

**FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**SUNDAY, MAY 3, 2026 ~ 11:00 AM WORSHIP**

*As you prepare to worship this morning, take a moment to note the “flow” of the service and the way that each part ties into the whole. We begin by hearing God call us to worship, then respond in praises of confession and song. We then acknowledge our sin and corruption, pleading for His forgiveness and renewing grace. With assurance of His pardon, we respond with thanksgiving, tithes and offerings. We listen as God speaks to us through the proclamation of His Word and respond in praise again for His having spoken to us. With self-examination and sober reflection on the atoning work of Christ, we come to His table and receive the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. As we leave, we receive God’s blessing upon us as it is pronounced from His Word. Come now with focus and expectation as we prepare to meet with our God!*

**Welcome and Announcements**

*Pastor Marty Martin*

**Introit**

*O Come, Let Us Sing*

**Call to Worship**

*Psalm 145:8-13*

The LORD is gracious and merciful; slow to anger and great in lovingkindness. The LORD is good to all, and His mercies are over all His works. All Your works shall give thanks to You, O LORD, and Your godly ones shall bless You. They shall speak of the glory of Your kingdom and talk of Your power; to make known to the sons of men Your mighty acts and the glory of the majesty of Your kingdom. Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.

§ **Hymn** *All Creatures of Our God and King (stanzas 1, 4, & 5)* No. 115

§ **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**

*Mr. Greg Horsky*

**Corporate Confession of Sin**

*adapted from Book of Common Worship*

**Almighty God, rich in mercy to all those who call upon You, hear us as we come humbly confessing our sins and transgressions, and imploring Your mercy and forgiveness. We have broken Your holy laws by our deeds, our words, and by the sinful affections of our hearts. We confess before You our disobedience and ingratitude, our pride and willfulness, and all our failures and shortcomings toward You and those made in Your image. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father, and of Your great goodness grant that we may increasingly serve and please You in newness of life, through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Assurance of Pardon**

*I John 2:1-2*

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and He Himself is the propitiation for our sins; and not for ours only, but also for those of the whole world.

§ **Psalm** *How Blest Is He Whose Trespass (stanzas 1, 2, & 5)* No. 551

**Worship through Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory**

*O Love*

O Love, that will not let me go, O Love, I rest my weary soul in Thee; I give Thee back the life I owe, that in Thine ocean depths its flow may richer, fuller be.

O Joy, that seeks me through the pain, O Joy, I cannot close my heart to Thee; I trace the rainbow through the rain, and feel the promise is not vain that morn shall tearless be.

**Prayer of Petition and Supplication**

*Elder Craig Bouvier*

§ **Hymn** *O Word of God Incarnate (stanzas 1, 3, & 4)* No. 140

**Scripture Reading**

*Titus 1:1-16*

*Pew Bible page 1193*

<sup>1</sup>Paul, a bond-servant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ, for the faith of those chosen of God and the knowledge of the truth which is according to godliness, <sup>2</sup>in the hope of eternal life, which God, who cannot lie, promised long ages ago, <sup>3</sup>but at the proper time manifested, even His word, in the proclamation with which I was entrusted according to the commandment of God our Savior,

<sup>4</sup>To Titus, my true child in a common faith: Grace and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Savior.

<sup>5</sup>For this reason I left you in Crete, that you would set in order what remains and appoint elders in every city as I directed you, <sup>6</sup>namely, if any man is above reproach, the husband of one wife, having children who believe, not accused of dissipation or rebellion. <sup>7</sup>For the overseer must be above reproach as God’s steward, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, not addicted to wine, not pugnacious, not fond of sordid gain, <sup>8</sup>but hospitable, loving what is good, sensible, just, devout, self-controlled, <sup>9</sup>holding fast the faithful word which is in accordance with the teaching, so that he will be able both to exhort in sound doctrine and to refute those who contradict.

<sup>10</sup>For there are many rebellious men, empty talkers and deceivers, especially those of the circumcision, <sup>11</sup>who must be silenced because they are upsetting whole families, teaching things they should not teach for the sake of sordid gain. <sup>12</sup>One of themselves, a prophet of their own, said, “Cretans are always liars, evil beasts, lazy gluttons.” <sup>13</sup>This testimony is true. For this reason reprove them severely so that they may be sound in the faith, <sup>14</sup>not paying attention to Jewish myths and commandments of men who turn away from the truth. <sup>15</sup>To the pure, all things are pure; but to those who are defiled and unbelieving, nothing is pure, but both their mind and their conscience are defiled. <sup>16</sup>They profess to know God, but by their deeds they deny Him, being detestable and disobedient and worthless for any good deed.

**Proclamation of God’s Word**

*Pastor Martin*

*The Work of the Elder*

§ **Hymn** *At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing (stanzas 1 & 2)* No. 420

**Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper**

Reminder: Wine is in the tinted cups; grape juice is in the clear cups; the unleavened bread in the center cups is gluten and dairy free.

§ **Congregational Response**

*No. 737*

*Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever;  
Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever;  
for on the holy cross hast thou the world from sin redeemed.  
Christ, we do all adore thee, and we do praise thee forever.  
[instrumental interlude] Christ, we do all adore thee.*

§ **Benediction**

§ **Corporate “Amen”**

§ *The congregation will please stand.*

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**6:00 PM WORSHIP**

**Call to Worship**

*Psalm 104:1-4*

§ **Hymn** *God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory (stanzas 1, 3, & 4)* No. 122

§ **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**

*Pastor Andrew Newman*

**Old Testament Reading**

*Psalm 69:16-36*

Answer me, O LORD, for Your lovingkindness is good; according to the greatness of Your compassion, turn to me, and do not hide Your face from Your servant, for I am in distress; answer me quickly. Oh draw near to my soul and redeem it; ransom me because of my enemies! You know my reproach and my shame and my dishonor; all my adversaries are before You.

Reproach has broken my heart and I am so sick. And I looked for sympathy, but there was none, and for comforters, but I found none. They also gave me gall for my food and for my thirst they gave me vinegar to drink.

May their table before them become a snare; and when they are in peace, may it become a trap. May their eyes grow dim so that they cannot see, and make their loins shake continually. Pour out Your indignation on them, and may Your burning anger overtake them. May their camp be desolate; may none dwell in their tents. For they have persecuted him whom You Yourself have smitten, and they tell of the pain of those whom You have wounded. Add iniquity to their iniquity, and may they not come into Your righteousness. May they be blotted out of the book of life and may they not be recorded with the righteous.

But I am afflicted and in pain; may Your salvation, O God, set me securely on high. I will praise the name of God with song and magnify Him with thanksgiving. And it will please the LORD better than an ox or a young bull with horns and hoofs. The humble have seen it and are glad; you who seek God, let your heart revive. For the LORD hears the needy and does not despise His who are prisoners.

Let heaven and earth praise Him, the seas and everything that moves in them. For God will save Zion and build the cities of Judah, that they may dwell there and possess it. The descendants of His servants will inherit it, and those who love His name will dwell in it.

§ **Hymn** *Approach, My Soul, the Mercy Seat* No. 507

**Worship through Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory**

*The Lord’s My Shepherd  
Cathy Lawton, piano*

**Prayer of Confession, Petition, and Intercession**

*Pastor Newman*

§ **Hymn** *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation (stanzas 1, 3, & 5)* No. 342

**Scripture Reading**

*John 15:18-27*

*Pew Bible page 1079*

<sup>18</sup>“If the world hates you, you know that it has hated Me before it hated you. <sup>19</sup>If you were of the world, the world would love its own; but because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, because of this the world hates you. <sup>20</sup>Remember the word that I said to you, ‘A slave is not greater than his master.’ If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you; if they kept My word, they will keep yours also. <sup>21</sup>But all these things they will do to you for My name’s sake, because they do not know the One who sent Me. <sup>22</sup>If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have sin, but now they have no excuse for their sin. <sup>23</sup>He who hates Me hates My Father also. <sup>24</sup>If I had not done among them the works which no one else did, they would not have sin; but now they have both seen and hated Me and My Father as well. <sup>25</sup>But they have done this to fulfill the word that is written in their Law, ‘THEY HATED ME WITHOUT A CAUSE.’

<sup>26</sup>“When the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, that is the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify about Me, <sup>27</sup>and you will testify also, because you have been with Me from the beginning.”

**Proclamation of God’s Word**

*Pastor Marty Martin*

*Disciples in the World*

§ **Psalm** *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* No. 92

§ **Benediction**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **May 3, 2026—Nursery Schedule:**

**11:00 AM Infant Nursery:** Susan & Marshall Raines; Alternate: Alex Brandenburg

**11:00 AM Toddler Nursery:** Julie Evans & Mary Horsky

**6:00 PM Evening Nursery:** Philip & Brandy Triplett

### **May 10, 2026—Nursery Schedule:**

**11:00 AM Infant Nursery:** Tricia Lortz & Patty Wallwork; Alternate: Julie Worley

**11:00 AM Toddler Nursery:** Maria & Jeff Wayne, Jr.

**6:00 PM Evening Nursery:** Susan & Jeff Wayne, Sr.

**Questions? Contact [nursery@fellowshippres.org](mailto:nursery@fellowshippres.org)**

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Office hours: Monday—Thursday, 8:30 AM—12:30 PM

Sunday Worship Services: 11:00 AM & 6:00 PM

Prayer Requests: [prayer@fellowshippres.org](mailto:prayer@fellowshippres.org) Announcements: [announcements@fellowshippres.org](mailto:announcements@fellowshippres.org)

### **THE SESSION:**

Teaching Elder: Pastor Martin H. Martin

Ruling Elders: Craig Bouvier, Terry Richards,

Tim Taylor, Jeff Wayne, Sr.

Elder of the Month: Craig Bouvier

### **THE DIACONATE:**

Deacons: Pat DeJong, Jared Farquhar, Dave Frengel,

Brian Medlin, Kelly Peterson, Philip Triplett

Deacon of the Week: Jared Farquhar

**ASSISTANT PASTOR:** Pastor Andrew Newman

**COORDINATOR OF PASTORAL CARE:** Pastor Peter Spink

**DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES:** Steve Lawton

**CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR:** Jeff Wayne, Sr.

**CHURCH INTERN:** Greg Horsky

### **ACCOMPANISTS:**

Piano, Beverly Brouwer and Cathy Lawton; Organ, Sheryl Farquhar

## **MISSIONARIES & BENEVOLENCE MINISTRIES:**

Rev. & Mrs. Albert Kona—Albania

Rev & Mrs. Alonzo Ramirez—Peru

Rev. & Mrs. Todd Crusey—London

Rev. & Mrs. John Blevins—NW Knoxville

Greenville Theological Seminary

Greer Community Ministries

Miracle Hill Ministries

Rev. & Mrs. Mark Kuo—Taiwan

Rev. & Mrs. Vinicius Pimentel—Brazil

Rev. & Mrs. Mikael Romer—Finland

Gospel Reformation Network

Covenant College

Calvary Home for Children

Samaritan's Purse/Operation Christmas Child

***Pew Cards:*** *If you are new to Fellowship, please help us get to know you by filling out a pew card and dropping it in the offering plate. ~Thank you!*

***As the Lord continues to add to our numbers, please work with the Deacons and others to help everyone find a seat; and be sure to greet newcomers after the service!***

## **Wednesday Night Supper & Service:**

**5:30 PM: Catered Supper—\$3.50/ adult (ages 11 & up);  
\$2.50/child (ages 10 & under); \$15 max/family; sign-up is required.**

**\*Please indicate on a pew card the number of adults & children attending this week's supper;** the menu is nachos or taco salad and dessert. **Food is served until 6:10 pm.**

**6:00 pm: Doctrine and Discussion (youth), meets in the sanctuary**

**6:30 pm: Devotional & Prayer Time (adults); Catechism (children)**

**The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be today, during morning worship.** Reminder: Wine is in the tinted cups; grape juice is in the clear cups; the unleavened bread in the center cups is gluten and dairy free.

**Lord's Day Prayer Group, Sundays, 9:30 am;** all are welcome.

**Adult Sunday School, 10:00 am, Fellowship Hall:** Ligonier series, "A Time for Confidence"

**Youth Teaching:** Sunday School, "Road Trip through Revelation," 10:00 am; Wednesdays, "Doctrine and Discussion," 6:00 pm.

**Women's Summer Studies** (sign-ups available in the narthex or online):

- "Covenantal Baptism" by Jason Helopoulos, led by Becky Taylor, meeting Tuesdays, 7 pm at the church.
- "The Secret of Contentment" by William Barclay, led by Cindy Worley, meeting Wednesday (June 10, 24; July 1, 15, 29) 2 pm, at the Worley home.
- "Everyday Faithfulness" by Glenna Marshall, led by Sheryl Farquhar, Sandy Waugh, and Debbie Spink, meeting Thursdays, 10 am, at the church.

**Men's Bible Study (Romans), Monday, May 4, 7:00 pm, at the church.**

**VBS/ Genesis 1: Space Mission, launches Monday, June 15—19, 9:00 am, for children grades K4—6<sup>th</sup> completed!** Thank you for registering your "astronauts" so quickly! We now have only a few open spots and have begun a waitlist. Rejoice with us for this great response and pray for our staff as we prepare for "lift-off." Watch for announcements of other ways that you can help!

**~VBS/ Genesis 1: Space Mission Sunday Night Kickoff—June 14, 5:00 pm!**

**Save the Date! Men's Fall Retreat at Bonclarken: Thursday—Saturday, October 22—24.**



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May 3, 2026

*Our purpose is to glorify the Triune God by reconciling the lost to Him through faith in Jesus Christ and equipping the saints to serve Him in every area of life.*

2 Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 28:19-20