January 9, 2022

One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in His temple.

Psalm 27:4

# **WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE**

#### CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

Check in your child(ren) before the service begins at one of our Check-In stations.

Infant Room — children from birth to 18-months

Tvkes Room — children 18-35-months

Nursing Room/Changing Table — located beside the Tykes room in the nursery

**PRAYER** — if you need to pray with someone, an Elder is available at the Prayer Corner after service OR fill out a card and place it on the Prayer Wall.

**BLESS** — Looking for ways to bless those around you? Visit the BLESS wall in the back of the sanctuary. Find a card with a task that you like, take it, and hang it somewhere until you do it.

**TEXT PASTOR DAN** at (724) 719-1197 with sermon questions or comments. Include your name.

# ORDER OF SERVICE

**PRELUDE** 

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP | Psalm 149:1-3

**WORSHIP** 

Come, Thou Almighty King Hear Our Praises We Will Dance

**PRAYER** 

SCRIPTURE READING | Ecclesiastes 3:1-4
MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT | PBJ

Kids ages 3 to 2<sup>nd</sup> grade are dismissed to Kids' Worship

**PRAYER** 

**WORSHIP** | Great One in Three

**GREETING** 

**SERMON** | David Before The Lord

**PRAYER** 

**WORSHIP** 

Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord Glorify Thy Name

**BENEDICTION** 

# DAVID, PART 7: DAVID BEFORE THE LORD DAN HENDLEY | II SAMUEL 6

I. Why David celebrated		
— God's gracious <b>e</b>		
II. How David celebrated		
<b>a. B</b> the Lord		
<b>b.</b> With vigor and <b>e</b>		
c. Without concern for <b>r</b>	or <b>d</b>	

# **SCRIPTURE REFERENCE**

New American Standard Bible is used unless otherwise indicated

#### II SAMUEL 6:12-23

Now it was told King David, saying, "The Lord has blessed the house of Obed-edom and all that belongs to him, on account of the ark of God." David went and brought up the ark of God from the house of Obed-edom into the city of David with gladness. <sup>13</sup>And so it was, that when the bearers of the ark of the Lord had gone six paces, he sacrificed an ox and a fatling. <sup>14</sup>And David was dancing before the Lord with all his might, and David was wearing a linen ephod. <sup>15</sup>So David and all the house of Israel were bringing up the ark of the Lord with shouting and the sound of the trumpet. <sup>16</sup>Then it happened as the ark of the Lord came into the city of David that Michal the daughter of Saul looked out of the window and saw King David leaping and dancing before the Lord; and she despised him in her heart. <sup>17</sup>So they brought in the ark of the Lord and set it in its place inside the tent which David had pitched for it; and David offered burnt offerings and peace offerings before the Lord. <sup>18</sup>When David had finished offering the burnt offering and the peace offering, he blessed the people in the name of the Lord of hosts. <sup>19</sup>Further, he distributed to all the people, to all the multitude of Israel, both to men and women, a cake of bread and one of dates and one of raisins to each one. Then all the people departed each to his house. <sup>20</sup>But when David returned to bless his household, Michal the daughter of Saul came out to meet David and said, "How the king of Israel distinguished himself today! He uncovered himself today in the eyes of his servants' maids as one of the foolish ones shamelessly uncovers himself!" <sup>21</sup>So David said to Michal, "It was before the Lord, who chose me above your father and above all his house, to appoint me ruler over the people of the Lord, over Israel; therefore I will celebrate before the Lord. <sup>22</sup>I will be more lightly esteemed than this and will be humble in my own eyes, but with the maids of whom you have spoken, with them I will be distinguished." <sup>23</sup>Michal the daughter of Saul had no child to the day of her death

#### **II SAMUEL 6:16d NLT**

When she saw King David leaping and dancing before the Lord, she was filled with contempt for him.

#### II SAMUEL 7:18

Then David the king went in and sat before the Lord, and he said, "Who am I, O Lord God, and what is my house, that You have brought me this far.

#### **II THESSALONIANS 2:13**

We should always give thanks to God for you, brethren beloved by the Lord, because God has chosen you from the beginning for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and faith in the truth.

#### **PROVERBS 15:3**

The eyes of the Lord are in every place, watching the evil and the good.

#### **EPHESIANS 6:5-8 NLT**

Slaves, obey your earthly masters with deep respect and fear. Serve them sincerely as you would serve Christ. <sup>6</sup>Try to please them all the time, not just when they are watching you. As slaves of Christ, do the will of God with all your heart. <sup>7</sup>Work with enthusiasm, as though you were working for the Lord rather than for people. <sup>8</sup>Remember that the Lord will reward each one of us for the good we do, whether we are slaves or free.

#### **PROVERBS 27:21 NLT**

Fire tests the purity of silver and gold, but a person is tested by being praised.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **KIDS' WORSHIP & SUNDAY SCHOOL ARE BACK**

Reminder to parents that we WILL have Kids' Worship today.

#### **TREKKERS**

#### TODAY | 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. | ROOM 112

Trekkers is back tonight! Come on out, all 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> graders and hear about how God is the God of the Impossible! Bring a bible and a friend as we meet for fun, games, food, Bible study and prayer.

#### **PBJ — EQUIP AND DEPLOY**

#### TONIGHT | 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. | ROOM 112

Join us tonight as we focus on affirming others with our words. Together we'll prepare, pray, and plan for opportunities to bless others verbally.

#### YOUTH GROUP

TODAY | 6:30 - 8:30 P.M. | THIRD FLOOR

Questions? Email Taylor Brown.

#### WINTER ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

SUNDAYS | 9:30 A.M.

- ECCLESIASTES
  Jim Yoder | Room 109
- THE ART OF NEIGHBORING
  Chad Morley, Adam Bright,
  Amber Stites, and Nancy Van Sickel
  Room 111
- CAN I TRUST THE GOSPELS?
   Pastor Ben | Room 112

# **QUANTUM MECHANICS FOR THE REST OF US**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13 | 6:00 P.M. Join us to have the mysteries of quantum mechanics explained by Dr. David Snoke. The main course will be provided, but attendees should bring something to share based upon last name: A-G (Sides), H-O (Desserts), and P-Z (Salads). *Sign up* in the lobby or by contacting Pastor Ben.

# **LUNCH & LEARN: LISTEN**

SUNDAY, JANUARY 16
AFTER SERVICE | ROOM 112

The Stephen Ministry Team is sponsoring a Lunch & Learn which will have brief training on "listening"-the "L" in BAGELS. Along with lunch you'll also be invited to consider becoming a Stephen Minister.

Sign-up in the lobby. Questions?

Contact Mark Sharpnack. Childcare is available upon request.

#### **VBS SAVE THE DATE**

JUNE 13-17, 2022

Summer camp will be held June 13-17, 2022 this year. Mark your planners and set aside some time so you and your kids or grandkids can be part of this amazing event.

# **WEEKLY MINISTRIES**

#### **TUESDAY JOY**

A morning devotion time hosted by Pastor Dan.

#### **MEN'S FELLOWSHIP**

Every Thursday morning men meet for a blessed time of fellowship, study, and prayer.

#### **MOMS**

A group of moms who meet for fellowship, prayer, and fun.

# **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Study of Colossians to begin on January 24.

### YOUTH GROUP

All 6-12<sup>th</sup> grade students are welcome to join. We're studying 1 John this year.

# **SERVICES**

#### STEPHEN MINISTRY

Going through a difficult time? We would love the opportunity to assist you. Email Mark Sharpnack to hear how we can stand with you in your time of need.

#### **E-GIVING**

is available at northparkepc.org/give

# **WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **TUESDAY, JANUARY 11**

MOMS FELLOWSHIP 10:00 A.M. | BLUE ROOM

# **THURSDAY, JANUARY 13**

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP 6:30 - 7:30 A.M. | ROOM 106 COMPASS EVENT 6:00 - 8:30 A.M. | BLUE ROOM