# **Old Goshenhoppen Reformed Church**

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The natural man's affections are wretchedly misplaced; he is a spiritual monster. His heart is where his feet should be, fixed on the earth; his heels are lifted up against heaven, which his heart should be set on. His face towards hell, his back towards heaven; and therefore God calls him to turn.

He loves what he should hate, and hates what he should love; joys in what he ought to mourn for, and mourns for what he should rejoice in; glories in his shame, and is ashamed of his glory; abhors what he should desire, and desires what he should abhor.

**Thomas Boston** 

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Time of Silent Prayer for Preparation**

#### THE CALL TO WORSHIP: — Matthew 21:9 (ESV)

And the crowds that went before him and that followed him were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!"

# \*Hymn #21 – This Is My Father's World \*INVOCATION

#### STATEMENT OF FAITH: HEIDELBERG WEEK #16

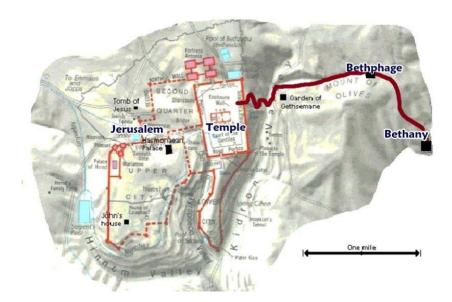
The Heidelberg Catechism aims to instruct us, from generation to generation, in the essential truths of scripture. It has helped guide Old Goshenhoppen Reformed Church since its founding in 1727

# PASTORAL AND CORPORATE PRAYER The LORD'S PRAYER

While there will be no offering during worship, you may give tithes & offerings in the back of the church or online at ogrc.org

### HYMN #405 – My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

# **SERMON – Parting Ways Before Nightfall** *Matthew 21:10-17*



### OUR PRIVATE CONFESSION OF SIN Our CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN:

O God,

we seek you, and yet we hide from you.
At times we draw near,
and at other times we move away.
If we are honest,
we sometimes prefer darkness to light;
despair to hope;
confusion to clarity.
Help us receive the call to rebirth as a gift,
and open our hearts and minds
to the Spirit that makes all things new.
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **OUR ASSURANCE OF PARDON**: Isaiah 55:6-9

Seek the LORD while he may be found; call on him while he is near. Let the wicked forsake his way and the evil man his thoughts. Let him turn to the LORD, and he will have mercy on him, and to our God, for he will freely pardon. "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the LORD. "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

**RESPONSE TO HIS PARDON -** Hymn #734 – "Gloria Patri"

## Hymn #598 [v1,2,4] – Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

BENEDICTION (A final good word from God)

### CLOSING RESPONSE – HYMN #426

Blessed Assurance, Jesus is mine! O What a foretaste of glory divine! Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in His blood.

