

Apostles Creed
Nicene Creed

**Scots
Confession**

**Heidelberg
Confession**

**2nd
Helvetic
Confession**

Entering the Book of Confessions

**Scots-1560
Heidelberg-1563
2nd Helvetic-1564**

***A Brief
Statement
of Faith of
the PC(USA)***

***Confession
of
Belhar***

**Westminster
Confession**

**Theological
Declaration
of
Barmen**

**Confession
of 1967**

**The Shorter Catechism

The Longer
Catechism**

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PREPARE YOUR HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

PLEASE SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING WORSHIP

† You are invited to stand, as you are able, when you see this symbol

SETTING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Alleluia

Jerry Sinclair

CHIMING

Gene Ingram

CALL TO WORSHIP from Heidelberg Catechism

One: What is our only comfort in life and in death?

Many: That we are not our own, but belong, body and soul, in life and in death, to our faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.

One: Jesus sets us free to live each day. He watches over us, and all things work together for good in Him.

Many: By the Holy Spirit, we are assured of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

† **HYMN OF PRAISE** #507 A Mighty Fortress

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence, because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from you, if you dealt with us as we deserve. We have sinned against you, O Lord, and we have offended you. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, so also do we acknowledge you to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to you. And so we humbly ask you, for the sake of Christ your son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth, and the sins of our old age. By your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our life, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thought of our minds, may be guided and governed by you. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen. (time of silent personal confession) Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

† **GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.

PROCLAIMING AND ENACTING THE WORD

TIME WITH YOUNGER CHURCH

Paul Szeto

SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 12:1, Romans 7:24-25, Ephesians 1:4

SERMON

Early Reformed Confessions

Rev. Kristy Ray

†HYMN OF RESPONSE

#405 My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Scots Confession

One: What do we believe about the church (Kirk)?

All: As we believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, so we firmly believe that from the beginning there has been, now is, and to the end of the world shall be one Kirk, that is to say, the company and multitude of “people” chosen by God, who rightly worship and embrace him by true faith in Christ Jesus, who is the only Head of the Kirk, even as it is the body and spouse of Christ. The Kirk is catholic, that is, universal, because it contains the chosen of all ages, of all realms, nations, and tongues.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

ANTHEM

10,000 Reasons (Choir)

arr. Hayes

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below
Praise God above, ye heavenly host
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

†HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP

#712 Sent Forth by God’s Blessing

† BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

As the Deer

Martin Nystrom

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SPC

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY THURSDAYS AT 10AM
NO WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY THURS 22ND

SAVE THE DATE

FEB 14TH 5:6:30 VALENTINE'S DINNER FOR ALL

FEB 18TH 7PM ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

LENTEN BIBLE STUDIES ZOOM WEDNESDAY 7PM STARTING FEB 25TH



AS WE PREPARE TO WALK THROUGH THE BOOK OF CONFESSIONS
SCAN QR CODE ADDITIONAL GUIDES AND NOTES TO LEARN MORE

SUNDAY MORNINGS

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP 9AM IN FELLOWSHIP HALL
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:20

WIRED WORD WITH AARON ROBERTS
STUDY OF CURRENT EVENTS
(IN PERSON AND ONLINE)

THROUGH THE BIBLE WITH JEFFREY COCHRAN

OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS

AA- MEETS EVERY MONDAY & THURSDAY AT 7PM

CUB SCOUTS- TUESDAYS 6PM

BOY SCOUTS MEETS TUESDAYS 7PM

GIRL SCOUTS EVERY OTHER SUNDAY 3PM

FA (FOOD ADDICTS)-SATURDAY AT 10AM

**JOSEPH'S PANTRY CLOTHES CLOSET
SMITH-BARNES ELEMENTARY -LUNCH DEBT
THE MILL-LOCAL TRAILER PARK COMMUNITY**

PRAYER LIST:

Members: Joyce Andrews, Joel Bryant, Edna Fisher, Carolyn Francis, Lee Hart, Faith Heffernan, Jason & Phyllis Howard, Bob Johnson, Thelma Newsome, Stephanie Phillips-Ayoola, Sue Rogers & Family, Jane Rutledge, Judy Simmons, Sally Smith, Lin Gailey and family, Sandra Martin, Cathy Wegner, Collette Shedd, Emma Thompson, Joanne Donaldson, Shannon Huggins, Pastor Kristy, Dunn Family (moved Charles to memory care).

Friends & Family: David Ayoola, Larry Clark, Kendall Phillips, Mark Stanley, Loan & Jack Szeto, Junior White, Karl Kesler (Shannon Huggins father), Nita Scippio, Melissa & Thomas Gilbert (Stephanie's sister), Diane Ray, Joshua Beck, Ammon Grant Martin (Sandra Martin's grandson), Sarah Baker, June Moloney, Tom Smith, Vickie Loignon, Canaan Ruppert, Billie Anne, Henry Farmer, Marla Grizzel, Jim Ray, Christopher Graves, Maria Uridales, Sharon Kite, Christian(son) and Whitney Brown(mom).

Bereavement: Mabel White (Oct. 3, 2025), Jean Bunker (Nov 19, 2025), Nikki McGee (Dec. 2025),

Pat Stanley (Dec. 21, 2025)

Military: Chauncey Dixon (Army)

WE WOULD LOVE YOU TO BECOME PART OF THE STOCKBRIDGE CHURCH FAMILY, IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER, PLEASE SPEAK WITH PASTOR KRISTY.

REV. KRISTY RAY, PASTOR
JANUARY HEAD ELDER: BETSY SIERRA
CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR: KELLI AUTREY

MINISTERS: EVERYONE
ANDREA EMMEL, MUSIC DIRECTOR