

Faith. Hope. Love.

The greatest of these is love.

1 Corinthians 13:13

Sunday, August 24, 2025
Worship Service Bulletins
& Announcements



SPRING VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*We are a community of sinners saved by the grace of God
through Jesus Christ and inspired by the Holy Spirit.
We seek to glorify God, nurture one another
and express the love of God in word and deed.*



RETIREMENT PARTY

*honoring Pastor Jack & Jennie Heinsohn's
15+ years of faithful service.*

**TODAY AT 11:30AM IN
POTTS FELLOWSHIP HALL**

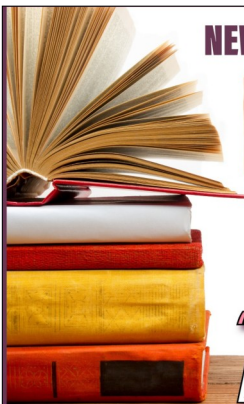
Don't forget to sign the memory book in Potts Hall.

NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

BOOK CLUB

**SUNDAY AUGUST 31
AT 3:30PM IN THE ATRIUM**

**"THE AMERICAN QUEEN"
BY VANESSA MILLER**



MONTREAT FALL RETREAT 2025

OUR HOME IN THE MOUNTAINS

**Friday, October 24
to Sunday, October 26**



details & rsvp at www.svpc.org/upcoming



Traditional Service at 10:30AM in the Sanctuary
 ***The worship service is being livestreamed.*** 

ASSEMBLING IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

"OVERTURE" FROM MESSIAH

G.F. HANDEL

**Those who are able, please stand*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOUIE BARTLETT

COMMISSIONING OF THE CONFIRMANDS

* CALL TO WORSHIP

LOUIE BARTLETT

Leader: O God, your constant love reaches to the heavens; your faithfulness extends to the skies.

People: Your righteousness towers like the mountains; your justice is deeper than the sea.

Leader: All find protection under the shadow of your wings. We feast on the abundance you provide.

People: You are our source of life, and in your light we see light.

Leader: Let us worship God

* HYMN 457 "I GREET THEE, WHO MY SURE REDEEMER ART"

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

LOUIE BARTLETT

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LOUIE BARTLETT

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

SUNG RESPONSE

"DEAR LORD AND FATHER OF MANKIND"

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DEAR LORD AND FATHER OF MANKIND, FORGIVE OUR FOOLISH WAYS;

RECLOTHE US IN OUR RIGHTFUL MIND, IN PURER LIVES THY SERVICE FIND, IN DEEPER REVERENCE, PRAISE.

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

REV. DR. JACK HEINSOHN

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM

"BLESSED ASSURANCE"

BLESSED ASSURANCE, JESUS IS MINE! O WHAT A FORETASTE OF GLORY DIVINE! HEIR OF SALVATION, PURCHASE OF GOD, BORN OF HIS SPIRIT, WASHED IN HIS BLOOD. THIS IS MY STORY, THIS IS MY SONG, PRAISING MY SAVIOR ALL THE DAY LONG. PERFECT SUBMISSION, PERFECT DELIGHT, VISIONS OF RAPTURE NOW BURST ON MY SIGHT. ANGELS DESCENDING BRING FROM ABOVE ECHOES OF MERCY, WHISPERS OF LOVE. PERFECT SUBMISSION, ALL IS AT REST. I IN MY SAVIOR AM HAPPY AND BLEST; WATCHING AND WAITING, LOOKING ABOVE; FILLED WITH HIS GOODNESS, LOST IN HIS LOVE.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

RESPONDING to GOD’S WORD

* APOSTLES’ CREED HYMNAL, PG 14
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived of the Holy Ghost, 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 sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
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

WORSHIP WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS" ARR. MARVIN GASPARD

* DOXOLOGY HYMNAL, No. 592

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GOING IN GOD’S NAME

* HYMN 335 "THOUGH I MAY SPEAK"

* CHARGE & BENEDICTION REV. DR. JACK HEINSOHN

* CHORAL RESPONSE
May the road rise to meet you, may the wind blow at your back, may the sun shine warmly on your face, may the rain fall softly on your fields; and until we meet again, until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.

POSTLUDE "TOCCATA #10 ON AUSTRIAN HYMN" JOEL RANEY

Our time of worship ends and our service to others begins.



The beautiful flowers in the Sanctuary and Potts Hall are from the Presbyterian Women’s Council in recognition of Jack and Jennie’s service to SVPC.



Today’s Acolyte: Molly Ewaldz

Revelations Service @ 8:30AM in Potts Hall

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Welcome

Call to Worship | "Thrive"

Song: "Forever"

Children's Time

Commissioning of the Confirmands

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Old Testament: Psalm 103 | New Testament: 1 Corinthians 13

Sermon: "The Greatest Gift" | Rev. Dr. Jack Heinsohn

Greet Your Neighbor

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Song: "Good, Good Father"

Statement of Faith: Apostles' Creed

Prayer of Confession

Lift Up Our Concerns

Share Our Gifts | "God of Wonders"

GOING IN GOD'S NAME

Benediction | Rev. Dr. Jack Heinsohn

Song: "Joyful Noise"

PRAYER LIST

*SUBMIT PRAYER REQUESTS AT WWW.SVPC.ORG.
WE REMOVE NAMES AFTER FOUR WEEKS UNLESS REQUESTED.*

Members: Lynn & Louie Bartlett, Barbara & David Day, Vince Osisek, Ann Perry, Pete Griffin, Jennifer Breazeale, AJ Kilgore, Dale Frieden-Bell, Stella Causey, Pat Alexander, David Knowles.

Non-Members: Dalton Hall (family of Alan & Denise Dale), Lynn van Dijk, Brantley Daniel (Angela Fomby's friend's son), Amanda Mossor & Austin McGuff (friends of Beth Amodio & Angela Fomby), Frank Hinson (Doug Lybrand's friend), Ann Martin (Carol Beaty's mother), Don MacMillan (friend of Rick & Jeanette Mathis), Frank Hinson (Doug Lybrand's friend), Leila Evans, Freida Dean, Children receiving treatment at Prisma Health Children's Hospital cancer ward & their families, Port Loyola & West Street Baptist Churches.

For **EMERGENCY** purposes, a defibrillator (in a red case) is available for trained CPR users on the cabinet outside of the pastor's office, as well as one mounted in a white cabinet on the wall outside of the Outreach Room.



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