

Lord's Day Worship

*(Asterisk) indicates *Please stand as you are able.*

Welcome, Announcements

Diana Lees

PRAISE

*Call to Worship

Psalm 118:24

Pastor Douglas: This is the day the LORD has made;

Congregation: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

*Song

All Creatures of Our God and King

*Prayer of Confession

Ulrich Zwingli (1529)

Lord, we cry to you to heal our wounds. We call to you in distress and plead for your salvation. We have sinned against your law and failed to do your will; we confess that we've disobeyed your holy Word. We pray, purge our lives of selfishness and our hearts of bitterness. Lead us back to righteousness; save us through Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon Romans 8:1-2 and 2 Corinthians 5:17

Pastor Douglas: Hear the good news! There is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and death. Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that in Jesus, God embraces you, forgives you, and strengthens you to live a renewed life.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

*New City Catechism #43

Q: What are the sacraments?

Congregation: The two sacraments are given by God and instituted by Christ. They are baptism and the Lord's Supper.

RENEWAL

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father who 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, forever. Amen.

Children Dismissed

*Offering

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. Amen.

THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 18:14-27

Sermon Text

Romans 16:1-16

Sermon "The Body of Christ: Head, Heart, and Hands"

*Song

Take My Life, and Let it Be

*Benediction

*Dismissal: Church, where are you going?

We go forth to serve God's world as those who love our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Glory to God!

SERMON NOTES

"The Body of Christ: Head, Heart, and Hands"

Romans 16:1-16

I) Opening - Are Christians Servants or Volunteers?

II) The Text - Romans 16:1-16

A) Romans 16:1-2 - Who was Phoebe?

B) Romans 16:3-16 - Paul's list of servants for Christ

III) The Problem? There is a tendency read into Paul the idea that he was a "Lone Ranger" in ministry.

IV) Application - The Body of Christ: Head, Heart, and Hands

A) The Head - Paul, the Apostles, all of those who are entrusted with preaching and teaching.

B) The Heart - Priscilla and Aquilla. Those in Romans 16:1-16 who helped others walk with the Lord through bible studies, prayer, and perseverance.

C) The Hands - Phoebe as an example helping those in need as the hands of Christ.

V) Closing - A reminder that Jason Billister from the Boise Rescue Mission to preach 2-4-23. We will finish our series on Romans on 2-11-24.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: A new 12-week women's Bible study on the Book of Revelation will start on **Saturday, February 3rd** at **10:30 a.m.** in the **Ministry Center**. Cost will be \$12 each for the book *Be Victorious* by Warren Wiersbe. For more info, please contact Julie Smith at (208) 989-9397 or juliewilber@msn.com.

DIRECTORY UPDATE: There is a sheet on the table in the back of the sanctuary to put any information you might need updated in the 2024 Directory. If you would like your picture updated, please email the office (office@christpresboise.org) to schedule a time to get your picture taken.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Will postpone a week due to Presbytery travels. It will resume on **Thursday, February 8th** at **8:15 a.m.** at the **Ministry Center**. Donuts are provided.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING: You are invited to the weekly prayer meeting on **Friday's** at **Noon** at the **Ministry Center**.

PRAYER REQUESTS

HEALING AND COMFORT: Dan Pletcher, Jan Coon, Reece and Diane Theobald, Celeste Gintz, Casey Rayburn, Ron Kappel, Linda Perkins, Josh, Diana, and Pastor Phil and Charla Moran.

EPC PRESBYTERY OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST: Pray this week for Living Waters Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Wendell, ID and their Pastor Rev. Shaun Spencer.

MISSIONS: Please pray for the work and mission of Rob and Liz in the United Kingdom.



CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

...so that Jesus Christ might come to have first place in everything." Colossians 1:18 (b) NRSV

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"The Body of Christ: Head, Heart, and Hands"
Romans 16:1-16

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If you are visiting with us this week, please feel free to have your children, join our children's program, and visit with Pastor Douglas or email/call the church office if you have any questions.