

A COMMUNION SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

*Congregation stands

January 2, 2011 2nd Sunday after Christmas 9:15 & 10:45 A.M.

PRELUDE *Fantasia on Duke Street* **Paxton**
Larry Eisel, organist

WORDS OF WELCOME

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We are together eager to meet the Lord.

People: **Like the Magi, we have journeyed to meet the King.**

Leader: Light has come into the world to illuminate our lives.

People: **We are gathered to testify to this Light and worship God, our Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer.**

***HYMN OF PRAISE** *We Three Kings* **No. 233**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of light, we confess that we do not always follow Your shining star on the path that reveals Your loving presence. Although You accept us unconditionally, we reject people we find hard to love. Although You cherish all of Your children without bias or bigotry, we erect walls of prejudice around people different than us. Although You extend Your love to all people, we hold back our gifts and service and goodwill as we choose to. Forgive us, God, and pour Your love in us so full that there is no room for intolerance. In the name of Jesus. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Hear the good news: God forgives, and gives us the strength and courage to forgive others. By God's grace we can find new paths on which to shine God's light so that God's love is revealed to more people. Be thankful, for you are forgiven.

People: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

Shout for Joy **Holck**
Mt. View Sanctuary Choir, directed by Kay Randolph

SCRIPTURE READING **Luke 7:36-50**
Page 731 in the Pew Bibles

***HYMN** *Jesus Shall Reign* **No. 341**

SERMON *"More"* **Bud Engstrom**

LITANY

Leader: Arise, shine, for our light has come.

People: **The light shines, and the darkness shall never overcome the light.**

Leader: Arise, shine, for our light has come, and the glory of the Lord is upon us.

People: **The light shines, and it longs to enter every place of darkness in our lives.**

Leader: Arise, shine, for our light has come, and the glory is appearing over us.

People: **The light shines, and the light will never stop shining.**

Leader: Arise, shine, for our light has come, and we shall see and be radiant.

People: **The light shines, and the light causes our hearts to rejoice.**

Leader: Arise, shine, for our light has come, and the glory of the Lord is upon us.

People: **We arise! We shine! We see the light. The glory of the Lord is upon us.**

CONCERNS OF MOUNTAIN VIEW

Please pass the friendship pad and note the names of people worshipping with you that you may greet each other more personally after the service.

OFFERTORY *Auld Lang Syne* **Thayer**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

Today we will eat and drink when we are individually ready to remember His sacrifice.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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 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.

***THE CLOSING HYMN** *Crown Him with Many Crowns* **No. 317**

*BENEDICTION

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** Tune: *All Through the Night*

Go, my children, fed and nourished, Closer to me;

Grow in love and love by serving, Joyful and free.

Here my Spirit's power filled you, Here his tender comfort stilled you;

Go, my children, fed and nourished, Joyful and free. Amen.

***POSTLUDE** *Let All Together Praise Our God* **J.S. Bach**

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**We have available large print versions of the responses for those finding it difficult to read the regular bulletin.
Please request one from the ushers.**



**Gluten-free Communion wafers are available for those who are unable to eat the regular bread.
Please ask your server.**



Flowers shared today are from Larry Hurd and Deb Alexander in celebration of their marriage December 23, 2010. And from Marian Farris in memory of loved ones and in celebration of family and friends.

SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 9

There will be a Special Congregational Meeting immediately following the 10:45 worship service next Sunday, January 9, to receive the report and unanimous recommendation of the Pastoral Nominating Committee. Please plan to attend.

See insert for more information.

**THERE ARE ONLY 2 SERVICES JANUARY 9
9:15 & 10:45 A.M.**



If you received weekly envelopes and would prefer monthly or you received monthly envelopes and would prefer weekly, please call the office and leave me a message or email to let me know. If you change, please be aware that I will have to change your envelope # as well.

**Su Streich, Financial Administrator
(480) 998-1085 Ext.113 or finance@mtviewpres.org**



Get to know your fellow church members and new attendees to MVPC. All church attendees over age 50 are invited to attend the **DINNERS FOR EIGHT** groups.

Please notify the coordinators before January 23 to be seated in the February groups. Address your questions and reservation to the following coordinators:

Diane Peterson (480) 922-0446
Ed Baumgart (480) 991-0054
or Bill Pichon (480) 596-7997
or email billpichon@cox.net

STAINED GLASS/LEGACY COMMITTEE

The Legacy Board of Mountain View Presbyterian Church is pleased to announce its financial support of the new stained glass window project. This project has been under consideration for several years and recently has blossomed into a beautiful stained glass window for the sanctuary.

The Building and Grounds Committee of the Session is pleased to manage the final details of the installation of this important addition to our worship environment. We have received over \$21,000 for this project but are still some \$5,000 short, and are seeking additional contributions. To participate please contact Marian Farris, a member of the Legacy Board, at mfarris5@cox.net.



MOUNTAINEERS JANUARY EVENT

Potluck and Speaker

**Friday, January 21, 11:30 a.m./Meredith Hall
Cost: \$5.00 and bring a dish to share.**

**Program: Nuclear Power - Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow
by Ann Miller, Quality Engineer**

Ms. Miller has worked on many nuclear power plant refurbishment projects across the country and provides a uniquely intimate perspective on the nuclear power industry.

MT. VIEW SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES *(please contact the following)*

- Gabriels Steve Liming 480-483-7315
- Mountaineers Dick Fossen 480-948-9574
Gail Loeffel 480-949-7117
- Cash Counting Team Don Kredel 480-998-7513
- Stephen Ministry Doris Newman 480-483-6561
- Chuck Squires 480-451-9239
- Valle Library Sandra Van Orden 480-664-1163
Marilyn Kevern 480-451-7545
- Deacons Pat Brock 480-367-7922
- Missions Pam Bennison 480-659-1222
- Membership Barbara Jones 480-563-5916
- Mt. View Women's Ministries Jan Hibler 480-451-8899
- Prayer Chain Ron Cameron 480-767-2488
- Coffee Fellowship (Sundays) Chris Knudsen 480-860-1181

FELLOWSHIP

- Dinner For Eight Bill Pichon 480-596-7997
- Sarah Circle Marilou Wagner 602-996-6208
- Spiritual Discipleship Kathy Barney 480-483-7083
- Stitchin' Sisters Annette Squires 480-951-9239
- Hands for Mission Jan Hibler 480-451-8899
- Naomi Circle Doris Coyle 480-767-2092
- Book Circle Anne Eggert 602-996-4770
- Bridge Circle Carolyn Smith 480-948-9234
- Ruth Circle Anita Foulk 480-860-0541
- TGIF Janis Fitch 480-998-1085
- Young Adults Group Jena Ashton 602-702-0175
- Moms and Tots Stacey Reeves 602-578-3908
- Young Families Carly Dunlap 480-266-8501
- Women's Bible Study Sharon Palenkas 480-998-1085
- Men of Mt. View Phil Arrieta 602-525-2696
- Men's Bible Study Bill Good 480-998-1085

COUNSELING/LIFE ENRICHMENT CENTER

- Individual and Family Counseling Gary Doan 480-367-1660 ext. 1#
- Parish Nurse Fran Thurber 480-998-1085 ext. 132

ELDER OF THE MONTH

Deb Atchinson 480-314-0370

PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

- Interim Senior Pastor—Bud Engstrom 480-998-1085 ext. 115
- Pastoral Counselor—Gary Doan 480-367-1660 ext. 1#
- Pastor Emeritus—Ralph Meredith
- Director of Music Ministry—Kay Randolph 480-998-1085 ext. 119
- Associate Director of Music Ministry—Danya Tiller 480-998-1085 ext. 123
- Principal Organist—Larry Eisel 480-998-1085 ext. 123
- Associate Organist—Marilyn Kredel 480-998-1085 ext. 123
- Organist Emeritus—Sherwin Snyder
- Director of Sr. High Ministry—Buzzy LeCluyse 480-998-1085 ext. 116
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- Director of Children's Ministry—Janis Fitch 480-998-1085 ext. 124
- Associate Director of Children's Ministry—Molly Korb 480-998-1085 ext. 135
- Parish Nurse—Fran Thurber 480-998-1085 ext. 132
- Office Manager—Brenda Bolton 480-998-1085 ext. 111
- Financial Administrator—Su Streich 480-998-1085 ext. 113
- Administrative Assistant—Joanne Johnson 480-998-1085 ext. 110
- Technical Director—Jeff Chapman 480-998-1085
- Sexton—Rafael Gutierrez 480-998-1085

JANUARY 2-9:

TODAY-8:00, 9:15 and 10:45 Services

- Sunday School, 9:15 and 10:45 am, EEC
- Adult Ed. w/Carl Johnson, 9:00-10:00 am, #A206
- Jr./Sr. High Wake-up Call, 10:15 am-12:00 pm, Meredith Hall
- Youth Sunday Planning Meeting, 12:00 pm

MONDAY-JANUARY 3-OFFICE CLOSED

- Men's Evening Bible Study, 7:15-8:30 pm, Annex #211

TUESDAY-JANUARY 4

- Christian Ed. Meeting, 4:30-6:30 pm, EEC
- Children's Task Force Meeting, 6:30-8:30 pm, Office
- Deacon Meeting, 7:00 pm, EEC

WEDNESDAY-JANUARY 5

- Stitchin' Sisters, 10:00 am-2:30 pm, #A206
- WOW Dinner, 5:00-6:30 pm, Meredith Hall
- Brent Landau Presentation on the Magi, 6:00-7:00 pm, Sanctuary

THURSDAY-JANUARY 6

- Women's Bible Study, 9:00 am, EEC. We will study Chapter 14 in "Paul." All women are welcome. Contact Sharon Palenkas (480) 998-1085.

FRIDAY-JANUARY 7

- Men's Bible Study, 6:30 am, #A206

SATURDAY-JANUARY 8

- Meeting, 9:00 am-3:00 pm, #A206
- Open House to meet Sr. Pastor Candidate, 1:00-3:00 pm, Meredith Hall

SUNDAY- JANUARY 9---9:15 & 10:45 SERVICES ONLY

- Sr. Pastor Candidate preaches at 9:15 & 10:45 services
- Adult Ed. with Carl Johnson, 9:00-10:00 am, Annex #206
- Jr./Sr. High Wake-Up Call, 10:15 am-Noon, #A101/#A206
- Special Congregational Meeting, 11:45 am, Sanctuary
- Sr. High Work Camp Information Meeting, 12:15 pm, Sanctuary
- Jr. High YLT/AMT Meeting, 12:15 pm, Annex #101



WOW ACTIVITIES RESUME JANUARY 5!!

Dinner Served 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Enjoy sliced ham, cheesy potatoes, green beans, salad bar and dessert!!

Plan to attend Brent Landau's presentation on his book, "Revelation of the Magi" 6:00 -7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

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BEGINNING JANUARY 12.....

"The Bible from Scratch" with Carl Johnson meets January 12 and 19 in Annex #206.

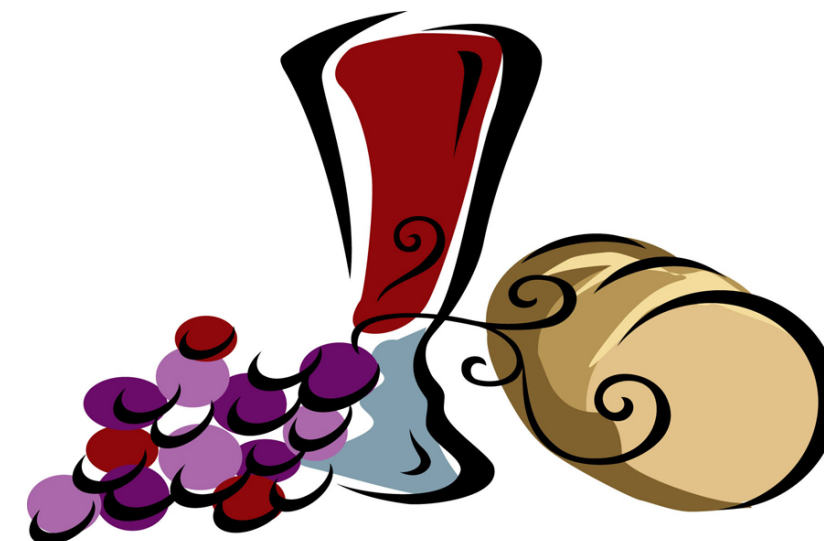
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"Psalms" with Gus Miller continues in Room #12 in Meredith Hall.

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"An Evening of Scripture and Praise" with Ted Levie and Gary Doan continues in the Sanctuary.

PLEASE SEE THE JANUARY NEWSLETTER FOR ADDITIONAL CLASS INFORMATION.



"SHED FOR YOU..."

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