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The Lord's Day Worship
January 21, 2024
MORNING WORSHIP

Prelude
 Welcome and Announcements
 Apostolic Greeting

***Call to Worship**

*Opening Hymn #242

"Father, Long before Creation"

*Prayer of Invocation

The 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.

Word of God **Isaiah 52:13-53:12 p. 631**

Pastoral Prayer

The Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q 66. What is the reason annexed to the fifth commandment?
 A. The reason annexed to the fifth commandment is a promise of long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory and their own good) to all such as keep this commandment.

*Hymn *"Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee"* #238

Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology #568

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise him, all creatures here below;
 Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Word of God

1 Peter 1:10-12 p.1033

Preaching of God's Word

"Things into which Angels Long to Look"

*Hymn of Response #268

"Of the Father's Love Begotten"

*Benediction

*Postlude
 (*Please stand if able)

| Worship Service & Sunday School Times | |
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| 9:45 a.m. | Sunday School for all ages |
| 11:00 a.m. | Morning Worship |
| 6:00 p.m. | Evening Worship |
| Morning and Evening Worship Services are live streamed at: www.graceopcfairlawn.org | |

| Worship Serving Schedule | | | | |
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| DATE | USHERS | NURSERY | MEDIA BROADCAST | COFFEE HOUR Refreshments |
| Today | Thomas Mack, Joe Ribeiro | HaeSung Keegan, Liz Planer | Kitt Gripp | Rachel Gripp |
| NEXT WEEK | Donny Jerie, Jimmy Holtzman | Jaclyn Mack, Rachel Gripp | John Hemrick | Deborah Vasquez |

EVENING WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Apostolic Greeting

***Call to Worship**

*Opening Hymn #247

"We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator"

*Prayer of Invocation

Word of God **1 Peter 1:17-25 p. 1033**

Pastoral Prayer

*Hymn *"LORD, from the Depths to You I Cry!"* # 130A

Tithes and Offerings

Word of God **Ruth 4:1-12 p. 235**

Preaching of God's Word

"Redemption with a Catch"

*Hymn of Response #240

"O Love of God, How Strong and True"

*Benediction

*Postlude

(*Please stand if able)

WELCOME TO GRACE OPC! On behalf of the session of Grace OPC, I want to extend our warmest greetings to you. It is my hope and prayer that as we gather together this Lord's Day to worship our Triune God and Redeemer, you will be encouraged to cast your cares upon the Lord and to draw near to God by faith in His Son, the Lord Jesus Christ. If you are new here in Fair Lawn, please join us for fellowship following the benediction, and be sure to sign our guestbook. We look forward to personally speaking with you, and if there are any prayer concerns on your heart, don't hesitate to bring them to our attention.

Pastor John Keegan

This morning, in 1 Peter 1:10-12, we will learn how the prophets of the Old Testament were led by the Holy Spirit to foretell the sufferings of Christ and glory of exaltation, the message of the gospel that has resulted in our being born again to a living hope.

This evening in Ruth 4:1-12, we will consider the wonder of the gospel on display in Boaz' redemption of Ruth, particularly the recipients of God's grace and the cost of their redemption.

Annual Congregation Meeting; Pizza Fellowship Prior

One of the privileges and responsibilities we have as members of the body of Christ and stewards of the Great Commission, is to participate in the adoption of a budget for the church fiscal year. This coming January 26 at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary of the church we will hold our Annual Meetings of the church and corporation.

Calendar Events and Notes

| THIS WEEK: | | |
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| Monday 1/22/24, 6 PM | Calendar Coordinators Meeting at Hemricks | Monthly meeting for crafting the church events calendar |
| Tuesday 1/23/24, 7:30 PM | Dinaro Home Group Montvale | Prayer & Study in the book of 1 Peter. See Elder Leo Baratta |
| Wednesday 1/24/24, 7 PM | Keegan Home Group Fair Lawn | Prayer & Study in the book of Romans. See Pastor John |
| Friday 1/26/24, | Annual Meeting for Congregation and Corporation: Pizza Dinner at 6 PM & Meeting at 7 PM | |

| NEXT WEEK: | | |
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| Tuesday 1/30/24, 7:30 PM | Dinaro Home Group Montvale | Prayer & Study in the book of 1 Peter. See Elder Leo Baratta |
| Wednesday 1/31/24, 7 PM | Keegan Home Group Fair Lawn | Prayer & Study in the book of Romans. See Pastor John |
| Thursday 2/01/24, 7 PM | Mack Home Group Wyckoff | Prayer & Study in the book of 1 John. See Elder John Hemrick |
| Saturday, 2/03/24, 9:30 AM | Women's Prayer Breakfast RSVP to HaeSung Keegan | Lifting our voices to God, praying for the advancement of the kingdom of His Son |

The Lord called me from the womb, from the body of my mother he named my name.
Isaiah 49:1

GIVING ALL LIFE A CHANCE TO LIVE



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SUNDAY 01.21.24

 LIGHTHOUSE

to celebrate and support

the gift of life

“Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.”

1 PETER 4:10