

CHURCH CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

- 7 - Women's Exodus Study at 9:30AM & 6:30PM
- 8 - Women's Exodus Study - Zoom Class at 9:30AM
- 14 - Women's Exodus Study at 9:30AM & 6:30PM
- 15 - Women's Exodus Study - Zoom Class at 9:30AM
- 16 - Sojourner's Luncheon
- 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 5, 2021**

Greetings & Announcements

Preparation for the Worship of our Holy God

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

**All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Confession of our Faith - Heidelberg Catechism Q 56

Pastoral Prayer

**Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery*

**My Worth is Not in What I Own*

Public Reading of Scripture

Gospel - John 9:1-7

Epistle - 1 Peter 4:12-16

**Goodness of Jesus*

Prayer for Neighborhood and Nations

Special Music

Sermon

Lord's Table

**Jesus, Firm Foundation*

Benediction - Psalm 121:7-8

**Doxology*

**Please stand if you are able.*

Lord's Table

Today we celebrate the Lord's table as we set our minds on the gospel and all that God has done for us in Christ. Let the Baptist Catechism help prepare us for this moment. "The Lord's Supper is a holy ordinance of the church. By eating bread and drinking the cup according to Christ's appointment we show forth his death. Those who eat and drink in a worthy manner partake of Christ's body and blood, not physically, but spiritually in that by faith they are nourished with the benefits he purchased, and grow in grace."

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. With potential new government restrictions before us, we have written a paper to communicate to you clearly why we have chosen, up to this point, to honor our Governor's requests. That paper is located on the back table in the auditorium.

On Mission Meal Canceled

Due to the recent spike in Covid cases in our area, we felt it wise to cancel the On Mission Meal that was scheduled for today. We look forward to resuming this time of fellowship in the near future.

Women's Exodus Study

This week, we will begin meeting in person on Tuesdays mornings at 9:30 and evenings at 6:30 for a study of Exodus 1-18 that will run from September 7 to November 9. Due to enough interest, we are also offering a Zoom discussion group on Wednesday mornings at 9:30. If interested, please sign-up on the Women's page of our church website.

To Every Door

Please be in prayer for our TED ministry and consider coming out to help as you are able. If interested in being involved with this door to door ministry to our West Side neighbors, please meet in the Welcome Center on Wednesdays at 6:00pm. Contact Jim Bone for more details.

New Church Software

We are excited to announce that we will be transitioning to a new church software next month, Touch Point. This will provide our church family with a Randolph Street mobile app with access to: a church directory, a prayer request list, ability to update personal data, and an interface to view and update giving. More information to come soon!

THE HEIDELBERG CATECHISM

Q56. What do you believe concerning "the forgiveness of sins"?

A56.I believe that God, because of Christ's satisfaction, will no longer remember any of my sins¹ or my sinful nature which I need to struggle against all my life.²

Rather, by grace God grants me the righteousness of Christ to free me forever from judgment.³

¹ Ps. 103:3-4, 10, 12; Mic. 7:18-19; 2 Cor. 5:18-21; 1 John 1:7; 2:2

² Rom. 7:21-25

³ John 3:17-18; Rom. 8:1-2

2021 DAILY BIBLE READING

9/5	Jeremiah 49:1-51:10	9/9	Ezekiel 3-8
9/6	Jeremiah 51:11-52:34	9/10	Ezekiel 9-12
9/7	Lamentations 1:1-3:51	9/11	Ezekiel 13:1-16:43
9/8	Lamentations 3:52-5:22; Ezekiel 1-2		

Randolph Street Financial Report (as of 8/29/21) Fiscal Year (January - December)	
Fiscal Year to Date Budget	\$281,610
Fiscal Year to Date Received	\$298,489
Fiscal Year Status + or -	\$16,879
321 Project	\$14,395
Special Giving (Relief, Academy, Facility, Debt)	\$34,713