

**Welcome to Plymouth Church!**  
**Sunday, November 12, 2023**

His Mercy Is More  
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Special Music Choir

Announcements

**Scripture Memory Challenge**  
**Psalm 118:28-29**  
 You are my God, and I will give thanks to You;  
 You are my God; I will extol You.  
 Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His  
 steadfast love endures forever!

Scripture Reading

Battle Hymn Of The Republic p. 756  
 Christ The Sure and Steady Anchor

**Children's Church Dismissal**  
**Parents- Please do not let your child head to Children's Church until they are dismissed. Please take them directly to the appropriate room. Thank you.**  
**For 3rd - 5th Grade, we encourage you to fill out worship notes - which are available on the table in the foyer.**

Pastoral Prayer

Message Pastor Rick Hopkins  
 "From Guilt to Grace—A REALLY BIG DEAL!"  
 Romans 5:12-21"

Closing Prayer and Benediction


**We are glad you are here to worship the Lord with us today!**  
 Visitors, please stop at the Welcome Center for some information on our church.  
 Also, please fill out a Visitor Card and bring it to the Welcome Center for a special gift!

**Schedule for This Week (11/12-11/18/2023)**

<b>Today</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
10:30 a.m.	Discipleship and Sunday School
5:00 p.m.	<b>Veterans Celebration !</b>
6:00 p.m.	VISIONS (High School Youth)
<b>Monday</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	
9:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study led by Suzy
6:00 p.m.	Elder Board Meeting
6:00 p.m.	World Ministry Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m.	Ladies Bible Study at Lisa Woller's home
<b>Wednesday</b>	
6:00 p.m.	Bible Study led by Pastor Rick
6:00 p.m.	AWANA
6:00 p.m.	WINGS (Middle School Youth)
6:00 p.m.	Library is Open
<b>Thursday</b>	
12:00 p.m.	Prayer Time
7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
<b>Friday</b>	
6:00 p.m.	College & Career Bible Study
<b>Saturday</b>	

**Looking Ahead**

November 22—Thanksgiving Eve Service  
 December 3—AWANA T&T Christmas Program  
 December 10— Noon—Christmas Caroling  
 December 10—6PM—Lily Topolski Piano Concert  
 December 17—Sunday School Christmas Program  
 December 24—9AM Morning Worship Service  
 6PM— Christmas Eve Service



**Operation Christmas Child**

Thank you to all who have made packing Shoeboxes this year possible!!  
**We are thankful for EVERY donation!!**

Today after the service, we will be taking a special offering to help "Ship the Shoeboxes"  
 Please give as you are led to help get these boxes, and more importantly, the Gospel of Jesus Christ, to children around the world!!  
 Also, continue to pray for these boxes throughout the year, as they deliver the "Good News and Great Joy" of Jesus Christ!!

**Get Connected**

**Discipleship Classes**

There are classes during our **10:30am** hour for all ages. Please see list below.

**Family Check-in** - all children must be checked in at our Family Check-in desk prior to attending any Children's Ministries. Please see one of our volunteers at the desk in the foyer.

**Nursery** - our Nursery is available for newborn - 3 year olds during the morning service and Sunday School - Room 237

**Children's Church - mid way through the worship service.**

**Age 3-PreK** age should be taken by their parents directly to Room #232, across from the nursery.

**Kindergarten-2nd grade** meet in Room 228.

**3rd-5th Grade** can fill out worship notes - found on the literature table

**Family Room (Room 113)**

If your nursery age child is unable to be in the sanctuary or nursery, please feel free to stay with them in the Family Room, which has a live feed of the morning service.

**College & Career Bible Study** -meet **every other Friday at 6pm**

**Adult Bible Studies /Small Groups**

**Tuesday morning at 9:00am** - led by Suzy Wasmuth  
 "Twelve Ordinary Men" - Meeting in Room 126

**1st & 3rd Tuesday morning at 9:30** - led by Kendra Arthur  
 Meeting in room 128

**2nd & 4th Tuesday evening at 7:00pm** - led by Lisa Woller  
 "The Envy of Eve" - Meeting at Lisa's home

**Wednesday evening at 6:00pm** - led by Pastor Rick  
 meeting in Pastor Rick's office

**Please contact any Pastor or call the church office at (920)231-8231 for more information on any of these opportunities!**

**Adult Discipleship Classes**

**Study of 1st & 2nd Peter**

Led by Jim Stadler - meet in Room 228

**Biblical Doctrine - Study of Systematic Theology**

Led by Pastor Brian - meet in Room 127

**Adult Class**

Led by Dustin Arthur & Pastor Rick - meet in Room 205

**Children's Sunday School**

3 years - 4K - Room 232

Kindergarten and 1st Grade - Room 114

2nd Grade - Room 105

3rd Grade - Room 106

4th and 5th Grade - Room 107

Middle & High School - Room 124

**Demisemiseptcentennial (175<sup>th</sup>) Anniversary Celebration**

In preparation for Plymouth Church's 175th Anniversary celebration in 2024 we are compiling a "hard copy" church pictorial directory to be available by Summer of next year. We need and want to encourage everyone to be part of this directory to commemorate this special event of God's Grace and Blessings in our lives and in this community.

Portrait pictures of individuals and families will be scheduled and taken during weekday times beginning Mon., Nov. 13 through Sat. Dec. 2.

There are two ways to schedule a time for your photos. One way is to click this link and schedule for yourself:

<https://calendly.com/thekienetz/churchdirectory>

If you need assistance in order to schedule a photo time for you and/or your family **please stop by the church office after the morning service** and a 175th anniversary committee member will help you register for your photo session.

Sessions will typically last about 30 minutes or less. Besides getting a free photo in the directory you will have the opportunity to order and purchase quality printed photos for yourself or your family if you want- but we assure you there will be NO OBLIGATION OR PRESSURE TO PURCHASE anything!

Please do participate in this process of special commemoration and celebration! We would especially encourage you "snowbirds" to register and get photographed soon.

For more information contact  
Emily Kienetz, Adeline Anklam, or Pastor Rick.

**God's Creation Calendars**

2024 will be here before we know it!!!

These beautiful calendars make great gifts!! Only 6 left!!!  
Get yours today—in the church office! They are \$10.

**Discipleship Class Room Change**

The adult Discipleship class that meets in Room 126 will now be meeting in the Conference Room (Room 205).

To share a prayer request or praise on the Prayer Chain, please call the church office, or contact one of our Pastors.

**Weekly Tithes & Offerings**

Fund	11/5/23 Offering
General -- Needed Weekly: \$8,395.08	\$7,836.16
Building	\$30.00
Flooring (ongoing)	\$10.00
Needed Year to Date \$335,802.00	\$334,107.47

**Elder Flocks**

A through B	- call Dustin Arthur -	920-698-6048
C through E	- call Pastor Daniel -	920-279-5581
F through G	- call Pastor Brian -	920-312-0637
H through K	- call Gary Jepson -	920-312-1856
L through O	- call Nick Matiash -	920-642-0040
P through Sc	- call Kurt Shafer -	920-420-9070
Sd through Sz	- call Dan Patterson -	920-410-3245
T through Z	- call Steve Anklam -	920-470-5114

**Nursery Workers Today:** Monitor: Katie Bradley  
9:00: Katie Bradley, Holly Simpson, Anna Robinson  
10:30: Lynn Brown, Eileen Poeschl

**Nursery Workers Next Week:** Monitor: Jordan Paterson  
9:00: Jordan Paterson, Jodi Matiash, Kiah Ross  
10:30: Lynn Brown, Sue Stadler

**Greeter Today:** Michelle Vincent  
**Greeter Next Week:** Deb Cook

**Childrens Church Workers** - Jordan & Charity Brown/  
Amanda Woller

**Sound/Projection Today:** Christopher Jepson/ Nathan Kienetz/  
Heather Steffen

**Sound/Projection Next Week:** Scott Bradley / Erich Graves



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### His Mercy Is More

What love could remember no wrongs we have done  
Omniscient all knowing He counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Chorus

Praise the Lord His mercy is more  
Stronger than darkness new every morn  
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam  
What Father so tender is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest the vilest the poor  
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Chorus

Praise the Lord His mercy is more  
Stronger than darkness new every morn  
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

What riches of kindness He lavished on us  
His blood was the payment His life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford  
Our sins they are many His mercy is more

Chorus

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### Come Thou Fount

Come Thou fount of ev'ry blessing  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace  
Streams of mercy never ceasing  
Call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet  
Sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it  
Mount of Thy redeeming love

Here I raise mine Ebenezer  
Hither by Thy help I'm come  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure  
Safely to arrive at home  
Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wand'ring from the fold of God  
He to rescue me from danger  
Interposed His precious blood

O to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be  
Let Thy grace Lord like a fetter  
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee  
Prone to wander Lord I feel it  
Prone to leave the God I love  
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it  
Seal it for Thy courts above

### Battle Hymn of The Republic

Mine eyes have seen the glory  
Of the coming of the Lord  
He is trampling out the vintage  
Where the grapes of wrath are stored  
He hath loosed the fateful lightning  
Of His terrible swift sword  
His truth is marching on

Chorus

Glory glory hallelujah  
Glory glory hallelujah  
Glory glory hallelujah  
His truth (our God) is marching on

I have seen Him in the watchfires  
Of a hundred circling camps  
They have builded Him an altar  
In the evening dews and damps  
I can read His righteous sentence  
By the dim and flaring lamps  
His day is marching on

Chorus

He has sounded forth the trumpet  
That shall never call retreat  
He is sifting out the hearts of men  
Before His judgment seat  
O be swift my soul to answer Him  
Be jubilant my feet  
Our God is marching on

Chorus

In the beauty of the lilies  
Christ was born across the sea  
With a glory in His bosom  
That transfigures you and me  
As He died to make men holy  
Let us live to make men free  
While God is marching on

Chorus

### Christ The Sure and Steady Anchor

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
In the fury of the storm  
When the winds of doubt blow through me  
And my sails have all been torn  
In the suffering in the sorrow  
When my sinking hopes are few  
I will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
While the tempest rages on  
When temptation claims the battle  
And it seems the night has won  
Deeper still then goes the anchor  
Though I justly stand accused  
I will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
Through the floods of unbelief  
Hopeless somehow O my soul now  
Lift your eyes to Calvary  
This my ballast of assurance  
See His love forever proved  
All my hope is in the anchor  
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
As we face the wave of death  
When these trials give way to glory  
As we draw our final breath  
We will cross that great horizon  
Clouds behind and life secured  
And the calm will be the better  
For the storms that we endured

Christ the shore of our salvation  
Ever faithful ever true  
We will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed