

ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFORMATION

Looking Ahead. Today's preacher is Rev. Frank L. Bartoe IV. Frank lives with his wife Bridgette of 30 years in Holgate, OH. They have two married children and two rambunctious grandsons that they enjoy every minute of time spent with them. Frank is a graduate of Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary and has a love for puritan experiential theology.

Next week's sermon will be on Genesis 3:14. Sunday school will be on Psalm 31.

Next week we will partake of Communion together. The Apostle Paul warns: "Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself. That is why many of you are weak and ill, and some have died. But if we judged ourselves truly, we would not be judged. But when we are judged by the Lord, we are disciplined so that we may not be condemned along with the world" (1 Cor 11:28–32).

You can find a devotional for preparing your heart on the website at:

<https://www.stonebridge-epc.org/preparing-for-worship/>

Midweek Activities. Prayer meeting on Fridays, 7 PM at LCM. Bible studies are on break until the fall.

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Welcome to



A Reformed Church For Toledo, OH

The Lord's Day, July 30, 2023

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome And Announcements

Preparation For Worship

Prelude

Call To Worship

Abraham Lee

*Hymn Of Adoration

“To God Be The Glory”
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #236

*Prayer Of Invocation

*Confession Of Faith

Minister: Christians, what do you believe?

All: We believe that God is perfect and holy, and that every sin deserves His anger and curse, both in this life and in the life to come.

We believe that since the fall no ordinary man or woman perfectly keeps the commandments of God in this life but breaks them every day in thought, word and action.

We believe that to escape God’s anger and curse, which we deserve for our sin, God requires from us faith in Jesus Christ and repentance unto life.

We believe that faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, by which we receive and rest on Him alone for salvation, as He is offered to us in the gospel.

We believe that repentance unto life is a saving grace, by which we, being truly aware of our sinfulness, understand the mercy of God in Christ, grieve for and hate our sin, and turn from it to God, fully intending and striving for a new obedience.

(from Westminster Shorter Catechism in Modern English Questions 84–87)

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 1:6–12 (Page 1014)
Tom Lueck

Confession Of Sin

O LORD, rebuke me not in your anger, nor discipline me in your wrath! For your arrows have sunk into me, and your hand has come down on me. There is no soundness in my flesh because of your indignation; there is no health in my bones because of my sin. For my iniquities have gone over my head; like a heavy burden, they are too heavy for me...For I am ready to fall, and my pain is ever before me. I confess my iniquity; I am sorry for my sin...Do not forsake me, O LORD! O my God, be not far from me! Make haste to help me, O Lord, my salvation! (Psalm 38:1–4, 17–18, 21–22)

* Congregation stands as able.

Assurance Of Pardon

Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 8:35–39)

Hymn

"Jesus, Lover Of My Soul"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #450

Hymn

"The One Who Dwells In God"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #91A

Tithes And Offerings

***The Doxology**

Trinity Psalter Hymnal #567

Prayer Of Intercession

Tom Lueck

***Hymn**

"Praise God, O Servants Of The Lord"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #113B

Sermon

John 15:11 (Page B)
Rev. Frank Bartoe

***Closing Hymn**

"Behold The Throne Of Grace"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #522

***Closing Prayer**

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response**

"Be Thou My Vision"
Trinity Psalter Hymnal #446, Verse 5

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