VERNAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH A Congregation of the *Evangelical Presbyterian Church*



November 12, 2023

The mission of Vernal Presbyterian Church is to worship and glorify the one true God and Jesus Christ, His Son. We open our doors to all who seek to worship with us: the weary, the lonely, the mourning and all who will come. We proclaim our faith in Jesus Christ as our Redeemer through worship, the Word, and the Sacraments as we fellowship and learn together through music, missions, Christian education and service to others.

> Sunday School 9:45 AM Lord's Day Service II:00 AM

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Welcome & Announcements

| Introit | Cares Chorus | Choir |
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| | ——— God Calls Us ———— | |
| *Call to Worship: 480 | Spiritual Discernment | |

*Invocation

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.

| *Hymn #406 (vv. I-3) | Praise to God, Immortal Praise | DIX |
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| | —— God Cleanses Us —— | |
| Prayer of Confession & | Supplication | |
| *Assurance of Pardon | | |
| *Hymn #189 (vv. 1-3) | Hallelujah! What a Savior | GETHSEMANE |
| | — God Consecrates Us — | |
| Old Testament Reading | Ezra 10:1-19, 44 | Pew Bible pp. 387-388 |
| Children's Word | | |
| *Hymn #334 (vv. I-2) | I Am Thine, O Lord | I AM THINE |
| New Testament Reading | g 1 Peter 4:1-11 | Pew Bible pp. 896-897 |
| Sermon | Suffering for Glory | Reid Roberson |
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*Confession of Faith The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.



*The congregation is invited to stand.

The Session and Congregation of Vernal Presbyterian Church extend in the Name of Christ the Lord a cordial welcome to all who are worshipping with us today.

Announcements

- Operation Christmas Child boxes are due **November 14th.** If you have not already brought your boxes, please bring them to the church tomorrow at 2 PM.
- The Community Thanksgiving Service will be held at Vernal Full Gospel Church on November 21st.
- If you would like to contribute to Antioch's Food Pantry, please make checks out to Vernal Presbyterian Church and write "Antioch" on the memo line. Envelopes are available in the foyer with the bulletins.

Prayer List

Operation Christmas Child, Bernice McIntosh, Donna McIntosh, Doyle Moody, Alney Cook, Mac Pierce, Vivian Parker, Gail Stuck

Wednesday Night

| Choir Practice | 5:30 PM |
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| Youth & Adult Bible Studies | 6:30 PM |

Session of Elders

Jeff Allen Joe James Sudie Copeland, treasurer Frances Forsyth, clerk

> Becky Brewer, music director Nancy McIntosh, pianist/organist

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