

ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFORMATION

Looking Ahead. Next week's sermon is on Genesis 2:18–25. Sunday school will be on Psalm 28.

Upcoming Inquirers Class. If you are interested in becoming members or learning about Stonebridge, Presbyterianism, and Reformed theology, please let Pastor Taylor know your interest in attending our next inquirers class. The class will be held on May 19th, 6–8 PM; May 20th, 3–6 PM; and May 21st, 1:15–4:15 PM.

Midweek Activities. Prayer meeting on Fridays, 7 PM at LCM. Bible studies on Thursdays, 7 PM. The men meet at the church and are studying Matthew; the women meet at Dorothea's house and are studying Revelation.

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Welcome to



A Reformed Church For Toledo, OH

The Lord's Day, April 16, 2023

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome And Announcements

Preparation For Worship

Prelude

Call To Worship

Rev. Taylor Wright

*Hymn Of Adoration

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #214

*Prayer Of Invocation

*Confession Of Faith

Minister: Christians, what do you believe?

All: We believe that the only Redeemer of God’s elect is the Lord Jesus Christ, who being the eternal Son of God became man, and so was and continues to be God and man, in two distinct natures and one person, forever.

We believe that as our Redeemer, Christ is a prophet, priest, and king in both His humiliation and His exaltation.

We believe that as our prophet, Christ reveals by His Word and Spirit the will of God to us for our salvation.

We believe that as our priest, Christ offered Himself up once, as a sacrifice to satisfy divine justice and to reconcile us to God, and that He continually intercedes for us.

We believe that as our king, Christ subdues us to Himself, rules and defends us, and restrains and conquers all His and our enemies.

(from Westminster Shorter Catechism in Modern English Questions 21–26)

Scripture Reading

1 Thessalonians 4:1–8
Brian Navarette

Confession Of Sin

All: Heavenly Father, we acknowledge that we all like sheep have gone astray. We have turned, every one, to his own way. It was for our transgressions that Christ was wounded. It was for our iniquities that Christ was bruised. Look upon His stripes, we pray, and heal us and forgive us. In Jesus’ name. Amen.

(from Isaiah 53)

Assurance Of Pardon

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. (Isaiah 53:6)

Hymn

“My Soul In Silence Waits For God”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #62A

* Congregation stands as able.

Hymn	“Wondrous King, All Glorious” Trinity Psalter Hymnal #280
Tithes And Offerings	
*Gloria Patri	Trinity Psalter Hymnal #572
Prayer Of Intercession	Brian Navarette
*Hymn	“How Blessed Are Those Upright In Their Way” Trinity Psalter Hymnal #119A
Sermon	Genesis 2:18–25 (Genesis, 18) Rev. Taylor Wright
*Closing Hymn	“Though Troubles Assail Us” Trinity Psalter Hymnal #246
*Closing Prayer	
*Benediction	
*Congregational Response	“My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less” Trinity Psalter Hymnal #459, Verse 1

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