

ABOUT RPC

We at Resurrection Presbyterian Church are excited about bringing glory to God through worship that celebrates the good news of Jesus Christ and by serving those in need of Christ-like compassion.

RESURRECTION | We believe the Bible is God's Word and that it has the power to change people's lives. That is why our ministry is rooted in Scripture. God is pleased to use the simple preaching of the person and work of Jesus Christ to give us eternal, resurrection life. This is why we chose the name, "Resurrection" for our church. When the Son of God, Jesus Christ, came to earth, he lived a perfect life and died on the cross in our place, so that we could be forgiven of our sins. And three days later, Jesus rose from the grave, overcoming the powers of sin and death in his resurrection. Now, he is reigning with God the Father over all things. He delights to share his power over sin and death with all those who trust in him by faith by giving us his Holy Spirit. As a community of this faith, we have this hope of eternal life. One day soon, Jesus Christ will return from heaven, and everyone who put their faith in him will be raised like he was to join him in glory forever.

PRESBYTERIAN | Presbyterianism provides safety for church members and accountability for church leaders. Most people don't know the word, "presbyterian," but it's just a reference to the kind of leadership we have in our church. Presbyter is a Greek word that means "elder." Our pastor does not lead our church like a CEO or a pope. Rather, we are led and cared for by a "session," a group of mature, Christian men that serve together with our pastor. Our elders and our pastor are, themselves, under the authority of the elders and pastors of other churches in our denomination. We are affiliated with a reformed Christian denomination called the Orthodox Presbyterian Church.

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WELCOME

We are glad you have come to worship the true and living God with us. You are invited to stay after worship for refreshments and fellowship.

THIS LORD'S DAY, DECEMBER 3RD, 2017

10:00 A.M. | MORNING WORSHIP IN OSHKOSH | Pastor Bob Holda is preaching through the New Testament letter of 1 PETER. Previous sermons are available online at www.SermonAudio.com/OshkoshRPC.

BIBLE TRANSLATION | Pastor Holda preaches from the English Standard Version (ESV) of the Bible. Our Scripture readings also come from the ESV, which is the version we have made available to you.

NURSERY | We love to have our children stay with the whole church family in worship. The covenant promises of our God extend to the entire family and he welcomes the praises of children. We do have a clean, safe, and nurturing nursery ministry for infants between 0-3 for those who need it. Our nursery staff is grateful for the opportunity to serve families by caring for their children during service. The nursery is close to the sanctuary, down the hall to the left of the entryway.

OFFERING | Please make checks out to: *Resurrection Presbyterian Church*. Unless otherwise noted, all checks will go to the general fund.

12:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP MEAL | All are welcome to stay after service today for an all-church potluck meal and enjoy the food and extended fellowship. Today marks RPC's one-year anniversary.

**TODAY IS THE FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.
THERE WILL BE NO EVENING SERVICE TODAY.**

MEETING PLACE

Christian Community Childcare Center
3870 Jackson St. Oshkosh, WI 54901

MAILING ADDRESS

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DECEMBER 03, 2017

Morning Worship, 10:00 A.M.

Remembering The LORD In The Deep

Jonah 1:17 - 2:10, Pastor Bob Holda

*“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again
to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.”*

1 PETER 1:3

LORD’S DAY WORSHIP

*Congregation standing

THE SERVICE OF PRAISE

*THE LORD’S GREETING Pastor Bob Holda

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP:
Hosea 6:1-3 (CHURCH BIBLE, p.754)

*HYMN OF PRAISE:
Come, Ye Faithful, Raise The Strain (HYMNAL, #265)

*PRAYER OF INVITATION AND PRAISE

RESPONSIVE PSALM READING:
Psalm 31:15-24 (HYMNAL, p.795)

HYMN OF ADORATION:
What Child Is This? (HYMNAL, #213)

THE SERVICE OF RENEWAL

*THE READING OF GOD’S LAW:
Hebrews 12:3-14 (CHURCH BIBLE, p.1008)

*PUBLIC CONFESSION OF SIN:
Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have broken your holy laws. And you have faithfully disciplined us in your love. You have corrected and rebuked us with your Word. You have brought miserable afflictions and losses upon us in your providential care so that we might hate sin and be kept from iniquity. And yet, we have complained about your chastisements and not desired the holiness offered in them.

Have mercy on us, Lord. We are miserable offenders and ungrateful children and we confess our need for chastening. Help us endure the pain of your discipline. May we see your love for us in these things. Heal and sanctify us by your Holy Spirit. We ask all this in Christ’s gracious name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:
1 Peter 2:24-25(CHURCH BIBLE, p.1015)
CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: “Praise be to God!”

PSALM OF THANKSGIVING:
Ps. 116: What Shall I Render To My God?, vv.1,3,4 (HYMNAL, #637)

GOD AT WORK IN HIS WORLD: Elder Steve Bruehl
PRESBYTERY OF S. CALIFORNIA | RHM | REV. DAVID CRUM

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD

*THE READING OF GOD’S WORD:
Luke 1:26-38 (CHURCH BIBLE, p.855)

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: Pastor Bob Holda
Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus (HYMNAL, #196)

THE SERVICE OF COMMITMENT

THE READING AND PREACHING OF GOD’S WORD:
Jonah 1:12-2:10 (CHURCH BIBLE, p.774)
Remembering The Lord In The Deep (JONAH 1:17-2:10)

DOXOLOGY: (HYMNAL, #731)
“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.”

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS: (1 TIMOTHY 6:17-18)
“As for the rich in this present age, charge them not to be haughty,
nor to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who
richly provides us with everything to enjoy. They are to do good, to
be rich in good works, to be generous and ready to share, thus
storing up treasure for themselves as a good foundation for the
future, so that they may take hold of that which is truly life.”

*HYMN OF RESPONSE:
Why Should Cross And Trial Grieve Me? (HYMNAL, #609)

*THE BENEDICTION

*O GOD, TO US SHOW MERCY, v. 1: (HYMNAL, #437)
“O God, to us show mercy and bless us in your grace;
cause now to shine upon us the brightness of your face;
that so your way most holy on earth may soon be known,
and unto ev’ry people your saving grace be shown.”

SERMON NOTES

- I. THE LORD CAST JONAH DOWN INTO THE DEEP.
- II. THE LORD APPOINTED A GREAT FISH TO SWALLOW JONAH UP.
- III. THE LORD COMMANDED THE GREAT FISH TO VOMIT JONAH UP.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUTH SNOW CAMP | JAN. 12-14 | For grades 6-12. Hosted by OPC & PCA churches at Lake Lundgren Bible Camp in Pembine, WI. \$100: includes 5 meals, cabin lodging, & endless hot cocoa. Speaker: OPC Pastor Charles Williams. More info: www.tinyurl.com/snowcamp2018.

MEN’S RETREAT | FRI.-SAT., FEB. 23-24 | Join the men from our presbytery at Green Lake Conference Center in Green Lake, WI. Rev. John Hartley will be speaking on *Divine Chastisements: Badges of Sonship*. Register online at <http://gatewayopc.org/mens-retreat/>.