

Morning Worship – May 21, 2023

Pastoral Greeting

Call to Worship: Psalm 148 (ESV pg. 526)

Invocation

* Psalm: 148B

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 10:12-21 (ESV pg. 155)

New Testament Reading: 1 Peter 3:8-17 (ESV pg. 1015)

Prayer for Illumination

* Psalm 34A

Sermon Text: Psalm 119:41-48 (NKJV pg. 428)

Sermon Title: *The Word of Promise*

Pastoral Prayer

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

* Psalm 119F

Presenting our Tithes and Offerings

* Doxology - Psalm 89H

* Benediction

* = **PLEASE STAND IF ABLE**

*Page numbers for Scripture readings are: New King James (NKJV)
or English Standard Version (ESV) pew Bibles*

Today's Schedule

10:00 am – Morning Worship

11:30 am – Sunday School/Sermon Discussion

12:15 pm – Informal Fellowship Lunch

Announcements

**Welcome to all as we gather in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ
to worship the living and true God!**

➤ Our precentor this week is Daniel Carcich, and the presiding elder is Greg Moberg – next week's precentor will be Hannah Goerner, and the presiding elder will be Bill Pihl. We will continue to provide the Zoom link each week for those unable to worship in-person.

➤ Today we celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper as part of our worship service. If you are visiting today and have not met with the elders to give your profession of faith, please review the information on the back of your bulletin.

➤ Everyone is welcome to come early (9:15 am) each Lord's Day to enjoy breakfast together before Morning Worship (please contact Collin Cragon for breakfast details). Also, each week there is an opportunity to fellowship together over lunch following our Sunday School/Sermon Discussion. Everyone is welcome to join in this – If you are able, please bring food to share if you plan to stay. If everyone who can bring food brings a little more than you would normally make for Sunday lunch, there will be plenty to share.

➤ **The Financial Peace University** class meets this Wednesday at 7:30 pm at the Pilling home (49 Hallock Rd, Rochester, NY 14624). This is a 9-week class on financial literacy – from saving for emergencies, paying off debt, saving for major expenses (such as cars or houses), planning for retirement and college, or learning to give generously, there is something to be learned from the principles taught in this course. Dan or Abaigeal can answer questions you may have about this.

➤ The **Wedding Reception for Collin & Shannon Cragon** will be on Saturday, May 27, at the Ellison Park Orchard Grove Shelter starting at 12 noon. Lunch, dessert, and drinks will be provided. There is a playground nearby, as well as a dog park. Dogs are welcome provided they are on a leash. There will be an assortment of lawn games to play, but feel free to bring your own if you wish. This will be a very casual picnic in the park, nothing fancy!

➤ **RP Global Missions Prayer Request** – Please pray for God's blessing on our mission in Central Asia. Ask God to give the missionaries flexibility, insight, skill, and abundant love in receiving and giving hospitality there. Pray for boldness and the opportunity to invite friends to the Bread of Life in whom they will never hunger again. Pray earnestly for long-term laborers to join in this blessed calling among many unreached peoples. Pray for wisdom and clarity regarding future opportunities for work and life for those serving there.