

CHURCH CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

- 21 - Women's Exodus Study at 9:30AM & 6:30PM
- 22 - Women's Exodus Study - Zoom Class at 9:30AM
- 28 - Women's Exodus Study at 9:30AM & 6:30PM
- 29 - Women's Exodus Study - Zoom Class at 9:30AM

OCTOBER

- 5 - Women's Exodus Study at 9:30AM & 6:30PM
- 6 - Women's Exodus Study - Zoom Class at 9:30AM
- 9 - Men's Breakfast
- 10 - Annual Church Picnic at Kanawha State Forest
- 12 - Women's Exodus Study at 9:30AM & 6:30PM
- 13 - Women's Exodus Study - Zoom Class at 9:30AM

Randolph Street Bookstore Focus

Right Now Counts Forever

Everyday Prayer with the Reformers

Historian There is no such thing as a meaningless moment. Since we're made in God's image and created for His eternal glory, everything we think, say, and do today matters forever. The question is, How should this truth direct our daily lives?

"When God's children pray, we talk to a God familiar with the requests, praise, and longings of generations of his people. We have much to learn from those who went before us. In this devotional, Donald McKim takes us back to the wisdom of more than thirty Protestant Reformers."

For more than forty years, Dr. R.C. Sproul wrote his recurring column in *Tabletalk* magazine, *Right Now Counts Forever*, to apply the teachings of the Bible and Reformed theology to everyday life. No topic was off-limits because every part of our lives bears enduring significance. Through the years, Dr. Sproul helped Christians give careful thought to topics in theology and history, politics and current events, relationships and entertainment, and more.

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**Lord's Day Liturgy
September 19, 2021**

Greetings & Announcements

Preparation for the Worship of our Holy God

***Call to Worship** - Old Testament Reading

**Come People of the Risen King*

Confession of our Faith - Heidelberg Catechism Q. 60

Pastoral Prayer

**Christ the True and Better*

Public Reading of Scripture

Gospel - John 10:11-18

Epistle - Titus 2:11-14

**There is a Fountain*

Prayer for Neighborhood and Nations

Special Music

Sermon

Lord's Table

**Man of Sorrows*

Benediction - Ephesians 6:24

**Doxology*

**Please stand if you are able.*

Ministry Update

Our elders continue to monitor the spread of Covid in our community and how we should respond in our various ministries. As we have done over the past 18 months, we will seek to implement safety measures, adjust schedules, etc. as we feel is needed. On the back table is a document that communicates clearly why we have chosen, up to this point, to honor our Governor's requests.

Training Hour in September

In light of the current spread of Covid in our community, we have suspended our 9:00am Training Hour for the month of September. We believe this will help reduce the risk of spread among our congregation during this recent spike and, Lord willing, allow us to continue our 10:00am Gathering uninterrupted. All other ministries, including small groups and bible studies, will continue as normal.

To The End of the Earth

As we study through Acts together as a church family, it is our prayer that God will use Randolph Street to take the gospel to the end of the earth, especially to those who have not heard. ***For the last four months of 2021, we are devoting 10% of all regular giving to specific least reached nations. If you would like to make a one time donation above and beyond your regular giving, please designate it.*** The four countries we are targeting are Somalia, North Korea, Iran, and India. Let's earnestly pray that the Lord might use our giving for His glory among the nations!

New Song - Christ the True and Better

Today we are introducing a new song that fits so well with what we are studying in Acts (pay close attention to the 4th verse). The song is "Christ the True and Better" written by Matt Boswell, Keith Getty, and Matt Papa. If you are interested, the music lyrics are available on the back table.

Annual Picnic

Don't forget to mark your calendars for our annual picnic on Sunday, October 10th at Kanawha State Forest at shelters 5, 6 & 7. Our Gathering will take place at KSF at 11:00am. This year we are asking each family to bring your own lunch, and the church will provide drinks.

Sojourner's Luncheon

We are cancelling our September luncheon. We are hopeful to be able to meet in October.

THE HEIDELBERG CATECHISM

Q60. How are you righteous before God?

A60. Only by true faith in Jesus Christ.¹

Even though my conscience accuses me of having grievously sinned against all God's commandments, of never having kept any of them,² and of still being inclined toward all evil,³ nevertheless, without any merit of my own,⁴ out of sheer grace,⁵ God grants and credits to me the perfect satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness of Christ,⁶ as if I had never sinned nor been a sinner; and as if I had been as perfectly obedient as Christ was obedient for me.⁷

All I need to do is accept this gift with a believing heart.⁸

¹ Rom. 3:21-28; Gal. 2:16; Eph. 2:8-9; Phil 3:8-11

² Rom. 3:9-10

³ Rom. 7:23

⁴ Titus 3:4-5

⁵ Rom. 3:24; Eph. 2:8

⁶ Rom. 4:3-5 (Gen. 15:6); 2 Cor. 5:17-19; 1 John 2:1-2

⁷ Rom. 4:24-25; 2 Cor. 5:21

⁸ John 3:18; Acts 16:30-31

2021 DAILY BIBLE READING

9/19	Ezekiel 38:10-40:49	9/23	Daniel 2:31-4:27
9/20	Ezekiel 41-43	9/24	Daniel 4:28-7:12
9/21	Ezekiel 44-47	9/25	Daniel 7:13-11:13
9/22	Ezekiel 48; Daniel 1:1-2:30		

Randolph Street Financial Report (as of 9/12/21) Fiscal Year (January - December)	
Fiscal Year to Date Budget	\$297,702
Fiscal Year to Date Received	\$314,887
Fiscal Year Status + or -	\$17,185
321 Project	\$15,020
Special Giving (Relief., Academy, Facility, Debt)	\$34,763