

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 78:1-4

“Listen, my people, to my instruction; Incline your ears to the words of my mouth. I will open my mouth in a parable; I will tell riddles of old, Which we have heard and known, And our fathers have told us. We will not conceal them from their children, But we will tell the generation to come the praises of the Lord, And His power and His wondrous works that He has done.”

HYMN This Is My Father's World

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CONFESSION OF SIN

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love, according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. I lay these sinful behaviors and habits at the foot of the cross and I claim the blood of Jesus Christ to make me holy and blameless in His presence. O Holy Spirit, restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, Amen.

SCRIPTURE Proverbs 4:1-7 Listen to Your Father's Instruction
Mark 9:14-29 A Father Brings His Child to Jesus

CONFESSION OF FAITH - The Gift of Fathers (see insert)

ANNOUNCEMENTS - PRAYER - OFFERING

HYMN Faith Of Our Fathers 183

MESSAGE Qualities of a Godly Father Psalm 112:1-9

HYMN I'd Rather Have Jesus (see insert)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY Praise God from Whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

GROWTH AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

TODAY: Worship Service 9:00 am
Fellowship 10:00am

WED: Youth group 7:00 pm

THURS: 150th Anniv. Planning Comm. Meeting 1:00 pm
David and Linda's home

NEXT SUN: Worship Service 9:00 am
Fellowship 10:00am

Announcements and Looking Ahead

Congregational meeting on June 22nd following the service
July 9th hosting Ambassador FLBC team for concert at Salem- Spread
the word all are welcome!
July 7-11th Pastor on Vacation with family in MN.

Pastor Benson can be reached at 815-768-7606. Please direct calendar events and any bulletin information to secretary.salemstpaul@gmail.com

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