

# Hanna City Presbyterian Church, PCA

## January 28, 2024

## **Preparing Our Hearts**

Isaiah 52:7

(pg. 613)

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good news, who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."

#### **Prelude**

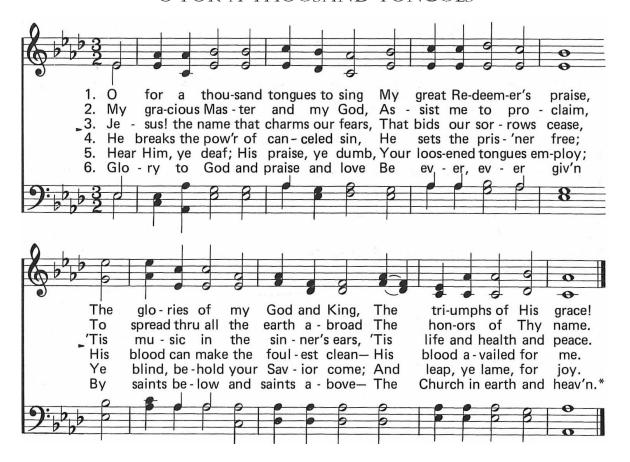
Marcia Nelson & Pam Winterroth

## **Hearing His Call & Inviting His Presence** Isaiah 52:8-10

(pg.613)

The voice of your watchmen—they lift up their voice;
together they sing for joy;
for eye to eye they see
the return of the Lord to Zion.
Break forth together into singing,
you waste places of Jerusalem,
for the Lord has comforted his people;
he has redeemed Jerusalem.
The Lord has bared his holy arm
before the eyes of all the nations,
and all the ends of the earth shall see
the salvation of our God.

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#### I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY



Finally, all of you, have unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, and a humble mind. Do not repay evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary, bless, for to this you were called, that you may obtain a blessing. For

"Whoever desires to love life and see good days, let him keep his tongue from evil and his lips from speaking deceit; let him turn away from evil and do good; let him seek peace and pursue it. For the eyes of the Lord are on the righteous, and his ears are open to their prayer. But the face of the Lord is against those who do evil."

Now who is there to harm you if you are zealous for what is good? But even if you should suffer for righteousness' sake, you will be blessed. Have no fear of them, nor be troubled, but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect, having a good conscience, so that, when you are slandered, those who revile your good behavior in Christ may be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that should be God's will, than for doing evil.

For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

## **Confessing Our Sin**

Holy Father, You have called us to be in community, united in Your Spirit.

We confess that we are slow to love you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we are slow to love our neighbor as ourselves; and we are quick to let small differences divide us.

Merciful God, we repent!

Help us turn from our sin and cling to our righteous Savior; help us love one another as you have loved us so that by our love all people may know we are Your disciples. Amen.

## **Hearing Our Pardon**

Romans 4:24b-25

(pg. 942)

It [righteousness] will be counted to us who believe in him who raised from the dead Jesus our Lord, who was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER



## **Interceding for His People**

## **Worshiping with Our Gifts**

Musical Offering Marcia Nelson & Pam Winterroth

Responding with Praise Doxology

## **Praying with Our Children**

**Receiving His Word** "The Beauty of Bringers" Acts 2:43-47 (p. 911)

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**Benediction and Postlude** 

## HCPC News & Events

## Jan 27-Feb 3

#### **Sunday:**

Worship Service 9:30 am
Foundations 11:00 am
Owsley Celebration 12:00 pm

**Tuesday:** 

Cottage Prayer 9:00 am Session Meeting 6:00 pm

**Next Sunday:** February 4<sup>th</sup> Sermon: "God's Glory & the Good of Neighbor" (1 Cor. 10:23-11:) Annual Meeting @ 11am

## Upcoming

**Feb 17** Sweets for the Sweet

## Annual Reports Available

Copies of our 2023 annual reports are available on the cart in the foyer (one per household, please).

Our annual congregational meeting will be held at 11am next Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>.

## Celebrate!

## Birthdays

1/31 Mary Miller

2/7 Joe Boyer

2/9 Eleanor Dillard

2/15 Cadence Stuber

2/16 David Keithley

2/18 Arlene West

2/21 Zander Kurth

2/22 Marcia Nelson

2/25 Bob Friedrich

2/28 Hannah Dillard

2/29 Jeremiah Crosmun

# Celebrate Celebrate

Please join us for lunch at noon today in recognition of Kevin and Denise Owsley's many years of ministry!

Sweets for the Sweet:

# Island Paradise

Join us for our annual Sweets for the Sweet Dinner Saturday, February 17! Soup supper begins at 6pm. See Laura Schmied with any questions.



# SPOTLIGHT

### The Owsleys with RHMA

Thank you to everyone who gave to celebrate Kevin & Denise this month! We are excited to see how God continues to use this couple in His kingdom work during this new season!

Next week during the prelude, we will collect an offering for our February Missionary Spotlight:
Ethan & Grace Thomas with 7 Rivers Outreach in KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa.

## Prayer and Praise

**Praise:** Pastor Dave planning week; Bylaws vote last Sunday.

**Prayer:** Mike Saeger; Fred Winterroth surgery recovery; Dottie Behrens; Annual congregational meeting (2/4); Eva Nelson epilepsy diagnosis.

**Our Sister Churches:** Exodus Presbyterian in Springfield, IL (Pastor Stephen Lawrence)

**Our Missionaries:** Jeff Ringenberg with Youth for Christ in Peoria, IL (hoiyfc.org)

A more comprehensive list of prayer needs goes out every week via email. Contact the church office to sign up.