# Romans 1:1-7 A Gospel Greeting

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# MISSIO DEI CHURCH

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 2024

### Welcome/Announcements

#### **Affirmation of Faith**

Heidelberg Catechism Question 1

Q1. What is your only comfort in life

and in death?

A1. My only comfort in life and in death is that I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil.

He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.

Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, also assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

## Preparation for the worship of our Holy God

## Call To Worship--Psalm 112:1, 4, 6-7

Leader: Praise the LORD! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD, who greatly delights in his commandments!

ALL: Light dawns in the darkness for the upright; he is gracious, merciful, and righteous.

Leader: For the righteous will never be moved; he will be remembered forever.

ALL: He is not afraid of bad news; his heart is firm, trusting in the LORD.

Hymns of Praise: GOD IS GOOD

HERE IS LOVE VAST AS THE OCEAN

### Reading of The Law, Confession, and Assurance of Pardon

Reading of The Law

Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Our Lord and God, we thank you for your abundant mercy. You are so very patient with us. Don't let us mistake your patience with us for your approval of our sin. Through your Holy Spirit, help us to say no to sin and to faithfully follow you.

Grant us the gift of repentance again and again, Lord, for we are helpless without your grace and mercy. Father, when we drift, bring us back to you. When we grow cold towards you, warm our hearts with a renewed sense of your glory. Wake us from our spiritual sleepiness and renew a right spirit within us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation. Amen.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon 1 John 2:1,2

Hymn of Response: ALWAYS

**Pastoral Prayer** 

**Preaching of The Word: A Gospel Greeting** 

The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

Closing Hymn: IT IS WELL

**Offertory Prayer** 

**Benediction** 

**Romans 15:13** 

# JANUARY VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

#### Children's Church

7th--Amanda Mack Jocelyn Mack

14th--Sammi Thacker Aurea Stephens

21st--Bethany Wild Emily Simpkins

28th--Lorrie Spence Natalie Simpkins

#### 2--PreK

7th--Andrea Moyer Megan Taylor

14th--Dan Honaker Vanessa Honaker

21st--Mallory Adams Christina Bailey

28th--Meagan Valentine Diana Van Horn

#### Nursery

7th--Becky White

14th--Pam Landacre

21st--Bethany McNett

28th--Shelley Vincent

#### Greeters

7th--

14th--Ben Mack

21st--Jenny Matthews

28th--Scott Spence

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Sacrament of Baptism**--We'll be celebrating baptism in our services on Sunday, February 11. If you haven't been baptized and would like more information, please see Mark.

**Missio Kids Skate Party**—Sunday, February 11, 12:30–2:30 at Skateland in Altizer. Pizza will be provided! Please bring a friend!

**River Cities Homeless Ministry**— They are in need of the following items:

- hoodie sweatshirts
- men's 10.5 shoes
- men's blue jeans (sizes 30, 32, & 34 waists in particular)
- any type of backpack, tote bags, or even suitcases

#### **HAPPY JANUARY BIRTHDAY!**

Hannah Youn (9th), Jocelyn Mack (1/11), Malinda Carr (1/15), Joel Carr (1/21), Jina Youn (24th),

If we've forgotten anyone, let Mark White know!

#### **Silent Prayer**

O God, the strength of all them that put their trust in You, mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without You, grant us the help of Your grace, that we, steadfastly believing in Your Son Jesus Christ, and loving one another as He has given us commandment, may please You, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen