

**GATHERED WORSHIP
SERVICE**
for the
**Glory of
God**
and the
Renewal of His People

February 11, 2024

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To all who are spiritually weary and seek  
rest; to all who mourn and long for  
comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire  
victory; to all who sin and need a  
Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after  
righteousness;  
and to all who will come, this church opens wide her  
doors and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus  
Christ.

**SOUTHSIDE COMMUNITY CHURCH**

*Glorifying God...*

*Embracing Scripture...*

*Loving Corpus Christi...*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS for February 11, 2024

**Today - Barnabas Mercy Fund Offering and Fellowship Luncheon.** The Barnabas Mercy Fund Offering is used to help with needs among our congregation's members and acquaintances. Envelopes have been placed in your Worship Bulletin. Everyone is invited to stay after Worship Service for our monthly fellowship Luncheon.

**Tuesday February 13 - Ladies Tuesday Morning Bible study** - 10:30 am at Southside. This is a 6-week study on 1st Peter, and study guides are being provided by the church. (If you will need child care, please tell Hannah).

**February 14, Sigler's Bible study will begin,** 7:00pm to 8:30pm at the Sigler's home, 441 Santa Monica Place. They will be continuing the study of the Gospels alternating with 1 Samuel. They would love new people, men, women, young, old, new to Bible study, and experienced.

**Women's Work Out Class** | Thursday February 15th @3pm at the church taught by a NASM certified, Women's Fitness specialist. Hannah has been working with this trainer for the last year in and around surgeries. For more information, please see Hannah Feuchtenberger, 361-935-4513.

**Thursday February 15 - Ladies Thursday Evening Bible study** - 7:00pm at Jeanie Cotten's home 8206 Seashore Drive. This is a 6-week study on 1st Peter, and study guides are being provided by the church.

**Save the Date - Tuesday, February 16 - Adult Valetine's Day Party from 6:00 - 8:00pm at Southside.** There are two sign-up sheets on the welcome table. One to RSVP and the other to bring food sides, if you are able.

**Save the Date - Saturday February 17 at 10:30am - Baby Shower honoring Lauren Sharp and Tara McPherson at the home of Meredith Hood.** Both women have registries on Amazon. Looking forward to celebrating these women and babies! Little ladies are welcome to attend!

**Save the Date - Sunday February 18 at 6:30pm - Theology Nerd Night at Southside.** We will discuss why we are not a theonomic church.

**Save the Date - Saturday, February 24 - Inquirers Class at Southside from 9:00am - noon.**

**Save the Date - February 25 - Family Night at 5:30pm** with dinner and studies for children of all ages. Ryan Grosek will continue his class on defending the Christian faith for adults.

**Save the Date - Dominican Republic Mission trip - June 4-11, 2024.** See Rob if interested.

## \*GATHERING SONG

### **O Church, Arise**

*Words and music: Keith Getty and Stuart Townend*

O church, arise, and put your armor on;  
Hear the call of Christ our captain.  
For now the weak can say that they are strong  
In the strength that God has given.  
With shield of faith and belt of truth,  
We'll stand against the devil's lies.  
An army bold, whose battle cry is love,  
Reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war, to love the captive soul,  
But to rage against the captor;  
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole,  
We will fight with faith and valor.  
When faced with trials on every side,  
We know the outcome is secure.  
And Christ will have the prize for which He died:  
An inheritance of nations.

Come, see the cross, where love and mercy meet,  
As the Son of God is stricken;  
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet,  
For the Conqueror has risen!  
And as the stone is rolled away,  
And Christ emerges from the grave,  
This victory march continues till the day  
Every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come, put strength in every stride;  
Give grace for every hurdle.  
That we may run with faith to win the prize  
Of a servant good and faithful.  
As saints of old, still line the way,  
Retelling triumphs of His grace,  
We hear their calls, and hunger for the day  
When with Christ we stand in glory

## **PREPARATION for WORSHIP**

*Proverbs 3:5-8*

Trust in the LORD with all your heart,  
and do not lean on your own understanding.  
In all your ways acknowledge him,  
and he will make straight your paths.  
Be not wise in your own eyes;  
fear the LORD, and turn away from evil.  
It will be healing to your flesh  
and refreshment to your bones.

## **\*CALL to WORSHIP**

*Psalm 95:1-3*

*Minister: Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;*

**Congregation: Let us make a joyful noise  
to the rock of our salvation!**

*Minister: Let us come into His presence  
with thanksgiving;*

**Congregation: Let us make a joyful noise  
to Him with songs of praise!**

*Minister: For the LORD is a great God,*

**Congregation: And a great King above all gods!**

**\*HYMN of ADORATION**

**Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken (Hymn #345)**

*Words: John Newton, Music: Franz Haydn*

Glorious things of thee are spoken,  
Zion city of our God;  
He whose word cannot be broken  
formed thee for his own abode;  
On the Rock of Ages founded,  
what can shake Thy sure repose?  
With salvation's walls surrounded,  
thou may'st smile at all thy foes

See, the streams of living waters,  
springing from eternal love,  
Well supply thy sons and daughters,  
and all fear of want remove;

Who can faint while such a river  
ever flows their thirst t' assuage?  
Grace which, like the Lord, the giver,  
never fails from age to age

Round each habitation hovering,  
see the cloud and fire appear  
For a glory and a covering,  
showing that the Lord is near.  
Thus deriving from their banner  
light by night and shade by day;  
Safe they feed upon the manna  
which he gives them when they pray

Savior, if of Zion's city  
I through grace a member am,  
Let the world deride or pity,  
I will glory in thy name.  
Fading is the worldling's pleasure,  
all his boasted pomp and show;  
Solid joys and lasting treasure,  
none but Zion's children know

**\*INVOCATION**

## **\*CONFESSION of FAITH**

*Heidelberg Catechism, Q. 27 & 28*

*Minister: What do you understand by the providence of God?*

**Congregation: God's providence is His almighty  
and ever present power,  
whereby, as with His hand,  
He still upholds heaven and earth and all  
creatures,  
and so governs them that leaf and blade,  
rain and drought,  
fruitful and barren years, food and drink,  
health and sickness, riches and poverty,  
indeed, all things,  
come not by chance but by His fatherly hand.**

*Minister: What does it benefit us to know that God has created all  
things  
and still upholds them by His providence?*

**Congregation:  
We can be patient in adversity, thankful in  
prosperity, and with a view to the future  
we can have a firm confidence  
in our faithful God and Father  
that no creature shall separate us from His love;  
for all creatures are so completely in His hand  
that without His will they cannot so much as  
move.**



## CONFESSION of SIN

Lord Jesus,  
I am blind, be my light,  
ignorant, be my wisdom,  
self-willed, be my mind.  
Open my ear to grasp quickly the Savior's voice,  
and delightfully run after His beckoning hand.  
When Satan approaches, may I flee to Your wounds.  
Your cross was raised to be my refuge,  
Your blood streamed forth to wash me clean,  
Your death occurred to give me a surety,  
Your name is my property to save me.  
By You all heaven is poured into my heart,  
but it is too narrow to comprehend Your love.  
I was a stranger, an outcast, a slave, a rebel,  
but Your cross has brought me near,  
has softened my heart,  
has made me Your Father's child,  
has admitted me to Your family,  
has made me joint-heir with Yourself.  
O that I may love You as You love me,  
that I may walk worthy of You, my Lord,  
that I may reflect the image of heaven's first-born.  
May I always see Your beauty with the clear eye of faith,  
and feel the power of Your Spirit in my heart,  
for unless He move mightily in me,  
no inward fire will be kindled. Amen.

## ASSURANCE of PARDON for BELIEVERS

Psalm 34:17-18, 22

Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD:  
though your sins are like scarlet,  
they shall be as white as snow;  
though they are red like crimson,  
they shall become like wool.

### \*HYMN OF RENEWAL

#### **Abide with Me (Hymn #402)**

*Words: Henry Lyte, Music: Justin Smith*

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;  
The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide.  
When other helpers, fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, abide with me.

Thou on my head, in early youth didst smile;  
And, though rebellious, and perverse meanwhile,  
Thou hast not left me, oft as I left Thee,  
On to the close Lord, abide with me.

I need Thy presence, every passing hour.  
What but Thy grace, can foil the tempter's power?  
Who, like Thyself, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless

Ills have no weight, tears lose their bitterness  
Where is thy sting death? Where grave thy victory?  
I triumph still, abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross, before my closing eyes;  
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies.  
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;  
In life, in death, Lord, abide with me.

### **GIVING of OFFERINGS**

|                      |          |                            |           |
|----------------------|----------|----------------------------|-----------|
| Giving Month to Date | \$14,776 | Giving Fiscal Year to Date | \$395,747 |
| Goal Month to Date   | \$8,500  | Goal Fiscal Year to Date   | \$382,500 |

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### **SCRIPTURE READING**

*Psalm 110 (Page 509)*

## PASTORAL PRAYER

Please contact Toby at the church office for prayer need

### \*HYMN of PREPARATION

#### **Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah (Hymn #598)**

*Words: William Williams, Music: John Hughes*

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,  
pilgrim through this barren land;  
I am weak, but thou art mighty;  
hold me with thy pow'rful hand;  
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven,  
feed me till I want no more,  
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,  
whence the healing stream doth flow;  
let the fire and cloudy pillar  
lead me all my journey through;  
strong Deliv'rer, strong Deliv'rer,  
be thou still my strength and shield,  
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,  
bid my anxious fears subside;  
Death of death, and hell's Destruction,  
land me safe on Canaan's side;  
songs of praises, songs of praises  
I will ever give to thee,  
I will ever give to thee.

## **READING and PREACHING of GOD'S WORD**

Mark 12:35-44 (Page 849)

## **CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION**

*Elders are available to pray with you.*

*If you are physically unable to come forward but wish to partake, servers will bring the elements to you.*

### **Serving of the Elements**

*Wine is in the outer ring of the trays; juice in the inner.  
Please bring your elements back to your seats so that we  
can partake together.*

**\*HYMN of RESPONSE**

**Doxology**

*Words: Thomas Ken, Music: Louis Bourgeois*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise him all creatures here below;  
Praise him above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**BENEDICTION**