

Spirit of Life Presbyterian Church

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February 13, 2022 Worship

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Just a few notes to keep in mind:

- ♦ It is mandatory that ALL wear a mask, per recent decision from Session. Please see a Session member with questions.
 - ♦ For the immediate future we will not have congregational singing indoors.
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Prelude

Welcome/Announcements: (Rev. Rob Smith)

Call to Worship: (Luke Scott)

One: Come, all who hunger for the bread of life. Come, all who are seeking something more.

Come, all who have questions.

All: Jesus says: "I am the bread of life. Those who come to me shall not hunger,

and those who believe in me shall never thirst."

One: Let us worship God.

Opening Song: Above All CCLI Song # 2672885

Prayer of Reconciliation: (Kelly Polson)

Assurance of Grace

Prayer of Illumination: (Luke Scott)

Scripture: John 6: 35-59 (Kelly Polson)

Children's sermon: (Rev. Rob Smith)

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Call To Offering (Luke Scott)

Offertory The Joy of the Lord CCLI Song # 7047091

Prayers of the People: All: 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.

Closing Song: Go Tell Everyone CCLI Song # 434431

Charge and Benediction: (Rev. Rob Smith)

Announcements

Session requires masks be worn for all indoor church activities (worship, M in M, Sunday School, etc) regardless of vaccination status. Thank you for your cooperation, and for your care for our community, as we continue to deal with this pandemic. For the immediate future we will not have congregational singing indoors.

News from the Christian Education Committee:

-Adult Class will resume today, February 13. We will continue the series of videos "Uncomfortable conversations with a Black Man", produced and hosted by former NFL player Emmanuel Acho, starting with the video at 11:00 am following worship. As many of you know, the NFL season is winding down now leading up to the Super Bowl on February 13. Emmanuel sat for an extended interview with NFL commissioner Roger Goodell, and that conversation is split into two videos. We will watch both parts of that conversation, totaling 20 minutes, followed by discussion. You can view the videos ahead of time, if you want to, at this link: <https://uncomfortableconvo.com/episode/episode-8> and <https://uncomfortableconvo.com/episode/episode-9>

You have the option of joining by Zoom, by clicking the link at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84136883066>; or, if you are fully vaccinated and masked, you are welcome to gather in the conference room.

-Children's Sunday School will resume today, February 13th. Children's Sunday School classes meet 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. There will be a PreK - 2nd grade class and a 3rd-5th grade class. We will bring the children back to the sanctuary for the Children's sermon at 10:15 and then the children can sit with their parents during the rest of the service.

-M&M will resume meeting this Wednesday, February 16th.

- 4:30 to 6 pm for K-5th grade
- 6:00 to 7:15 pm for 6th through high school
- Meal for all ages at 6 pm

Pastor Rob (he/him) is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. Meet in the Middle Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6124529465>

Today is "**Souper Bowl**" Sunday! If you remembered to bring soup, thank you! If not, checks gladly accepted with a note in the memo section. To participate in our tournament, also indicate which team you think will win! WE HAVE EXTENDED our collection date so feel free to bring your donations next week also and help us TACKLE HUNGER! All donations go to our local food shelf in Rosemount.

GriefShare Program Restarting Thursday, March 3, 6:30 pm, at

Spirit of Life Church. This program features biblical, Christ-centered teaching that focuses on grief topics associated with the death of a loved one. The DVD seminar features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories of people, followed by a small group discussion about what was viewed. Past participants have related how helpful the information and follow-up discussions were to them. Many grieving people find they are only beginning the work of healing when friends or family have returned to their daily life routines. Too often people, including Christians, tend to bury their grief instead of allowing it to do the God-given work for which it is intended. Don't allow fear of what others may think to keep you from what could help you. Confidentiality is very much a part of this program. Please contact Bob Shepard or Jacqui Hicks for more information or to sign up.

From Community Service: During the winter months, the donations to the **Little Free Food Pantry** (located at the entrance of the driveway) need to be modified to tolerate the extreme cold temperatures we can see here. Please review the attached list of items for what to consider donating; ideal items are dried and in bags, like dried beans, rice, oatmeal, cereal, etc. And, remember the motto of the Little Free Food Pantry movement: Take what you need, leave what you can. Click [Winter Advisory List.pdf](#) for list.

Meet with Pastor Rob for **Coffee and Conversation** Mondays, from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. Come as you are. This is a gathering online but it is open for you to pop in and out any time during the two hour time frame so feel free to drop in and say hello. *Note, same time and same login, recurring meeting each week. Join Zoom Meeting at <https://zoom.us/j/286584190>

Volunteers Needed:

...We need one person each Sunday to serve as a Greeter and one person each Sunday to serve as an Usher for Sunday worship. We need two volunteers for each week. Please let Becky Brandt know what dates you are available to help and she will build a calendar. Call/text Becky at (218)779-0427 or email her at thebrandtfam@gmail.com. Thank you!

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