# 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, FEBRUARY 12TH, 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.

During the communion hymn, we will take a second offering to support RPC's ministry of mercy.

**6:00 P.M.** | EVENING SERVICE IN NEENAH, WI | Please join us tonight at Apple Valley Presbyterian Church as Pastor John Hartley preaches through the Old Testament book of DANIEL. Previous sermons are available online at www.AppleValleyPres.org. Apple Valley Presbyterian Church is RPC's "Mother Church" and is located at 1750 Olde Buggy Drive, Neenah, WI 54956.

#### MEETING PLACE

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# RESURRECTION ——PRESBYTERIAN ——CHURCH



# FEBRUARY 12, 2017

Morning Worship, 10:00 A.M.

### Hoping Fully in the Grace of Glory

1 Peter 1:13, 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



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# LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

### THE SERVICE OF PRAISE

#### **\*The Lord's Greeting**

\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP: Lamentations 3:19-24 (PEW BIBLE, P.688)

\*HYMN OF PRAISE: Great Is Thy Faithfulness (HYMNAL, #32)

#### **\*PRAYER OF INVITATION AND PRAISE**

#### HYMN OF ADORATION:

*My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less* (HYMNAL, #521)

**CONFESSION OF FAITH:** *The Apostle's Creed* (HYMNAL, P.845)

### THE SERVICE OF RENEWAL

\*THE READING OF GOD'S LAW: 1 John 2:15-17 (PEW BIBLE, P.1021)

#### **\*PUBLIC CONFESSION OF SIN:**

Heavenly Father, thank you for the way your word penetrates our hearts and exposes the ugliness and reality of our sin. It is good for us to be humbled by the holiness of your commands.

We confess that, although we have been born of the Spirit, we often live in the flesh, seeking first to satisfy the cravings of our bodies, without respect to your Kingdom or commands. We confess that our eyes are not always content to gaze upon your good gifts and to look to Christ by faith, but have sought for satisfaction in this wicked world. We confess our secret desires to boast in our possessions, our achievements, our knowledge, our skill, and our self-righteousness.

Save us from these follies, Lord Jesus. We do not want to pass away with the world that we have set our desires upon. Train us to do your will, so that we might abide with you forever.

#### **Assurance Of Pardon:**

*Psalm 32:5* (Pew Bible, p.463) CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: "*Glory be to God!*" HYMN OF THANKSGIVING: My Hope Is In the Lord, vv. 1-3 (HYMNAL, #523)

GOD AT WORK IN HIS WORLD: OPC FOREIGN MISSIONS | HAITI | REV. BEN HOPP

#### PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND THE WORLD

\***HYMN OF PREPARATION:** Break Thou the Bread of Life, vv. 1,3,4 (HYMNAL, #146)

### THE SERVICE OF COMMITMENT

THE READING OF GOD'S WORD: 1 Peter 1:3-13 (PEW BIBLE, P.1014)

**THE SERMON: 1 Peter 1:13** *"Hoping Fully in the Grace of Glory"* 

**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:** (MATTHEW 6:21) "...where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE: Be Thou My Vision (HYMNAL, #642)

#### THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER:

#### **\*†Communion Hymn:**

Let Thy Blood In Mercy Poured, vv. 1-3 (HYMNAL, #429)

#### **\*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 **†** A benevolent offering will be taken at this time.

# SERMON NOTES

#### IN EXILE, GOD'S ELECT WILL SET THEIR HOPE FULLY ON THE GRACE OF GLORY

I. BECAUSE OF THE REVELATION THEY HAVE RECEIVED.

II. BY SOBERLY PREPARING THEIR MINDS FOR ACTION.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**HELP FOR THE HOMELESS** | FEBRUARY 19 | We invite you to participate in this local relief ministry. You may donate anything related to personal hygiene: soap, toothbrushes, etc. Please pass these items onto Pastor Holda or one of the elders by the 19th of February.

**UPCOMING SESSION MEETING** | FEBRUARY 27 | We meet at AVPC at 6:30PM. Pray for us. Send prayer requests to us. We will pray for you.

**MISSIONARY UPDATE NIGHT** | MARCH 2 | OP Missionary Rev. Ben Hopp and family will be visiting Apple Valley Presbytery Church in Neenah and giving a presentation of their work in Haiti in the evening.