



VERNAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the *Evangelical Presbyterian Church*

LORD'S DAY SERVICE
MARCH 9, 2025

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

God Calls Us

*Call to Worship

Psalm 33:1-5

Psalms

¹Shout for joy in the LORD, O you righteous! Praise befits the upright.

²Give thanks to the LORD with the lyre; make melody to him with the harp of ten strings!

³Sing to him a new song; play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts.

⁴For the word of the LORD is upright, and all his work is done in faithfulness.

⁵He loves righteousness and justice;

the earth is full of the steadfast love of the LORD.

*Invocation

The Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

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 #118

Come, Thou Fount

NETTLETON

Reading of the Law *Catechism for Young Children 82-83*

What is the second commandment?

The second commandment is, Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them; for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children, unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; and showing mercy unto thousands of them that love me and keep my commandments.

What does the second commandment teach us?

To worship God in a proper manner, and to avoid idolatry.

Prayer of Confession & Supplication

Gracious and Holy God, You have commanded us to worship You as You have revealed, yet we confess that we have often strayed from Your ways. We have sought to worship You by our own wills, neglecting what You have appointed in Your Word. You are zealous for Your own glory, and we have not honored You as we ought. Forgive us for adding to or diminishing from Your worship, for allowing our hearts to be drawn to falsehood and superstition. Cleanse our hearts, O Lord, and teach us to worship You in spirit and in truth so that our lives may be wholly devoted to Your praise. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 33:18-19

***Hymn #189 (vv. 1-3)**

Hallelujah! What a Savior

MAN OF SORROWS

Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 4

Children's Word

***Psalm 3**

O Lord, How Are My Foes Increased

NEW BRITAIN

Sermon Reading

Jonah 1:1-17

Sermon

Rev. Ron Horgan

Prayer of Intercession

Confession of FaithThe Apostles' 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.

***Gloria Patri #436**

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Offertory***Doxology #434**

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***Offertory Prayer**

God Commissions Us

Hymn #279I Surrender All*

SURRENDER

BenedictionNumbers 6:24-26****Departure Hymn***Shalom to You*

SOMOS DEL SENOR

Sha-lom to you now, sha-lom, my friends.
 May God's full mer - cies bless you, my friends.
 In all your liv - ing and through your lov - ing,
 Christ be your sha - lom; Christ be your sha - lom.



**The congregation is invited to stand.*

