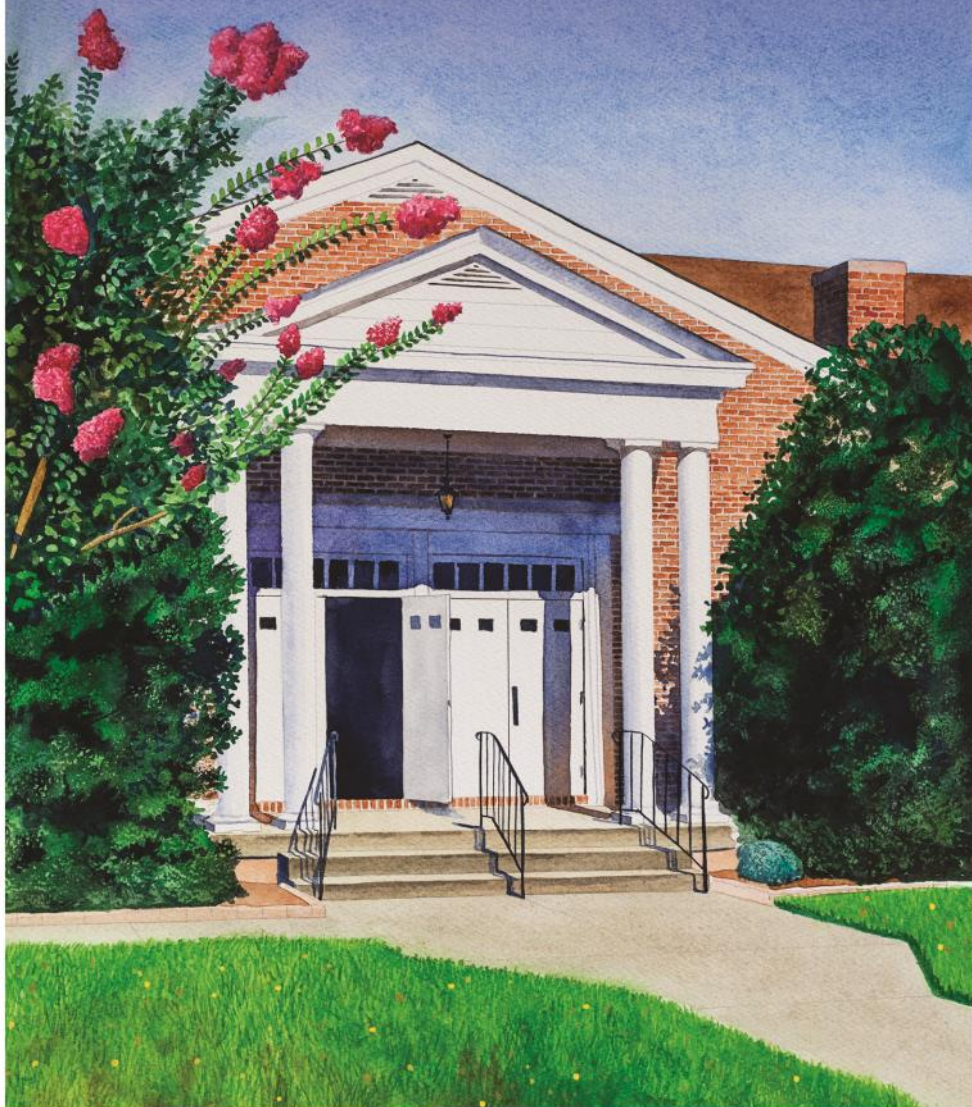




LIBERTY

CHURCH, PCA



Morning Worship Service

November 8, 2020

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements - Pastor Nathan Moretto

Silent Reflection and Meditation - Psalm 118 - *Trinity Psalter Hymnal*

Call to Worship - Psalm 118:1-4

***Gathering Hymn** - *Crown Him With Many Crowns*

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;
hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own:
awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
and hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown him the Lord of life, triumphant o'er the grave,
who rose victorious from the strife for those he came to save.
His glories now we sing, who died and reigns on high;
he died, eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side,
rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified:
no angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
but downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scepter sways
from pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in pray'r and praise:
his reign shall know no end; and round his pierced feet
fair flow'rs of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

Please turn off or silence your cell phone.

*Those who are able, please stand.

Confession of Faith - Westminster Confession of Faith, 8.6

Although the work of redemption was not actually wrought by Christ till after his incarnation, yet the virtue, efficacy, and benefits thereof were communicated unto the elect, in all ages successively from the beginning of the world, in and by those promises, types, and sacrifices, wherein he was revealed, and signified to be the seed of the woman which should bruise the serpent's head; and the Lamb slain from the beginning of the world; being yesterday and today the same, and forever.

Confession of Sin

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in Your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world. Amen.

- Presbyterian Book of Common Worship

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon - Psalm 118:17-21

Receiving of New Members

Ellie Coates, Natalie Klein, Philip & Margaret Lambooy, Tedd Tracy, John & Victoria Upperman, Sandra Williams

Invocation

*Reading from the Prophets - Jonah 2:7-9

You thought of us before the world began to breathe
You knew our names before we came to be
You saw the very day we'd turn away from You
And how desperately we need to be redeemed
Lord Jesus come lead us, we're desperate for Your touch
(*chorus*)

Chorus

Oh great and mighty one, with one desire we come
That You would reign, that you would reign in us
We're offering up our lives, a living sacrifice
That You would reign, that You would reign in us

Spirit of the living God fall fresh again
Come search our hearts and purify our lives
We need Your perfect love, we need Your discipline
We're lost unless You guide us with Your light
Lord Jesus come lead us, we're desperate for Your touch
(*chorus*)

Reading of Scripture - *Acts 4:1-12

And as they were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the temple and the Sadducees came upon them, ²greatly annoyed because they were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead. ³And they arrested them and put them in custody until the next day, for it was already evening. ⁴But many of those who had heard the word believed, and the number of the men came to about five thousand.

⁵On the next day their rulers and elders and scribes gathered together in Jerusalem, ⁶with Annas the high priest and Caiaphas and John and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. ⁷And when they had set them in the midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" ⁸Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, ⁹if we are being examined today concerning a good deed done to a crippled man, by what means this

man has been healed, ¹⁰let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead—by him this man is standing before you well. ¹¹This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. ¹²And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

Shepherding Prayer - Pastor Nathan Moretto

For children who are restless and vocal, please make use of the Fellowship Hall downstairs.

Offertory

Psalter 46C:
God is our Refuge and our Strength

Quartet**

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Sermon

“No Other Name”

Pastor Nathan Moretto

**Chris Bohmer, Sandy Tracy, Mark Fuhrer, & Ron Smith

***Hymn of Response - Cornerstone**

Edward Mote | Eric Liljero | Jonas Myrin | Reuben Morgan | William Bradbury

Praise Team

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name!

(1st time-repeat verse)

(2nd time-chorus)

Chorus

Christ alone Cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Saviour's love
Through the storm He is Lord, Lord of all!

When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In ev'ry high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil
My anchor holds within the veil!
(chorus)

When He shall come with trumpet sound
Oh may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless stand before the throne
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless I stand before the throne!
(chorus)

***Benediction**

Hymn of Glory - *Doxology

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above the heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Amen.**

***Postlude**

Worship Leaders

Reverend Nathan Moretto

Reverend Dr. Barry Cureton

Mr. Ron Smith, Music Director

Mr. Dave Tracht, Music Director

Mrs. Linda Runkles, Organist

Mr. Chuck Mitchell, Pianist

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Announcements

Pastor Barry will be taking some vacation time through November 15th.

ZOOM ADULT SS CLASS: THE BOOK OF JOB

****Starting November 8th at 9AM – 10AM****

The book of Job is the harrowing story of a man whose life changed so dramatically in the course of a few short days. It is about the problem of suffering; and the answer to the problem is not seen in the comments of Job's counsellors but more importantly in his response to suffering. The book of Job teaches us how to respond to difficulties in our lives. He is a model of cross-bearing and he teaches us to persevere even in the incomprehensible ways of God in our lives. Can we say with Job, "The Lord gave, and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord.?"

Derek Thomas will lead us through this book as we watch and listen to this video series from Ligonier Ministries with discussion time after.

We will be using the same ZOOM link as all past classes:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86862567507?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86862567507?pwd=LzRtY2xrVnhsZTVqREhEcVZlTGxtZz09)

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OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

I took part in this project last year through a teacher at Jazzercise. I think it is a very worthy project, as the gifts are given to the children along with Gospel booklets. The participating churches are also given materials for "The Greatest Journey" classes. The Lord has used these classes to bring more than 11.5 million children to faith in Christ. This year anyone who is interested can participate very easily on their own. Here is the link regarding the project: <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>

Specific directions are also included in the link in the weekly email. There are also some copies on the back table. Please call me if you have any questions whatsoever: 443-642-0277. Enjoy sharing the true meaning of Christmas!

Sincerely,

Sandy Tracy

NEED FOR BLOOD

Should you have missed our Red Cross drive last month please consider donating on Tuesday November 24th 1:00-6:30 at the LCS gym. Please call the RC at 800-448-3543 and mention Liberty Christian School.

FROM THE PCA ADMIN COMMITTEE

Our hearts are filled with gratitude for the faithful service of pastors across the PCA. The PCA Administrative Committee is deeply grateful for the Christ-honoring work of our PCA pastors as they serve their congregations and seek to further the purposes of the Kingdom. We know that you, too, are thankful for the ways God is using your pastor to bless your church. We are especially thankful that in this year, when pastors and congregations have faced unprecedented challenges due to a worldwide pandemic, so many of our PCA family chose to bless us by not asking us to return their General Assembly registration fees when the GA could not be held. Without this generosity from you, the coordinating work of the Administrative Committee would already be in serious jeopardy. We depend upon those registration fees to coordinate the ministries of the church through the year, and your selfless response was a remarkable statement of your commitment to our Presbyterian distinctives. We are indeed most fitted for Christ's work when we serve Him together. We still do not know what the future holds, but we give thanks for the Lord's sure hand and the understanding of godly leaders throughout His church. Though so many of you are facing health dangers, financial trials, relational stress, isolation, and exhaustion, you chose to think of what is needed to maintain our corporate mission for Christ's glory. We do not have the resources to thank you adequately, but we have learned of an opportunity for you to bless your pastor, and we want to share it with you: "50 Creative Ways to Bless Your Pastor" list provided in the NAE *Bless Your Pastor* program found at <https://blessyourpastor.org/>.

Youth Ministry @ Liberty

Liberty's Youth Ministry (known as "Living Stones") is designed for students 5th grade through high school, w/ occasional events for younger children.

Our goal is to build up the character of our youth, by exploring biblical truth and how this truth impacts our lives. And how we interact with and see the world. We seek to come along side of parents to support them in strengthening the faith of our young people, pointing to belief in the Lord Jesus Christ as our only hope for salvation and everlasting life.

It is our ardent prayer that the youth at Liberty grow deeper in relationship with God and begin to take ownership of their faith as they grow, in order that they remain in the church as they navigate their lives and eventually come to raise and lead their own families in truth.

Our 2020-2021 theme is: "*Bet Your Life*"

This year, we will be approaching such questions as:

"Is the Bible true? How do we know?"

"Is Christianity really the only true religion?"

"What does it mean to have a Christian worldview?"

"What does the world and our society say about Christians?"

and many more...

We hope that your student will join us as we explore and challenge ideas!

Dave Tracht

Liberty Youth Director



Children's Ministry @ Liberty

Nursery (for walking 12 month olds through 3 years of age) has reopened! It will be held in the Fellowship Hall with the "Healthy Child Policy" in place to protect our volunteers & children

Wonders of Worship reopen is TBD

Children's Sunday School has been cancelled through 2020

***Interested in volunteering now or in the future?** Please contact Sarah Crowe

Sarah Crowe, Nursery & Children's Ministry Director

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Dave Tracht, Youth & Family Ministry Director

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Upcoming Youth Ministry Events

Saturday 11/21> **Day Trip to "Museum of the Bible"** in Washington D.C.

Friday 11/27 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 12/4 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 12/11 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 12/18 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 1/8 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 1/15 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 1/22 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 1/29 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Friday 2/5 @ 5:45-8:45pm> **Living Stones YG** @ Liberty

Students from 5th grade through high school are welcome!

Prayer List

For our church family and needs in the body:

- Pray for Josiah Byrd who is having a tonsillectomy on November 17. Please pray that the pre-op paperwork and testing will all go through smoothly, and the surgery and healing would be without complication.
- Pray for Robbie and Josiah Byrd who are having orthopedic surgery on December 16th. Josiah is having a more major surgery than he has had in the past, and it will require an overnight stay. Please pray for the surgeon's hand and that healing from this would also be without complication.
- Pray for Peggy Walker who is now home and recovering from sepsis caused by an infected kidney stone.
- Pray for Glenn Cote as he prepares for major surgery on November 13 due to his Crohn's disease.
- Pray for Erich Hofmann.

For extended family, friends and others:

- Pray for Joyce Bloor's daughter, Beth, who has COVID-19 and has been home quarantining.
- Pray for a teenage girl (J) from The Children's Home who has been waiting to transition to an Independent Living program for over 6 months. She is frustrated and losing hope.
- Pray for the staff at The Children's Home. Many staff have left during COVID and new staff are being challenged by the girls. There are still no volunteers or visitors permitted on their campus.
- Pray for staff serving in hospitals, nursing homes, assisted living and long-term care, for safety from coronavirus spread and personal safety.
- Pray for local, State and Federal managers for wisdom in their response to the pandemic and the ongoing social unrest.
- Pray for first responders and our military and their families spiritual, emotional and physical health.
- Pray for repentance and revival in our country that many people would come to know Jesus as Lord and Savior.

For Liberty Christian School:

- Pray for the faculty, staff, and administrators of the school.

For Our Missionaries

Please pray for the following missionary and ministries that Liberty Church supports:

Brad and Margarita Wallace, missionaries with the Serge ministry:

All of their short-term mission trips planned for the spring and summer were canceled. So they ask for prayer that the doors would be opened for them to send out short-term teams on the trips planned for 2021.

- Pray that Serge staff and overseas missionaries would continue to find creative ways to connect with and show God's love to those they serve in the midst of the pandemic.
- Pray for Brad as he puts together a two-week daily devotional booklet for short-term teams. Their hope is that this will be another means of spiritual growth for team members while on the field, and a catalyst to consider God's call on their lives (perhaps even full-time missions).

Paul & Stephanie Billings, Executive Director of Campus Outreach (CO), reaching out to students with the Gospel at George Washington, Georgetown, Howard, and American Universities in Washington, DC:

- Please pray for Yao, Jalen, and Alexandra, and many others like them, who are learning what it looks like to follow Jesus in these challenging times. In each of these students lives, it took a pandemic for them to take the next step in their faith.

Small Group Information - All Are Welcome; call to find out if they are meeting

Group	Contact	Phone	Meeting Date
Sykesville	Wheatley	410-549-0730	1st & 3rd Mondays
Reisterstown	Charlotte Crone	410-356-3189	2nd Friday
Randallstown	Cureton	443-756-9777	1st Sunday after Church
Woodstock	Klein	410-655-3753	3rd Friday

Volunteer Schedule

	November 8	November 15
Security	Tom Crone James Hoff	Brian Moran Jacob Cote
Sound	Zach Dugan	Joe Rouland
Nursery	Erin Tracht Falon Moretto	Robin Moran Bri Luff

Church Office Hours

Monday & Tuesday 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Wednesday - Friday 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Email address: office@libertychurchpca.org

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, November 8, 2020	Zoom Sunday School	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Online
	Morning Worship	10:45 am - 12:15 pm	Sanctuary & Online
	Evening Worship	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Sanctuary
Monday, November 9, 2020	Mercy Needs, Property & FMC Meetings	7:00 pm	
Tuesday, November 10, 2020	Battalion	7:00 pm	Chapelgate PCA
Wednesday, November 11, 2020	Prayer Meeting	6:00-7:00 pm	Room #3
	Choir Practice	7:00 pm	Sanctuary
	Men's Bible Study	7:00 pm	Fellowship Hall
Thursday, November 12, 2020	Morning Fellowship	9:00 am	Room #3
	Ladies' Bible Study	7:00 pm	Zoom/Online
Friday, November 13, 2020			
Saturday, November 14, 2020			
Sunday, November 15, 2020	Zoom Sunday School	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Online
	Morning Worship	10:45 am - 12:15 am	Sanctuary & Online
	Evening Worship	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Sanctuary



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