, Dr. Bruce Chamberlain

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** (After the message, children entering the 5<sup>th</sup> grade and younger are invited to attend Sunday School in the Ranch House.)

**SCRIPTURE** (NT p. 248) Revelation 5:11-14

**HYMN** *What Wondrous Love Is This* #215

**SCRIPTURE** (NT p. 115) John 21:1-14

**SERMON** “Net Nothing”

**OUR CARES AND CELEBRATIONS**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**LORD'S PRAYER** *Amen* #601

**OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES**

**OFFERTORY** *Goldberg Variation, Aria* by J.S. Bach

**\*DOXOLOGY** #606

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**\*HYMN** *Crown Him with Many Crowns* #268

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*RESPONSE** *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

**POSTLUDE** *Eagles Flight* arr. Melody Bober

\* Please stand if you are able.

**Announcements & Opportunities**  
**April 10, 2016**

Welcome to our Worship Celebration this morning!

We worship every Sunday morning at 9:30 am and offer Sunday School for children. **Help us get acquainted with you by filling out our attendance pad and our guest card!** Please join us for refreshments and fellowship at our Coffee Social Time in the Ranch House **following our service.** You will find sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the Ranch House for our upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.

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Next Sunday's Scripture Readings

Revelation 7:9-17  
John 10:22-30

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Our church strives to be fully accessible to all persons. The **first four rows** on the pulpit side of the sanctuary are designated "**Fragrance-Free.**"

**Personal Receivers** are available in the AV Room for those needing hearing assistance. **Any chair in our sanctuary can be moved** to make room for persons in **wheelchairs**—our ushers are ready to help. Recorded Audio Tapes are available in the AV Room after each service for your convenience or you can read our **sermons online at [www.holywaypc.org](http://www.holywaypc.org).**

**Bible Study meets on Tuesday.** You are invited to join us for coffee and homemade snacks in the Conference Room at 9:00 a.m. We are studying **Romans.**

**Remember the church in your will**

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✦ **We are happy to welcome the choirs of Christ Presbyterian Church and Trinity Presbyterian Church, to join our Chancel Choir this morning.**

✦ In lieu of the brunch scheduled today, frozen cinnamon rolls will be for sale after worship to benefit the Stephen Ministry program. Tasty samples of the cinnamon rolls will also be available.

✦ Ray will be on vacation April 11-18. Rev. Ed Parsil will be available for pastoral needs and Rev. Elizabeth Smith will preach and lead worship next Sunday.

✦ **Serendipity** will meet on Monday at 2:00 pm.

✦ **New class beginning Tuesday, April 12 - "Animate: Practices"** is a seven-session adult introduction to the central practices of the Christian faith, why they are important, and how we can take part in them today. Sessions feature perspectives from Christian thought leaders on topics such as prayer, worship, money and service. **Animate: Practices will meet Tuesdays at 11am in the Conference Room beginning April 12 and ending May 24.**

✦ **Stephen Ministries** will meet Thursday at 9:00 am.

✦ Mt. Zion is hosting a musical concert featuring **Sonoran Hand Bells** on Friday April 15<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 pm.

✦ There will be a **Celebration of Life for Don Skinner** on Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, at 2pm, at Sierra Villas.

✦ **Session** will meet next Tuesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 pm.

✦ **Dinner in the Ranch House** will be next Wednesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>. Be sure to sign up! (Dudley Williams is making chicken!)

✦ **New photo directories** are now available! Copies are available in the church office. The suggested donation is \$10.00.

✦ **Leaving for the Season?** Hate to throw away frozen or refrigerated food? A church family with an empty fridge will store your excess for the *Three Points Food Bank*. Bring to worship, Bible Study, Yoga, or call the church office to arrange a pick up if you have a substantial amount.

✦ We regret to announce that Linda Jones is stepping down from her position of Administrative Assistant. Linda has blessed us with her hard work and generous heart. If you know anyone who might be interested in the position, invite them to email their resume to Ray: [rthomas@holywaypc.org](mailto:rthomas@holywaypc.org).

## CALENDAR

Sun.	April 10	9:30 am 6:00 pm	Worship, Sunday School Ala-teen & AI-Anon
Mon.	April 11	9:30 am 10:30 am 2:00 pm	Yoga Monday Social Group Serendipity
Tue.	April 12	9:00 am 11:00 am 4:00 pm 6:00 pm	Bible Study Animate:Practices Girl Scouts Al-anon Meeting
Thur.	April 14	9:00 am 5:30 pm 6:15 pm	Stephen Ministries Al-anon Chancel Choir
Sun.	April 17	9:30 am 6:00 pm	Worship, Sunday School Ala-teen & AI-Anon

## SESSION

Class of 2016	Sherri Atleson	Cong. Life, Mission, Worship
Class of 2016	Dee Ellis	Admin., Christian Ed., Deacons
Class of 2016	Sharon Groves	Clerk, Nominating Committee
Class of 2016	Mooneen Ringenberg	Mission
Class of 2017	Karl Allen	Christian Education, Worship
Class of 2017	Barbara Armbruster	Congregational Life
Class of 2017	Carol Hearn	Cong. Life, Finance, Mission
Class of 2017	Dennis Toresdahl	Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Tom Bernardo	Administration, Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Ellen LaCroix	Mission
Class of 2018	Marcus Mattias	Christian Education
Class of 2018	Dudley Williams	Buildings & Grounds, Finance

## PRAYER CONCERNS

Soldiers & Peacemakers – for their physical, mental, and spiritual health.

All the unspoken prayer concerns.

Your prayers this week will give them the sustaining power we all need.  
Please pray for them!

Sherri Atleson's Aunt Doris – Health Concerns  
Lynn Allen – Health Concerns  
Karl Allen and Family – Death of his mother, Victoria on April 6  
Rose Atcher (Mooneen's Niece) – Health Concerns  
Dick Canfield (Rich Marsch's uncle) – Health Concerns  
T.R. Ellis – Health Concerns  
Jane Hosler's Sister-in-Law, Rhoda – Health Concerns  
Linda Jones' Brother-in-law, Al Vinson – Health Concerns  
Dave Malmberg – Health Concerns  
Mary & Rich Marsch's son Bob – Health Concerns  
Rich Marsch – Death of brother, Ray  
Wendy Mattias' friend, Toni – Health Concerns  
Doug Myers – Health Concerns  
Lyle Olmstead – Health Concerns  
Anita Parsil – Health Concerns  
Charles Sayers – Health Concerns  
Nancy Skinner – Death of husband, Don on March 31  
Gwen Schroyer – Health Concerns  
Rodger Schumacher – Health Concerns  
Ann Toresdahl – Health Concerns  
Joan Valenzuela's sister, Lisa Jean Jensen – Health Concerns

Our Prayer Chain is always available – contact Phyllis Crouthers at 578-8369 or Anita Parsil at 578-2410. If unable to reach Phyllis or Anita, you can email the church office at [office@holywaypc.org](mailto:office@holywaypc.org).