



VERNAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A Congregation of the *Evangelical Presbyterian Church*

LORD'S DAY SERVICE
FEBRUARY 22, 2026

Introit

Choir

God Calls Us

***Call to Worship**

Psalm 124

¹If it had not been the LORD who was on our side— let Israel now say—

²if it had not been the LORD who was on our side when people rose up against us,

³then they would have swallowed us up alive, when their anger was kindled against us;

⁴then the flood would have swept us away, the torrent would have gone over us;

⁵then over us would have gone the raging waters.

⁶Blessed be the LORD, who has not given us as prey to their teeth!

⁷We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowlers; the snare is broken, and we have escaped!

⁸Our help is in the name of the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.

***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 #145**

Love Divine

BEECHER

Reading of the Law

Revelation 2:8-10

Prayer of Confession & Supplication

O Lord, to You we lift up our souls. We trust in You; let us not be put to shame. O Lord, remember Your mercy and Your steadfast love, and remember not our sins and transgressions. Remember us according to Your steadfast love, for the sake of Your goodness. For Your name's sake, pardon our guilt, for it is great. Guard our souls and deliver us. Let us not be put to shame, for we find our refuge in you. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Revelation 2:11

*Hymn #308

Glory to His Name

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God Consecrates Us

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 20:1-21

Children's Word

*Psalm I

How Blessed is the Man

FOUNDATION



¹ How blessed is the man who walks not on ad - vice
³ He is a strong tree plant - ed by flow - ing streams,
⁵ The wick - ed may not join in judg - ing the right,



Of sin - ners and wick - ed, nor stands in their way,
Yields fruit in his sea - son, his leaf ev - er green.
There - fore, they will not stand and judge be - fore God.



Re - fus - ing to sit in the scof - fer's re - cline,
In all things he pros - pers, stands strong in the wind
⁶ For God, he a - lone, knows of right - eous - ness way;



² He's pleased in God's law, med - i - tates day and night.
⁴ That drives out the wick - ed as chaff in the breeze.
The way of the wick - ed shall per - ish that day.

New Testament Reading

Matthew 5:1-12

Sermon

The Beatitudes

Rev. Reid Roberson

Prayer of Intercession

***Confession of Faith**

The 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 #38**

Blest Be the Tie

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***Benediction**

Numbers 6:24-26

***Departure Hymn**

Shalom to You

SOMOS DEL SENOR

*Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends.
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving,
Christ be your shalom; Christ be your shalom.*



**The congregation is invited to stand.*

Announcements

Adult & Youth Midweek Studies meet Wednesday at 5:30 PM. Choir meets Thursday at 4 PM.

Local missions opportunities are available!

- Antioch's Food Pantry
- PROMISS Pregnancy Care
- Backpack Buddies

Prayer List

Sandy James, Mae Nell McIntosh, Logan Brewer, Matthew Williams, Carolyn James, Wayne Smith, Nancy Brown, Mamie Raines, Karen Allen, Jeff Allen, Larry Owens, Natalie Lewis, Julianne Allgood, Annie Ruth Thigpen, Elaine Gabel, Donna Pederson, Leighton Wilson, Donna McIntosh, Gail Stuck

Upcoming Birthdays

Shawntay Hatcher (Feb. 23), Jennifer Fortenberry (Mar. 17),
AliBeth Newman (Mar. 17)

Session of Elders

Jeff Allen Jennifer Fortenberry
Janet James, clerk Mitch Newman

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