

**NATRONA HEIGHTS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**An Evangelical Presbyterian Church**

The Rev. Richard Harbaugh

Order of Worship, Sunday, March 10, 2024, 10 AM

*“Following Christ is not a casual or occasional practice but a continuous way of life that applies at all times and in all places.” –Elder Dallin H. Oaks*

GATHERING TO WORSHIP THE RISEN CHRIST

THE PRELUDE – red hymnal #335

**“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”**

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A MOMENT FOR MISSION

\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: How awesome God’s light is!

**PEOPLE: IT POURS RAYS OF COMFORT AND HOPE ONTO THIS DARK WORLD!**

Leader: Come, dance and rejoice in the light!

**PEOPLE: LORD, LET YOUR LIGHT FLOOD INTO OUR HEARTS AND SPIRITS!**

Leader: Come, let us celebrate!

**PEOPLE: LET US BRING OUR PRAISE TO GOD! AMEN.**

\*PROCLAIMING PRAISE AND WORSHIP

**“The Lion and the Lamb”  
“Christ Alone”**

\*THE TIME OF CHRISTIAN GREETING

THE PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

DEDICATION

THE RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

(Please pass the friendship pads down the pew. We invite all to sign names and write down contact info. Please pass the book back to the middle aisle when you’re finished. Thanks!)

THE PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY – red hymnal #382

**“Be Thou My Vision”**

\*THE DOXOLOGY – red hymnal #625

\*THE OFFERING PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*THE HYMN OF PREPARATION

**“Holy, Holy, Holy”**

**No. 262**

THE WORD

THE SCRIPTURE READING

**Ephesians 5:1-21**

THE MESSAGE

**“God’s Example”**

–The Rev. Richard Harbaugh

SCATTERING TO SERVE OUR RISEN SAVIOR

\*THE HYMN OF COMMITMENT

**“Softly and Tenderly”**

**No. 326**

\*THE BENEDICTION

\*THE BENEDICTION RESPONSE

**“Gloria Patri”**

**No. 623**

THE POSTLUDE – red hymnal #284

**“They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love”**

\*Please stand if you are able

*“When we come to Christ, we’re no longer the most important person in the world to us; Christ is. Instead of living only for ourselves, we have a higher goal: to live for Jesus.”*

*–Billy Graham*

PARTICIPATING IN TODAY’S SERVICE:

*-Pianist: Margie Shoop*

*-Praise Band Leader: Kevin Rudolph*

*-Nursery: Donna Crowe*

*-Sound & Production: Ed Heintz & Eli Irvine*

*-Liturgist: Marcy Korb*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to NHPC! Thanks for worshipping with us this morning.

THE BULLETIN COVER was created by Alyssa McDaniel, a youth group alumna.

EASTER FLOWER FORMS are due TODAY! If you don't have a form, there are extras on the table. Please return the form and your payment to the offering plate or the church office. Thank you.

NEXT WEEK'S message title and scripture: "A Standard for Marriage" Ephesians 5:22-33.

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP PAD: When the pad is passed, please be sure to fill out your information. This helps us keep our program updated with your most recent phone number and address. If you are a visitor and would like to begin receiving the newsletter, please put your address on the form. If you'd like a phone call sometime, please leave your phone number. Thanks!

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS are held on Sunday evenings for those in 5<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades. If you have any questions, please contact Toni Brooks at 724-766-1950.

- 3/17 – Regular Meeting
- 3/23 – Youth Group Sleepover
- 3/24 – NO MEETING
- 3/31 – NO MEETING; Happy Easter!

THE SPRING EDITION of Our Daily Bread is now available on the tables and racks throughout the church. Pick up your copy and one for a friend!

COMING UP: Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup> – Palm Sunday; Communion  
Tuesday, March 26<sup>th</sup> – 6 PM Session Meeting  
Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup> – Maundy Thursday Communion Service  
Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup> – Easter

CLERK OF SESSION: Deb Lehew – 724-664-1256

ELDERS: -Donna Crowe – 724-882-5003 -Marcy Korb – 412-334-1173  
-Chad Gourley – 412-443-0682 -Jack Miller – 724-272-4787  
-Kevin Gourley – 724-596-2169

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## WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS: MARCH 10 – MARCH 17

### TODAY:

- \*Easter Flower Forms Due Today
- 9:00AM – Adult Sunday School
- 10:00AM – Worship Service
- 6:00PM – Youth Group Meeting

### MONDAY:

- 6:30PM – Couples Connect

### WEDNESDAY:

- 4:00PM – HOPE

### THURSDAY:

- 3:00PM – Middle School After-School Youth Group
- 5:15PM – Bible Bunch

### NEXT SUNDAY, March 17<sup>th</sup>:

- 9:00AM – Adult Sunday School
- 10:00AM – Worship Service
- 6:00PM – Youth Group Meeting