



LIVING HOPE

“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 (ESV)

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The Lord's Day, February 7, 2021

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Praising God in the Assembly

Salutation *Ephesians 1:2*
Call to Worship *Psalm 100:1-3*
*Hymn "We Gather Together" no. 415 (insert)
*Invocation *Psalm 124:8*

Confessing our Sins

Call to Repentance *Micah 2:1*
Congregational Confession of Sin (insert)
Assurance of Pardon *1 Peter 2:24-25*
*Psalm "LORD, from the Depths to You I Cry!" no. 130A (insert)

Praying for the Church

Scripture Reading *John 10:1-18 (insert)*
Intercessory Prayer & the Lord's Prayer (insert)
*Psalm "The LORD Is My Shepherd" no. 23C (insert)
*The Apostles' Creed (insert)
Collection & Prayer *Proverbs 28:6*

Proclaiming God's Word

Scripture Reading *Micah 2:1-13 (insert)*
Prayer for Illumination *Isaiah 40:8*
Sermon **A WORD ABOUT THE WICKED**
Rev. J. Zachary Siggins

Closing Prayer

*Psalm "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" no. 72B (insert)
*Benediction *Numbers 6:24-26*

Postlude

*Asterisk indicates Congregation Standing, if able

We Gather Together

1. We gath - er to - geth - er to ask the Lord's bless - ing;
 2. Be - side us to guide us, our God with us join - ing,
 3. We all do ex - tol thee, thou lead - er tri - um - phant,

he chas - tens and has - tens his will to make known;
 or - dain - ing, main - tain - ing his king - dom di - vine;
 and pray that thou still our de - fend - er wilt be.

the wick - ed op - press - ing now cease from dis - tress - ing;
 so from the be - gin - ning the fight we were win - ning;
 Let thy con - gre - ga - tion en - dure through tri - bu - la - tion:

sing prais - es to his name; he for - gets not his own.
 thou, Lord, wast at our side: all glo - ry be thine!
 thy name be ev - er praised! O Lord, make us free!

Congregational Confession of Sins

ALMIGHTY GOD,

Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
maker of all things, judge of all men:

We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness,
which we from time to time have most grievously committed,
by thought, word, and deed, against your divine Majesty,
provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us.

We do earnestly repent,
and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;
the remembrance of them is grievous unto us,
the burden of them is intolerable.

Have mercy upon us,
have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may ever hereafter
serve and please you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

130A LORD, from the Depths to You I Cry!

1. ¹LORD, from the depths to you I cry!
 2. ³If you, O LORD, should mark our sins,
 3. ⁵I wait, my soul a - waits the LORD;
 4. ⁷O Is - r'el, hope in God the LORD,

²O Lord, to me give ear and give at - ten - tion
 then who, O Lord, could stand? ⁴But par - don can be
 my hope is in his word. ⁶Yes, more than watch - men
 for mer - cy is with him; ⁸with great re - demp - tion

to my voice; my cry for mer - cy hear.
 found with you that you may fear com - mand.
 wait for dawn, my soul a - waits the Lord.
 he will save his Is - r'el from all sin.

Scripture Reading: John 10:1-18

¹“Truly, truly, I say to you, he who does not enter the sheepfold by the door but climbs in by another way, that man is a thief and a robber. ²But he who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. ³To him the gatekeeper opens. The sheep hear his voice, and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. ⁴When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice. ⁵A stranger they will not follow, but they will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers.” ⁶This figure of speech Jesus used with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them.

⁷So Jesus again said to them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep. ⁸All who came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them. ⁹I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture. ¹⁰The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly. ¹¹I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹²He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. ¹³He flees because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. ¹⁴I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, ¹⁵just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. ¹⁷For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life that I may take it up again. ¹⁸No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again. This charge I have received from my Father.”

The Lord's Prayer

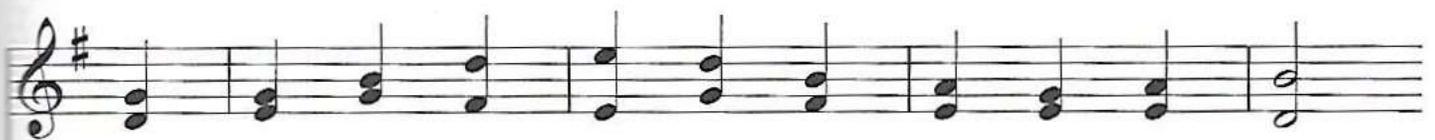
OUR FATHER, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth,
as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. **AMEN.**

The LORD Is My Shepherd

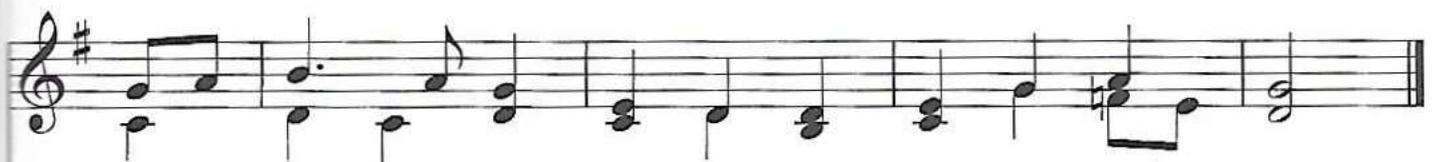
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1. ¹The LORD is my Shep-herd; no want shall I know.
2. ³My wan-der-ing steps he brings back to his way,
3. ⁴Though I walk in death's val-ley, where dark-ness is near,
4. ⁵In the sight of my en-'mies a ta-ble you spread.
5. ⁶So sure-ly your cov-e-nant mer-cy and grace



- ²He makes me lie down where the green past-ures grow;
- in straight paths of righ-teous-ness mak-ing me stay;
- be-cause you are with me, no e-vil I'll fear;
- The oil of re-joic-ing you pour on my head;
- will fol-low me close-ly in all of my ways;



- he leads me to rest where the calm wa-ters flow.
- and this he has done his great name to dis-play.
- your rod and your staff bring me com-fort and cheer.
- my cup o-ver-flows and I'm gra-cious-ly fed.
- I will dwell in the house of the LORD all my days.



The Apostles' Creed

I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.

I BELIEVE in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
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 sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there he shall come
to judge the living and the dead.

I BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit;
the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. **AMEN.**

Scripture Reading: Micah 2:1-13

¹ Woe to those who devise wickedness
and work evil on their beds!

When the morning dawns, they perform it,
because it is in the power of their hand.

² They covet fields and seize them,
and houses, and take them away;
they oppress a man and his house,
a man and his inheritance.

³ Therefore thus says the LORD:
behold, against this family I am devising disaster,
from which you cannot remove your necks,
and you shall not walk haughtily,
for it will be a time of disaster.

⁴ In that day they shall take up a taunt song against you
and moan bitterly,
and say, “We are utterly ruined;
he changes the portion of my people;
how he removes it from me!

To an apostate he allots our fields.”

⁵ Therefore you will have none to cast the line by lot
in the assembly of the LORD.

⁶ “Do not preach”—thus they preach—
“one should not preach of such things;
disgrace will not overtake us.”

⁷ Should this be said, O house of Jacob?
Has the LORD grown impatient?
Are these his deeds?

Do not my words do good
to him who walks uprightly?

- ⁸ But lately my people have risen up as an enemy;
you strip the rich robe from those who pass by trustingly
with no thought of war.
- ⁹ The women of my people you drive out
from their delightful houses;
from their young children you take away
my splendor forever.
- ¹⁰ Arise and go,
for this is no place to rest,
because of uncleanness that destroys
with a grievous destruction.
- ¹¹ If a man should go about and utter wind and lies,
saying, “I will preach to you of wine and strong drink,”
he would be the preacher for this people!
- ¹² I will surely assemble all of you, O Jacob;
I will gather the remnant of Israel;
I will set them together
like sheep in a fold,
like a flock in its pasture,
a noisy multitude of men.
- ¹³ He who opens the breach goes up before them;
they break through and pass the gate,
going out by it.
Their king passes on before them,
the LORD at their head.

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Hail to the Lord's Anointed

1. Hail to the Lord's a - noint - ed, great Da - vid's great - er son!
 2. He shall come down like show - ers up - on the fruit - ful earth;
 3. The des - ert tribes a - dore him and bend to him the knee;

Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, his reign on earth be - gun!
 and love, joy, hope, like flow - ers, spring in his path to birth.
 the wick - ed bow be - fore him, his glo - ry they will see.

He comes to break op - pres - sion, to set the cap - tive free,
 The King shall have do - min - ion from sea to shin - ing sea,
 With gifts of ad - o - ra - tion the for - eign kings shall meet

to take a - way trans - gres - sion, and rule in eq - ui - ty.
 and o - ver ev - 'ry na - tion his peace - ful rule shall be.
 to pour the wealth of na - tions in trib - ute at his feet.



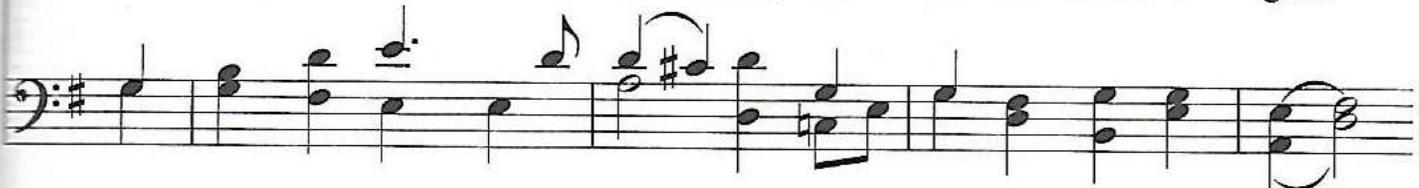
4. He comes with res - cue speed - y to those who suf - fer wrong,
 5. His king - dom is in - creas - ing, a king - dom with - out end.
 6. In name for - ev - er glo - rious, he on his throne shall rest,



to help the poor and need - y, and bid the weak be strong.
 For him shall prayer un - ceas - ing and dai - ly praise as - cend.
 from age to age vic - to - rious, all bless - ing and all - blest.



He turns their sighs to sing - ing, their dark - ness in - to light,
 The moun - tain dews will nour - ish a har - vest from the fields;
 Praise God, who rules each na - tion; tell of his deeds a - gain.



for they, con - demned and dy - ing, are pre - cious in his sight.
 the grain and fruit will flour - ish, the land its boun - ty yields.
 His glo - ry fills cre - a - tion; sing praise to God. A - men!



Paraphrase
 Vers. James Montgomery, 1822
 Rev. Bert Polman, 1985

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	GREETERS	USHERS	NURSERY	
Feb 7	The K. Browns	K. Brown; A. Behnke	Jean R	Sandra
Feb 14	The Langs	R. Lang; D. Forbeck	Tracy	Peter
Feb 21	The Johnssons	J. Johnsson; B. Rigg	Sarah	Naomi

Welcome to Living Hope Presbyterian Church! We're a Reformed & Presbyterian congregation of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church. Questions? Call the church office at (717) 334-7157 or contact Pastor Van Meerbeke (vanmeerbeke@livinghopegettysburg.org; (717) 253-4575) or Pastor Siggins (siggins@livinghopegettysburg.org; (814) 933-6321).

Pastor Van Meerbeke is on vacation through February 17th. Please reach out to Pastor Siggins or any of the elders with pastoral care needs.

Women's Bible Study meets the 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 10:30 am at the church. We are studying *When You Pray* by Philip Ryken. Please come as you are able.

We are committed to serving you in any way we can during these difficult times. Please do not hesitate to reach out to us for pastoral care or diaconal assistance!

If you wish to give your tithe and offering online, instead of in-person, you can find the link in the Living Hope Weekly email.

The LORD is righteous in all his ways
and kind in all his works.

The LORD is near to all who call on him,
to all who call on him in truth.

--Psalm 145:17-18



Welcome to Living Hope Presbyterian Church! We're a member congregation of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church (OPC) organized in 1983. Our purpose is to glorify God in divine worship, gospel witness, and mutual edification. The OPC is a member of NAPARC, the North American Presbyterian and Reformed Council, whose member denominations agree on many matters related to the Bible, creeds, and church polity.

We regularly confess our faith using the Apostles' Creed and the Nicene Creed. Our faith is best described in the Westminster Confession of Faith, the Westminster Larger Catechism, and the Westminster Shorter Catechism.

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Schedule at Living Hope Presbyterian Church

Sunday Service of Worship

9:00 am

11:00 am