THE LORD'S DAY **January 14, 2018**

LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Meeting at the Holiday Inn – 7701 Reynolds Road in Mentor
A Congregation of The Orthodox Presbyterian Church

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:00 AM

- Announcements -

Entering Into God's Presence

Silent Prayer *(Please quietly prepare for worship)*
*Salutation and God's Call to Worship Psalm 33:1-5
*Our Hymn of Praise # 48
"O Lord Most High, with All My Heart"
*Our Prayer of Adoration
* Reaffirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed (p. 845 in hymnal)

Seeking and Responding to God's Grace

Reading of God's Law: Deuteronomy 5:1-22
Prayer of Confession *(silent prayer & pastoral prayer)*
God's Gracious Welcome: Romans 5:1-11
Our Prayers of Intercession & the Lord's Prayer
Our Offerings of Tithes and Gifts
*Our Hymn of Preparation # 679
"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Hearing God's Word

*Prayer of Preparation
*God's Word Read Mark 9:14-29
God's Word Proclaimed Pastor Geoff Willour
"O Faithless Generation!"

Receiving God's Grace in Christ

Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
Diaconal Fund Offering
*Hymn of Commitment # 505
"I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord"
*God's Blessing Benediction
*Doxology # 733

** Congregation please stand*

We warmly welcome you to Lake Orthodox Presbyterian Church

Announcements:

- Welcome to Lake Orthodox Presbyterian Church! To our visitors: We are glad you're here! We hope you find the service to be a blessing. Please speak to the pastor or an elder if you have any questions about the church.
- The Lord's Supper: Today we will be celebrating the sacrament of the Lord's Supper during the worship service. All baptized persons who have made a credible public profession of faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, and who are members in good standing of a biblical church which preaches the gospel of salvation through faith in Christ alone, are welcome to partake with us.
- Hymn of the month: The hymn of the month for the month of January is # 505, "I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord".
- West Side Discussion Group: This evening at 6:30 p.m. Andrew and Mara Work are hosting the West Side Discussion Group at their home in North Olmsted. Topic for discussion: "If a good God exists, why is there evil and suffering in the world?" All are welcome!

Lake OPC Events:

- Wednesday, January 17, 7:00 PM: Midweek Bible Study, to be held at the Pastor's residence in Lyndhurst. We continue our study in the Book of Zechariah. All are welcome!
- Sunday, January 21, 11:30 AM: the Annual Meeting of the Congregation and Corporation of Lake OPC, to be held here at the Holiday Inn immediately following the morning service and refreshment time. All voting members are asked to attend.

The Worship Service at Lake OPC

We enter into God's presence humbly and sincerely at His invitation and command. Worship is a meeting of the Triune God with His covenant people through the finished work of Jesus Christ. The revelation of Almighty God elicits our praise in song and prayer.
Seeking and responding to God's grace is our response to being in the very presence of the holy and living God. We confess our sins in praise or prayer and are comforted by God's declaration of pardon from Scripture. Out of gratitude for His forgiveness we give reverent attention to the reading of God's Word, and lift up our hearts to God in prayer and praise through our only Mediator, the Lord Jesus Christ.
We hear God's Word as He speaks to us in His inspired written Word and by the voice of His called servant who proclaims to us the good news in Jesus Christ. God's Word encourages our faith as He teaches, reproves, corrects, and instructs us through it, that we might live lives of joy and new obedience to His glory.
We receive God's Grace in Christ anew when we celebrate the Lord's Supper. In the holy supper we feed upon the Body and Blood of Christ which was given for us. We do so spiritually, through the Holy Spirit and by our faith in Christ, not corporally or carnally.