

A community of believers devoted to the apostles' doctrine and fellowship in the breaking of bread and in prayers

Order of Worship - March 26, 2023

Call to worship and pastoral prayer

Hymnal #562: Be Thou My Vision

Scripture Reading: Psalm 32

Overhead: How Sweet and Awful is the Place

Sermon: Basic Instructions Pt.1, 1 Thess. 5:12-15

Prayer of response to sermon

Overhead: Grace Unmeasured

Overhead: Ancient of Days

The Lord's Supper

Overhead: Never Cease to Praise

Who are to come to the Lord's Table?

Born-again baptized believers, not practicing willful unrepentant sin, who are united to Christ as part of a sound evangelical church.

Those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins but nevertheless trust that their sins are pardoned and that their continuing weakness is covered by the suffering and death of Christ, and who also desire more and more to strengthen their faith. The Heidelberg Catechism Q.81

1 Corinthians 11:27-30 admonishes us to partake of the Table with self-examination and careful regard for the body of Christ. Failure to do so may subject us to chastisement. If you have significant conflict with others in the church, please refrain from participating today and make efforts to reconcile.

You may give cheerfully in the offering box or through the Zelle app.

Visitors

- ▶ Put your welcome card in the offering box, we have free resources for you!
- Nursery available for children under age during the sermon.
- ▶ Free evangelism materials in the foyer upstairs.
- ▶ Elders are available after service to pray or answer questions.

After Service

Parenting Class & BOLD Kids, downstairs

Elders Joseph LoSardo Damien Garofalo Eli Adamo Ibrahim Haro

Deacons
Sal Molinaro
Paul Chiagoro
John Boucard
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Nathan Adamo
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Sermon Outline

Basic Instructions Pt.1

1 Thess. 5:12-15

- Introduction
 - Christian Community/New Life Together
 - 9 Exhortations in 4 Verses
- Church Action #1: Respect and Esteem Your Leaders (v. 12-13)
 - Church Leaders Description: Labor, Govern, Admonish
- Church Action #2: Pursue Peace (v. 13b)
- Church Action #3: Discern & Minister Accordingly (v. 14)
 - Admonish => Idle
 - Encourage => Fainthearted
 - Help => Weak
 - Be Patient => All
- Church Action #4: Resist Revenge (v. 15a)
- Church Action #5: Always Seek to Do Good (v. 15b)
- Conclusion
 - The Gospel as Fundamental Foundation
 - Back to the Basics Trust the Process