TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Sunday, January 21, 2024 8:15 a.m. - Historic Sanctuary



WELCOME

PRELUDE

March in G Major BWV Anh. 124, from The Notebook for Anna Magdalena Bach J. S. Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength,

All: they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

Leader: Let us stand in faith and worship God!

*HYMN 612

We Praise You, O God

KREMSER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, you call us your own children and cover us with your love. We would seek to be merciful as you are, and to show compassion as you do, but we fail to live the life to which we have been called. Where we ought to forgive, we condemn; the evil we should shun, we embrace.

Forgive our sinful ways, tame our wayward wills, and make us more like Christ, until we are raised in perfection on the last day. (silent confession) Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: Friends, hear the good news, in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. All: Thanks be to God.

*RESPONSE 581

Gloria Patri

GLORIA PATRI (Greatorex)

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.

CELEBRATIONS & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

Thank you for completing our Friendship Register. We invite you to give of tithes and offerings.

Leader: The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray.

*Please stand as you are able.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LEADING WORSHIP

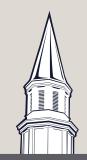
The Reverend Jeff Meyers Senior Pastor

Morgan Burge Director of Membership

Betsy Homer Director of Worship & Arts

REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE

770-343-7558 First time in worship? Text "welcome" Member/regular visitor? Text "here"





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PRAYER & OUR LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sanctuary Flowers
The Sanctuary flowers are dedicated
to the glory of God and in loving
memory of Guy Rogers, by Mary
Rogers and Ellen Lukach.

*HYMN 735

I Need Thee Every Hour

NEED

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 5:4

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON

HELP!

Rev. Jeff Meyers

"Going Through Grief"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' Creed

I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen

*HYMN 465

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

CONVERSE

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

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.

*POSTLUDE

The God of Abraham Praise

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OUR WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

Sunday, January 28 Help! "Faith Over Fear" Isaiah 41:10 Rev. Jeff Meyers Senior Pastor



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Hospital: Ted Mullin, Arthur Stutz

At Home: Joy Dyer, Tim Toney, Jack Thompson, Margaret Tillander, Jean Dancy Jones, Ben Dubose, Lee Landers, Melinda Freeman, Chad Godhard, Sue Winkler, Anneke Smith

Elder Nominations: Submit Elder Nominations for the Class of 2027 by Monday, February 5, at roswellpres.org/elder-nomination. Be in prayer as we seek RPC's next class of leaders. If you have any questions, contact Rev. Jeff Meyers, jeff@roswellpres.org, or Karen Wright, Chair, kmwright1024@gmail. com.

Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at the 9:30 a.m. service in the Sanctuary to Roland Christopher Pamm III & Landon Charles Pamm, sons of Kelly & Chris Pamm. The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at the 11:00 a.m. service in the Sanctuary to Samuel Christopher Atkinson, son of Lauren & Craig Atkinson.

Church Office Closed: The Church Office will be closed Monday, January 22, for the annual staff retreat.

The Grand Adults Ministry celebrates the 50+ wedding anniversaries of Nena & Dick Gavigan (53 years on Jan. 9), Bobbie & Bill Schofield (62 years on Jan. 21), and Vicki & Bernie Posey (51 years on Jan. 29).

Harp Concert: RPC welcomes Kaitlin Miller for a solo harp concert on February 11 at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The concert is free and open to the public. Kaitlin is the winner of the Young Professional Division Competition sponsored by the American Harp Society and holds the distinguished title of Concert Artist of the Year. RPC has joined with Ga Chapter AHS as a music mission partner and together sponsors this concert. Kaitlin is an active harpist in the LA area and has performed in many chamber, orchestral, and solo concerts. Contact Judy Smith via text at 678-522-0826.

Healing and Wholeness/Grief Recovery Group: Rev. Dr. Scott Weimer will lead a five-week Grief Group beginning Sunday, January 28, from 12:30 - 2:00 p.m. in Alderman Hall. Register by Wednesday, January 24. This group is open to members and non-members.

Wit & Wisdom: Join us February 13, from noon to 2:00 p.m. in Alderman Hall for a Fat Tuesday Celebration of Bluegrass. Register at roswellpres.org/events.

The RPC Book Club: Meet the second Thursday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in the Conference Room. On February 8, we will discuss *The Woman With the Cure* by Lynn Cullen. Visit roswellpres.org/connect or contact Tony Samaltanos, tags1050@bellsouth.net, for more info.

Women's Retreat: Register for the Women of RPC one-day onsite retreat on Saturday, February 10, with guest speaker Karen Stubbs of Birds On a Wire for a day of learning, fellowship, and worship. Visit roswellpres.org/events for more info.

Men's Retreat: Join the Men of RPC March 15-17 at Brasstown Valley Resort as Rev. Stephen Finkel leads an in-depth discussion on what the Psalms tell us about navigating all elevations of life, from the valleys to the peaks. Visit roswellpres.org/events for more info.

Mission: Serve in the new year! Visit roswellpres.org/serve

Youth (ryeX): Register for eXtreme Retreat 2024 - March 1-3, 2024. Check ryeX.org for all the fun events we have coming up.

Stephen Ministry: Contact Rev. Carrie Weatherford at 770-649-4533 (carrie@roswellpres.org) or Mike Bangs at 770-331-5049 (michaelbangs@gmail.com) to learn more about this special ministry.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR FAITH FAMILY

Join our next Exploring RPC class February 11, 2024

9:15 a.m. - noon with lunch until 1 p.m.

To join this class, please contact Morgan Burge at morgan@roswellpres.org 770-649-4522

Visit: www.roswellpres.org/im-new

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OUR CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, January 21, 2024

Historic

8:15 a.m. (Historic Sanctuary)

Traditional

9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m* (Sanctuary) Modern

10:45 a.m.* (Gym) **Digital**

Livestream & Previous Worship www.roswellpres.org

February 14

Ash Wednesday (save the date) February 27

Healing & Wholeness (save the date)

*Livestream available.

January 21

Prepping for the Talks Presented by Collins Foster February 5

Elder Nominations Due

February 10

Women's Onsite Retreat 2024

February 11

Exploring RPC New Member Class February 13

A Fat Tuesday Celebration of Bluegrass Sponsored by Wit & Wisdom March 1-3

ryeX eXtreme Retreat 2024 CrossRoads

March 15-17

Men of RPC Retreat 2024 June 16-22

Serve Orlando High School Mission Trip

Serve

February 10

Habitat for Humanity Ecumenical Build Most Saturdays through March February 7

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