March 9, 2025 Order of Worship

PREPARE YOUR HEART

Silent Prayer and Meditation

Prelude

Welcome and Church Announcements

Call to Worship

COME TO GOD

¶Hymn of Adoration: #48

ST. DENIO

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

¶†Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

§†Gloria Patri

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 14:1-21 (Pg. 158)

§Favorite Hymn: (Insert)

RESTORATION

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

§Responsive Reading: Psalm 42:1-11 (Insert)

BRING AN OFFERING

Scriptural Invitation

Collection of Tithes and Offerings.

Offertory

§†Doxology #34

OLD 100TH

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Pastoral Prayer

HEAR HIS WORD

Scripture Lesson: Mark 7:14-23 (Pg. 843)

Sermon: "What Defiles?"

RESPOND TO HIM

¶Hymn of Response: #358

BEECHER

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

DEPART IN PEACE

§Benediction and Congregational Response

"May the Grace of Christ our Savior"

May the grace of Christ our savior and the Father's boundless love, With the Holy Spirit's favor rest upon us from above.

Thus, may we abide in union with each other and the Lord,

And possess in sweet communion joys which earth cannot afford

Postlude

Note to stand (if able)

† Words are on the Worship Guide in the pew

If you are visiting with us, please fill out a visitor's card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.

Today's Events

10 AM – Adult Sunday School – "Roots and Fruits" A Little Slice of Heaven taught by Pastor Luke

10 AM - Sunday School – "Sprouts" class taught by Katie Nicholson and for the month of March Tammy Giovinazzo as class helper.

10 AM – **Sunday School** – "Saplings" class taught by Jeannette Farr and Tabatha Reed.

11 AM – Church Hour live stream available on Mixlr

6 PM – Evening Service – 2 Kings 1

Prayer Concerns

Moses Agapito, Gordon Blakeney, Janet Blakeney, Tony Klenchik, Shirley Ludy, Homeless Youth of Goma, DR Congo, The Clemmers, The Lemans, The Farr Family, Our College Students.

Upcoming Events

March 12th, Ladies' Luncheon, 11:30AM at the Park Diner.



March 16th, Coffee Hour.

March 23rd, Covered dish and dessert auction, following Church. All proceeds will go to the boiler fund. Sign ups will be 3/9 & 3/16.

March 25th, Pastor's Book Club, 10AM, in the Green Room. St. Patrick's *Confession & Letter to Coroticus*.

May 24th, Talent Show, 5PM, Sponsored by the Deaconesses. Please start thinking about what talents you could show off. Please let us know by May 4th what talent you'd like to present. Pizza and snacks will be provided. Acts are limited to 5 minutes. Hope to see everyone there!

Budget Bits 03-02-2025

Offering: \$2,270.00 Weekly Need: \$3,024.94 Boiler Fund: \$4.050.00

Main Street Baptist Church

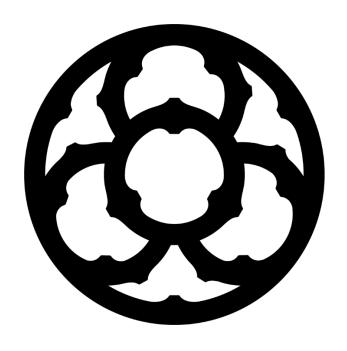
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For older sermons see the "Archived Sermons" tab on the website

MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

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*All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person." Mark 7:23 (ESV)

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy 420

Come, everyone who is thirsty. Isaiah 55:1



Psalm 42:1-11 (ESV) Responsive Reading Pastoral Reading, **Congregational Response**

¹ As a deer pants for flowing streams,

so pants my soul for you, O God.

² My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.

When shall I come and appear before God?

³ My tears have been my food day and night,

while they say to me all the day long, "Where is your God?"

⁴ These things I remember, as I pour out my soul:

how I would go with the throng and lead them in procession to the house of God

with glad shouts and songs of praise,

a multitude keeping festival.

⁵ Why are you cast down, O my soul,

and why are you in turmoil within me?

Hope in God;

for I shall again praise him, my salvation ⁶ and my God.

My soul is cast down within me;

therefore I remember you from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar.

⁷ Deep calls to deep at the roar of your waterfalls;

all your breakers and your waves have gone over me.

⁸ By day the Lord commands his steadfast love,

and at night his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

⁹ I say to God, my rock: "Why have you forgotten me?

Why do I go mourning because of the oppression of the enemy?"

 10 As with a deadly wound in my bones,

my adversaries taunt me,

while they say to me all the day long,

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