VISITORS: We are a local congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA). Be sure to pick up a visitor bag to learn more about us.

OUR WORSHIP STYLE: You will need to keep your bulletin in hand throughout the worship service. We regard corporate worship as a dialogue between God and His covenant people.

WEEKLY MEETINGS:

SUNDAY

- SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:00-10:00 a.m. in the Education Room. We have just begun a new study: "Dust to Glory," one of R.C. Sproul's favorite teaching series. Dr. Sproul explores the major themes, events, and people of the Bible, beginning in Genesis.
- New Day Bible Study—Meets the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month in the Education Room after the worship service. November meetings are TODAY and 11/22.
- Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAY

- Women's Bible Study: Join us Tuesday afternoons, 1:00-2:15pm, in the Education Room. We are continuing our study of *Following Jesus: The Gospel of Mark*, a Ligonier Ministries DVD series with W. Robert Godfrey. Bring your notebooks. Join us!

WEDNESDAY

- Midweek Prayer Service @ Noon
- Bible Study 6:30-7:30 p.m. Genesis 27

SATURDAY

- Sisterhood Saturdays is a Women's Bible study that meets every other Saturday in the Education Room. We are currently studying Romans 8, a Ligonier Ministries video series. The November meeting is 11/21, 9:30-10:45am. All women welcome!
- Men's Fellowship and Bible Study meets every other Saturday 8-9:15 a.m. The next meeting is 11/21. We are considering the meaning of Christian love with help from Jonathan Edwards. (*Charity and Its Fruits*)

COMING EVENTS:

- TableTalk Sundays—Gather around the table for food and discussion on the morning sermon. Meets the third Sunday of the month after worship in the Fellowship Hall. The next meeting is 11/15.
- Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes are available now. ARPC will be collecting completed shoeboxes through November 22. Please bring completed boxes to the Fellowship Hall.
- ARPC quarterly food drive runs November 8-22. Please bring non-perishable (NOT OUTDATED) food items and place them in the drop box in the Fellowship Hall.
- Worship Ministry Team meets Tuesday, 11/10, 2:30-4:00pm.

SANCTUS

"HOLY HOLY HOLY"

"Holy, holy, holy Lord;
God of power God of might.
Heaven and earth are filled with your glory:
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord:
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest!"

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"You search the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; and it is they that bear witness about me, yet you refuse to come to me that you may have life."
~ John 5:39-40

"Let Us Worship God"
The Lord's Day
November 8th, 2026
10:30 a.m.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

MUSICAL PRELUDE

GOD CALLS US INTO HIS HOLY PRESENCE (Please Stand)

Minister: Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name;
Congregation: Make known his deeds among the peoples!
Minister: Sing to him, sing praises to him;
Congregation: Tell of all his wondrous works!
Minister: Glory in his holy name;
Congregation: Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!
Minister: Seek the Lord and his strength;
Congregation: Seek his presence continually!
Minister: Remember the wondrous works that he has done,
Congregation: His miracles, and the judgments he uttered,
Minister: O offspring of Abraham, his servant,
Congregation: Children of Jacob, his chosen ones!
Minister: He is the Lord our God;
Congregation: His judgments are in all the earth.
Minister: He remembers his covenant forever,
Congregation: The word that he commanded, for a thousand generations. ~ Psalm 105:1-8

HYMN "We Gather Together" #363

Prayer of Adoration: Jim Robinson, Ruling Elder

Minister: The peace of the Lord be with you
Congregation: And also with you.
Minister: Our help is in the name of the LORD.
Congregation: Who made heaven and earth.

GOD CLEANSES US IN CHRIST (Please be seated)

Leader: Let us hear the Word of God regarding the righteous character of our new lives in Christ.

"Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure. Do all things without grumbling or disputing, that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world, holding fast to the word of life, so that in the day of Christ I may be proud that I did not run in vain or labor in vain."
~ Philippians 2:12-16

Leader: In the light of God's complete knowledge of our thoughts, words, and actions, let us confess our sins together:

Heavenly Father, in Your presence I long to be clean. You have hallowed Your name in my life to the point that I desire to be fashioned after Your likeness. Your holiness draws me to Yourself and my awareness of my own sinful tendencies and actions shames me. I confess my sins before you. Please forgive my sins against Your righteous and holy Law, sins of omission and commission, of morose, peevish and angry tempers, of hard-heartedness, unbelief, presumption, pride, of unfaithfulness to the souls of men, of want of bold decision in the cause of Christ, of deficiency in outspoken zeal for His glory, of bringing dishonor upon Your great name, of impurity in thought, word and deed, of covetousness, which is idolatry, of sins in private and in the family, in the study of Your Word and in the neglect of it, in prayer irreverently offered and coldly withheld, in time misspent, in being unwatchful, of sins against conscience and the restraints of your Holy Spirit. Pardon all my sins Lord, known and unknown, felt and unfelt, and cause me to walk in newness of life. May the light of Your Glory in Christ shine upon me and lead me in the way everlasting. In Christ's name, Amen.

Leader: Please take a moment to privately commune with our Lord, confessing any specific sins of which you are aware.

Minister**:** People of God, lift up your heads and stand with me to hear the good news of our salvation. (Please Stand)

Colossians 1:19-22 "For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross. And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him."

*Minister***:** Our sins are forgiven through the atoning work of Christ Jesus our Lord, the Lamb of God!
Congregation: Praise be to God!

Hymn "Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ" #524

Confessing our Faith: "The Apostles' Creed" **p. 845**

GOD INSTRUCTS US IN HIS WORD

O.T. Reading:	Deuteronomy 18:15-22	**(p. 205)**
Gospel Reading:	John 5:30-47	**(p. 1133)**
Acts Reading:	Acts 17:22-34	**(p. 1178)**

Minister: The grass withers, the flower fades,
Congregation: But the Word of our God stands forever!

BLESSING OF OUR COVENANT CHILDREN
Leader: People of God what is our prayer for these children?
People: May the Lord be with you.
Children: And also with you!
Leader: May the Word of the Lord grow in your hearts.
Children: Thanks be to God.
People: Let us hear His Word together!

Sermon: "Witnesses to the Truth" ~ Pastor Dolby

GOD RECEIVES OUR PRAISE AND SEALS US IN CHRIST

HYMN "Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim" #165

Prayers of God's People/Tithes and Offerings/Doxology

Minister: Lift up your hearts!
Congregation: We lift them up to the Lord.
Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
Congregation: It is right for us to give thanks.

Minister: It is truly fitting, and right, and our joyful duty, to at all times and in all places give thanks to the Lord our God. And so now, in the company of angels, archangels, and all the Heavenly host, we magnify and glorify His name together singing…

SANCTUS **(See Back)**

THE LORD'S PRAYER **(See Insert)**

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

HYMN "Crown Him with Many Crowns" #295

GOD SENDS US FORTH TO SERVE

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