

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

Order of Worship - May 7, 2023

Call to worship and pastoral prayer

Hymnal #408: How Firm a Foundation

Scripture Reading: Psalm 37:1-20

Hymnal #11: Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Sermon: Fervor and Accuracy, Acts 18:18-28

Prayer of response to sermon

Overhead: Father Let Me Dedicate (Be Glorified)

Hymnal #305: Jesus Paid It All

The Lord's Supper

Songbook #134: Shine, Jesus, Shine

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 3 during the sermon.
- ▶ Free evangelism materials in the foyer upstairs.
- ▶ Elders are available after service to pray or answer questions.

After Service

Corporate Prayer, downstairs

Elders Joseph LoSardo Damien Garofalo Eli Adamo Ibrahim Haro

Deacons
Sal Molinaro
Paul Chiagoro
John Boucard
Louis Morales
Nathan Adamo
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Sermon Outline

Fervor and Accuracy

Acts 18:18-28

Introduction: Heart, Soul, and Mind

Exposition: Disciples Strengthen One Another in Ephesus and Corinth

- 1. Paul's Second Journey Concludes (v18-23)
- 2. Priscilla and Aquila Strengthen Apollos
 - a. Apollos was educated, eloquent, and fervent. (v24-25)
 - b. Priscilla and Aquila taught him more accurately. (v26)
- 3. Apollos waters the seeds Paul planted. (v27-28)

Application: We Work Together to Strengthen One Another!

- 1. Believe that fervor and accuracy are yours in Christ.
- 2. Be teachable, to strengthen weak areas.
- 3. Be willing to strengthen others.