

Sunday, March 22, 2009

Call to Worship – Pastor Marc Swan

Leader: Let the godly sing for joy to the LORD; it is fitting for the pure to praise him.

People: For the word of the LORD holds true, and we can trust everything he does.

Leader: He loves whatever is just and good; the unfailing love of the LORD fills the earth.

People: Let the whole world fear the LORD, and let everyone stand in awe of him.

From Psalm 33 (New Living Translation)

Prayer of Adoration

Worship through Music

Worship through Confession – Elder Carl Schauffele

Leader: How is Christ our redeemer?

People: As our redeemer, Christ is a prophet, priest, and king in both His humiliation and His exaltation.

Leader: How was Christ humiliated?

People: Christ was humiliated by being born as a man and born into a poor family; by being made subject to the law and suffering the miseries of this life, the anger of God, and the curse of death on the cross; and by being buried and remaining under the power of death for a time.

Leader: How is Christ exalted?

People: Christ is exalted by His rising from the dead on the third day, His going up into heaven, His sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and His coming to judge the world at the last day.

Leader: How is Christ a prophet?

People: As a prophet, Christ reveals the will of God to us for our salvation by His word and Spirit.

(From the Westminster Shorter Catechism in Modern English)

Congregational Prayer – Elder Carl Schauffele

Missions Moment – Glenn Jamison

Worship through Music

Worship through Giving – Deacon Jerry Smith

If you are visiting with us please do not feel any obligation to give.

Worship through the Word Proclaimed – Pastor Marc Swan

Text: 1 Corinthians 1:18-25

Series: The Cross of Christ

Title: The Cross of Christ, Our Prophet

Children may be taken to Toddlers' Worship (age 2 through pre-kindergarten) or Children's Worship (kindergarten through 2nd grade) after the scripture is read.

Benediction

Doxology

Announcements

This Week's Announcements

1. If you are visiting Grace Church today, we welcome you! Please fill out the visitor form found in the bulletin and place it in our little "church" on your way out.
2. Our Grace Church Annual Congregational Meeting is scheduled to convene in the RCS gym a few minutes after the close of worship on Sunday, April 26th. The meeting has been called to elect officers, to present and discuss the annual budget (for our next fiscal year beginning May 1), and to consider as needed matters relating to a relocation of our place of meeting. Members are urged to attend; others are invited.

Serving Today

Nursery: Erin Gill, Rich Kennedy, Karin Hays & Elizabeth Kennedy.

Next Week: (3-29-09) Bethany Bajus, Lucinda Greer, Peter Mason & Samantha Swan.

Toddlers' Worship: Michelle Sahmel, Elizabeth Raduns & Lynn McDonald.

Next Week: (3-29-09) Leslie Buzzell, Nathan Hays & Linda Jamison.

Children's Worship: Christine Rabarsky, Cheryl Day & Lucinda Steensma (floater).

Next Week: (3-29-09) Tim McNamara, Christy Burgess & Lisa Choma (floater).

Music Team: Cheri, Evan, Aaron, Gary, Janice & Tom.

Next week: (3-29-09) Dan, Evan, Brian, Jon, Ben & Scott.

Greeters: Mark and Lisa Choma* & Jerry and Roberta Smith.

Next Week: (3-29-09) Marcia Gault*, and Robin & Joan Lambert.

Grace Church Finances

	<u>February</u>	<u>Fiscal YTD</u>	<u>Total</u>
General Offerings:	\$19,425	\$213,286	
Expenses:	18,406	202,626	
Budget:	20,968	209,679	
Building Fund:	1200	14,900	40,100

Week of March 22– March 29, 2009

TODAY-22nd

- 9:15 A.M. Sunday school for all ages.
10:30 A.M. Grace Worship Service.
3:30 P.M. Song and friendship at Hill Haven Nursing Home. Grace visitors are always welcome and appreciated. For more information, contact Bob Berray at 377-9463.
7:00 P.M. Gault Growth Group meeting at the home of Chris and Peter Mason. Their address is 1189 Gatestone Circle, Webster, 872-6432 if you have any questions.

MONDAY-23rd

- 5:30 P.M. Session meeting at the Church Office.
7:00 P.M. Building Search Committee Meeting at the Church Office.

TUESDAY-24th

- 6:30 A.M. Men's fellowship and Prayer Breakfast @ Wegmans Café, 3195 Monroe Ave. Contact Carl Schaufele at 594-4103 for more details.
6:30 P.M. Youth Group will be at RCS. Please Contact Chris Holdridge at 451-2496.
6:30 P.M. Officer Training meeting at the church office in the copy room.
7:00 P.M. The Smith Growth Group meets at the Fletcher home. Contact Jerry or Roberta Smith at 544-6322 for more information.
7:15 P.M. *Greek Language Tools* meets at the Church Office. Contact Parker Voll at 427-2719.

THURSDAY-25th

- 7:00 P.M. France Growth group meets at various members homes. Contact the Frances at 544-0289 for more information

SATURDAY-28th

- 8:00 A.M. Men's Bible Study at the Church Office until 9:30 A.M. Studying Gospel foundations from the book of Romans. Contact Pastor Marc at 899-3910 for more details.
10:00 A.M. Women's Bible Study being led by Roberta Smith at her home. Studying "Changing Hearts, Changing Lives. Contact Roberta at 544-6322 for further details.
7:00 P.M. Church Setup Team 4.

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Grace Church Vision

Grace Church (PCA) exists as a community of Christian believers who want to know God, are committed to His word, and are compelled by His love to share the power of the gospel in order to change lives in our community and ultimately to the ends of the earth. Our emphasis is on Biblical, Christ-centered worship and teaching that is empowered by the Holy Spirit and on loving receptive fellowship where all who are broken and desire to know the love of God are welcome.