

## THE LORD'S DAY

January 7, 2024 at 8:30 AM & 10:15 AM

### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude      David Schmidt  
Piano                  Wendy Baldwin

Hymn 815 Doxology

Statement of Faith

Prayer

Scripture Reading – Psalm 133 (opposite page)

Announcements

Hymn Open the Eyes of My Heart                  Dean & Tracie Arnold

Pastoral Prayer

Meditation How Deep the Father's Love for Us                  Dean & Tracie

Communion

Message The World's Philosophy: Keep the New – Give the Old  
Psalm 118:27      Rev. Calvin VanderMey

Benediction

Postlude

### WESTMINSTER CATECHISM

Q. 87. What is repentance unto life?

A. Repentance unto life is a saving grace, whereby a sinner, out of a true sense of his sin, and apprehension of the mercy of God in Christ, doth, with grief and hatred of his sin, turn from it unto God, with full purpose of, and endeavor after, new obedience. Acts 11:18; II Tim. 2:25, Ps. 51:1-4; Joel 2:13; Luke 15:7, 10; Acts 2:37, Jer. 31:18-19; Luke 1:16-17; 1 Thess. 1:9, 2 Chron. 7:14; Ps. 119:57-64; Matt. 3:8; 2 Cor. 7:10

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Wednesday 10 AM - Men's Bible Fellowship

Wednesday 6:30 PM – Prayer and Bible Study

Thursday 8:15 AM – Precept Bible Study

Please remember to silence your cell phones to help maintain  
an attitude of worship without distraction.

Psalm 133 Blessed Unity of the People of God  
A Song of Ascents. Of David.

<sup>1</sup>Behold, how good and how pleasant *it is*

For brethren to dwell together in unity!

<sup>2</sup>*It is* like the precious oil upon the head,

Running down on the beard,

The beard of Aaron,

Running down on the edge of his garments.

<sup>3</sup>*It is* like the dew of Hermon,

Descending upon the mountains of Zion;

For there the LORD commanded the blessing—

Life forevermore.

### 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. On the third day, He arose again from the dead. He ascended into Heaven and sits 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 Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

### LOOKING AHEAD

January 20 – Ladies Afternoon at the Movies 2 PM

January – Men's Breakfast 9-10 AM

### MISSIONARY CORNER

Each week we focus on Missionaries and Organizations  
we support as a local church.

Steve Pettit has served the Lord in many different capacities in his lifetime. He has served as assistant pastor, as president of Steve Pettit Evangelistic Association, as director of Northland Camp and Conference Center, and as president of Bob Jones University. He currently travels as an itinerant evangelist with a gospel bluegrass musical team. Steve Pettit Ministries exists to glorify God by supporting the local church through services, concerts, conferences, and unique events emphasizing gospel-centered evangelism and Christian leadership development.

## Open the Eyes of My Heart

Open the eyes of my heart Lord, Open the eyes of my heart,  
I want to see You, I want to see You

To see You high and lifted up, Shining in the light of Your glory.  
Pour out Your power and love as we sing holy, holy, holy

Holy, holy, holy Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy,  
I want to see You

## How Deep the Father's Love for Us

How deep the Father's love for us, How vast beyond all measure,  
That He should give His only Son, To make a wretch His treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss, The Father turns His face away,  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One Bring many sons to glory.

Behold the Man upon the cross, My sin upon His shoulder,  
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice, Cry out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held Him there, Until it was accomplished,  
His dying breath has brought me life, I know that is finished.

I will not boast in anything, No gifts, no power, no wisdom,  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer,  
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.