

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD'S LOVE

PRELUDE

GREETING (2 CHRONICLES 7:14)

"If my people who are called by my name humble themselves, pray, seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land."

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

Lyn Palmer

✦CALL TO WORSHIP (BASED ON PSALM 143:1-2, 8)

Leader: Hear my prayer, O Lord; give ear to my supplications in your faithfulness; answer me in your righteousness.

People: *Do not enter into judgment with your servant, for no one living is righteous before you.*

Leader: Let me hear of your steadfast love in the morning, for in you I put my trust.

People: *Teach me the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul.*

✦SONG OF PRAISE

HYMN # 728 – GOD OF THE AGES, WHOSE ALMIGHTY HAND

CALL TO CONFESSION (ECCLESIASTES 7:20)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving God, we come to you in both thanksgiving and repentance. We are so grateful for all of our blessings. Yet, we acknowledge that we are in need of your grace. Collectively and individually, we have sinned. We have failed to reflect the love that you have for each person in our midst and for each person all around the world. We give thanks for the beauty of this land, for its spacious skies, and for its hope of liberty. Yet, we have become prideful. Shed the light of your grace on us and open our hearts to repentance so that we truly walk in your love and have love for one another. Hear now our silent prayers of confession...

PROCLAMATION OF GRACE (JOHN 3:16-21)

✦SONG OF GRACE

HYMN # 727 – AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

✦PASSING OF THE PEACE

"May the peace of Christ be with you....And, also with you"

At this time, the congregation may greet each other with peace.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING

MICAH 7:1-9

Becky Bush

Leader: Blessed are those who hear and keep what is written, in the light of Jesus, the Word made flesh.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

✦SONG OF FAITH

HYMN # 730 – MINE EYES HAVE SEEN THE GLORY

SCRIPTURE READING

ROMANS 7:14-25

SERIES: PAUL'S LETTER TO THE ROMANS

SERMON

"*THE REALITY OF LIVING IN THE FLESH*"

Rev. Dr. Brad Busiek

WE EMBRACE GOD'S LOVE

OFFERING

In response to God's love, we are invited to reflect on how we might give thanks to God through the sharing of our time, talents, and treasures. (During this time, offering plates will be passed down the pews. There is no obligation to give. You may also choose to indicate your presence or desire to connect or volunteer by placing a yellow connect card in the offering plate.)

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (See Insert)

All who trust in Jesus Christ are invited to share communion. Please come forward down the center aisle and return down the side aisles, taking the bread and cup with you to consume when you are back at your pew. (The bread is gluten-free and the cup is grape juice.)

WE ARE SENT OUT TO SHARE GOD'S LOVE IN THE WORLD

✦CHARGE AND BLESSING (PSALM 67:1-5)

✦SONG OF DEDICATION

THIS IS MY SONG, words by Stone and Harkness, music by Sibelius

✦POSTLUDE

✦*Those who are able, are invited to stand.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Smith Memorial Presbyterian Church! We are glad that you are here and would like to get to know you better. We invite you to gather in the Fellowship Hall after worship for coffee and conversation.

Pickleball and Prayer Summer Clinics in July - Get outside and come learn the fastest growing sport in America with fun drills and games to help beginners learn the basics of pickleball. After we practice and play, we will take a few minutes to share joys and concerns before we close in prayer.

- + Children (ages 7-12) on Thursdays from 9:00 am to 10:30 am
- + Youth (ages 13-22) on Wednesdays from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm
- + Fast-Paced (ages 18+) on Sundays July 12, 19, and 26 from noon to 1:30 pm
- + Slow-Paced (ages 50+) on Wednesdays from 9:00 am to 10:00 am

(Please note that minimal physical mobility is needed. Must be able to move forward, backward, and side-to-side without losing balance.)

Walk for your Neighbor” Labor Day 5K - Can you help us get the word out? If you know a business that might like to sponsor the walk or provide a gift card or two for our raffle, please talk to Pastor Brad or Julie, our Food Pantry Director.

A Service to Witness to the Resurrection and Celebrate the Life of Walter Bohnstedt will be held in our sanctuary on Friday, July 10 at 3:00 pm.

A Service to Witness to the Resurrection and Celebrate the Life of Marti Foat will be held in our sanctuary on Saturday, July 25 at 3:00 pm.

REGULAR HAPPENINGS AT SMPC (*schedule changes in italics*)

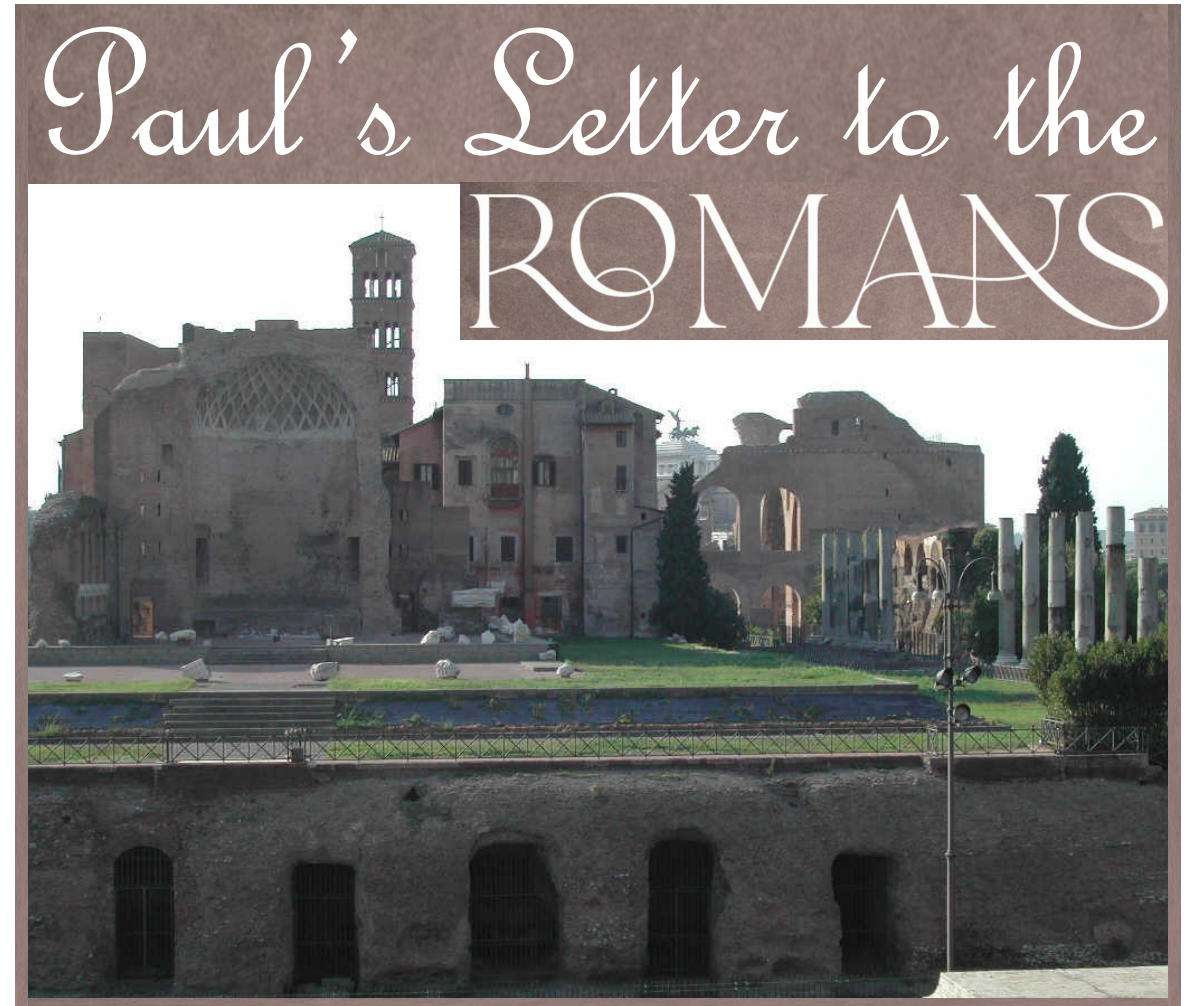
Day (next date)	Time	Event	Meeting Place	Contact
Sundays	11:45 - 12:15pm	Voice Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary	Michael Day
2nd Sunday (7/12)	11:30 - 1:00pm	Deacon's Meeting	Upper Room	Marty Strange
2nd Sunday (7/12)	After worship	Family Funday	Fellowship Hall	Pastor Brad
Tuesdays	10:30 - 11:30am	Gentle Exercise	Fellowship Hall	Linda Murphy
Wednesdays	10:00 - 11:30am	Bible Study	Fellowship Hall	Lyn Palmer
Wednesdays	10:00 - 3:00pm	Sewing Group	Upper Room	Gayle Burke
Wednesdays	6:00 - 8:00pm	Youth Group	Church Campus	Pastor Brad
2nd Wednesday (7/8)	5:00pm	Healing Hearts	Location varies	Berni or Becky
3rd Wednesday (7/15)	5:30 - 6:30pm	Community Dinner	Fellowship Hall	Pastor Brad
Thursdays	10:30 - 11:30am	Gentle Exercise	Fellowship Hall	Joyce Botsch
Thursdays	2:00-3:30pm	Line Dancing	Fellowship Hall	Janet Emch
2 nd /4 th Thursday (7/9)	12:00 - 2:00pm	Yarn & Thread	Fireside Room	Joyce Botsch
Thursdays	6:00 - 7:30pm	Jubilant Bells	Sanctuary	Michael Day
Fridays	9:30 - 11:30am	Food Pantry Prep	Church campus	Julie Weindel
Saturdays	10:00 - 12:30pm	Food Pantry	Church campus	Julie Weindel
3rd Saturday (7/18)	1:00pm	Outriggers	Red Lobster, 240 NW Burnside	Barb Lintner
Last Sunday (7/26)	9:00 - 10:00am	Poverty Book Group	Upper Room	Amy Busiek
5th Sunday (8/30)	After worship	All Church Potluck	Fellowship Hall	Janet Emch

NEXT WEEK'S (JULY 12) SUNDAY SERVANTS

Greeters	Larry Barnett and Sherre Barnett	Opening Prayer	Steve Marker
Ushers	Sandy Bachelder and Jon Bachelder	Scripture Reader	Linda Blomberg
Special Helper	Jennie Spencer	Recorders	Leesa Pomazi and Jon Bachelder
Refreshments	2nd Week Fellowship Group		

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The Forum of Ancient Rome, photo by Pastor Brad, 2003

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Leader: Lift up your hearts to the Lord.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: It is truly right and our greatest joy who forever sing to the glory of your name.

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Leader: You are holy, O God of majesty ... Great is the mystery of faith.



Christ has died. Christ is ris-en. Christ will come a - gain.

Leader: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit...

...in the strong name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we are bold to pray ...

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.

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