

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 one, true and living God with us. You are invited to stay after worship for refreshments and fellowship. May the love of Christ fill your heart this week as you reflect on the gift of forgiveness through his death on the cross and on the power of his resurrection from the dead.

THIS LORD'S DAY, DECEMBER 4TH, 2016

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.OshkoshRPC.org.

NURSERY | We love to have our children in the worship service with the whole church family and our God welcomes their praises. His covenant promises extend to the entire family. We believe that children who worship with their parents grow in maturity and have an opportunity to be taught the rich truths of God's Word. For infants 0-3 years of age, we have a clean, safe, and nurturing nursery ministry, staffed by workers who have a desire to serve families by caring for their children during service. The nursery is located close to the sanctuary, down the hall to the left of the entryway.

5:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP MEAL & CHRISTMAS PROGRAM | Please join us tonight at Apple Valley Presbyterian Church as we enjoy a wonderful night of fellowship, food, scripture and music and set our hearts on the Father's mercy in sending forth his Son. RSVP with a church officer. Apple Valley Presbyterian Church is RPC's "Mother Church" and is located at 1750 Olde Buggy Drive, Neenah, WI 54956.

MEETING PLACE

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

MAILING ADDRESS

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WEBSITE

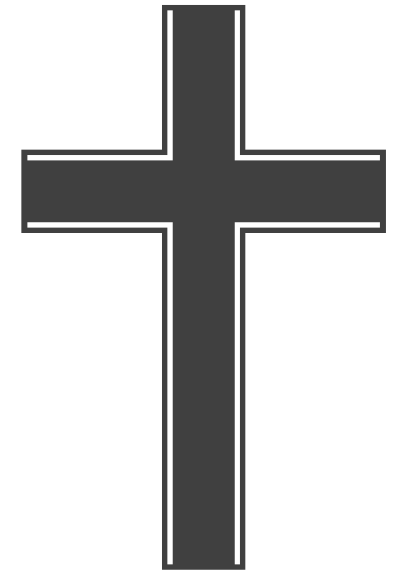
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DECEMBER 4, 2016

Morning Worship, 10:00 A.M.

A Snapshot of the Christian Life

1 Peter 1:1, 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

THE SERVICE OF PRAISE

***THE LORD'S GREETING**

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Psalm 103:1-5 (PEW BIBLE, P.502)

***SONG OF PRAISE:**

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (HYMNAL, #53)

***PRAYER OF INVITATION AND PRAISE**

SONG OF PRAISE:

We Come, O Christ, to You (HYMNAL, #181)

CONFESSION OF FAITH:

The Nicene Creed (HYMNAL, P.846)

THE SERVICE OF RENEWAL

***THE READING OF GOD'S LAW:**

Mark 12:28-31 (PEW BIBLE, P.848)

***SONG OF CONFESSION:**

God, Be Merciful to Me, v.1-3 (HYMNAL, #486)

PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:

I John 1:9 (PEW BIBLE, P.1021)

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: **"Praise be to God!"**

SONG OF THANKSGIVING:

Arise, My Soul, Arise (HYMNAL, #305)

GOD AT WORK IN THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD:

OPC HOME MISSIONS | CHICAGO, IL | GOSPEL LIFE CHURCH

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD

***SONG OF PREPARATION:**

Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord (HYMNAL, #606)

THE SERVICE OF COMMITMENT

THE READING OF GOD'S WORD:

Matthew 16:21-25 (PEW BIBLE, P.822)

1 Peter 1:1-9 (PEW BIBLE, P.1014)

THE SERMON: 1 Peter 1:1

"A Snapshot of the Christian Life"

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: (2 CORINTHIANS 9:7)

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."

***SONG OF RESPONSE:**

All the Way My Savior Leads Me (HYMNAL, #605)

***THE BENEDICTION**

***GLORIA PATRI:** (HYMNAL, #735)

"Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen."

**Congregation standing, if able*

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.

OFFERING | Please make checks out to: *Resurrection Presbyterian Church*. Unless otherwise noted, all checks will go to the general fund. There will be a benevolence offering once every four weeks to support RPC's ministry of mercy and care for the poor.

SERMON NOTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNUAL SNOW CAMP | JANUARY 13-15 | The theme of this year's OPC/PCA teen snow camp is "Identity: Rooted in Christ." The speaker will be Rev. Andrew Whitaker of Cornerstone Presbyterian Church in Delafield, WI. For students 6th - 12th grade. The cost is \$100.00 for room & board. Register online at <http://tinyurl.com/snowcamp17>. The registration deadline is December 29th.