

**YOUNG CHILDREN**  
The nursery is open at 9 a.m. until the end of worship and is available anytime. Toddlers, or those in Preschool and Kindergarten begin in worship with their families, then may leave for the Rambler Room on the second floor after Sacred Space.

**IPC CALENDAR**

**Sunday, January 12 | Baptism of the Lord | Communion**

10:00 a.m. Worship in-person and online  
11:15 a.m. Fellowship Hour, FH  
11:15 a.m. *Revelation with Rev. Wilson*, Parlor  
1:30 p.m. El Trono Sunday School, FH  
3:00 p.m. El Trono Worship, FH  
3:00 p.m. El Trono, Nursery  
5:30 p.m. IPC Youth Grp., 3rd flr., Youth Lounge

**Monday, January 13**

6:30 p.m. IAC Practice, Choir Rm.  
6:30-8:00 p.m. PTSA #57 Meeting, Rm. 24 and Rambler Rm.  
8:00 p.m. AA Group, FH

**Tuesday, January 14**

9:30 a.m. Chapter BP of P.E.O Meeting, Parlor  
1:00 p.m. Alzheimer’s Support Group, Parlor  
7:00 p.m. El Trono Leadership Bible Study, Rm. 24  
7:00 p.m. El Trono, 2nd Flr. Rambler Rm.

**Wednesday, January 15**

10:00 a.m. Men’s Bible Study, Parlor  
6:00 p.m. Handbells, Choir Rm.  
7:00 p.m. Choir, Choir Rm.  
7:00 p.m. Trustee’s Meeting, Parlor

**Thursday, January 16**

10:30 a.m. Women’s Bible Study, Parlor  
7:00 p.m. El Trono Worship/Bible Study, FH  
7:00 p.m. El Trono Children, 2nd and 3rd flr.

**Friday, January 17**

10:00-2 p.m. Bridge Club, FH  
6:00 p.m. El Trono Band Practice, FH  
6:00 p.m. El Trono Hebreo Dance Class, Rambler Rm.

**Saturday, January 18**

6:00 p.m. Safe Harbor 2025 Planning Meeting  
6-9 p.m. El Trono Prayer Service, FH

**Sunday, January 19**

10:00 a.m. Worship in-person and online  
11:15 a.m. Fellowship Hour, FH  
11:15 a.m. Revelation with Rev. Wilson, Parlor  
1:30 p.m. El Trono Sunday School, FH  
3:00 p.m. El Trono Worship, FH  
3:00 p.m. El Trono, Nursery  
5:30 p.m. IPC Youth Grp., 3rd flr., Youth Lounge



**HARMONY COLLECTED**  
COMMUNITY CHOIR  
IRVINGTON ARTS COLLECTIVE

The voices of Irvington  
coming together to  
create, sing, and explore

Add your voice to the mix!

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<b>Ushers:</b> West Door	Deanna Byrd
Center Aisle	Edrisa Camera
Greeter	Ann Kitchen-Stauffer
Balcony	Kaiden Harris
East Door	Matt Harris
Head Usher	Erika Hinshaw
Beadle	Erika Hinshaw
Fellowship Hour	Lana and Katie Wooden, Jackie Cox, Sherry Guffey
Flower Delivery	Linda Medlock
Bus Driver	Steve Lewis
Parking Lot Security	Red Anderson

STAFF	
<b>Pastor &amp; Head of Staff</b>	<b>The Rev. Dr. Jonathan H. Reinink</b>
<b>Director of Faith Formation &amp; Community Engagement</b>	<b>The Rev. Maureen M. Wilson</b>
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<b>Director of Music Emerita</b>	<b>Grace Long</b>
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<b>Assistant Director of Roots &amp; Wings Child Care</b>	<b>Aeriel Lewis</b>
<b>Founding Executive &amp; Artistic Director of IRVINGTON ARTS COLLECTIVE</b>	<b>Dr. Webb Parker</b>

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*Office Hours Winter Hours:*  
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Worship with us! Join live or watch later on our website or on:

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I Delight In You by the Rev. Lisle Gwynn Garrity. Inspired by Mark 1:9-15. Digital painting with collage. © L. 2025

**BAPTISM OF THE LORD**  
**January 12, 2025**  
**10:00 AM**

*“Called to be an inclusive church that  
lives by faith, is known by God’s love,  
and gives hope a voice  
in our neighborhood and world.”*



ORDER FOR SERVICE OF WORSHIP

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Help us stay connected and know you worshiped with us!  
Please sign the **red Ritual of Friendship pad** in your pew near the center aisle.  
\* Please stand in body or in spirit.

GREETING

Rev. Dr. Jon Reinink

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP (Leader, People)

Elder T.J. Hengst  
*based on Psalm 29*

The voice of the Lord is over all things:  
the earth and the sea to the highest heavens.  
**The voice of the Lord is powerful and full of majesty:**  
It can break tall cedars and mighty red woods;  
**It causes oaks to whirl and strips entire forests bare.**  
Yet that same voice can be a gentle whisper and loving breeze:  
**It revives the oppressed, making them skip like calves in a spring meadow,**  
It grants life anew, like the hope that comes with the giggles of a child.  
**The voice of the Lord is powerful and full of majesty!**  
May the voice of the Lord's people praise God's holy name!

\*HYMN #331

God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand

NATIONAL HYMN

CALL TO CONFESSION

Elder Hengst

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Wondrous God, we stand in awe of your power. Your voice carries winds and water that shake the foundations of the earth, and that same voice can speak to us in the quiet stillness. Your voice is everywhere, yet we so often stop listening. You beckon to us, but our hearing is selective. You cause the world around us to tremble, and we still end up looking the other way. Forgive us and help us, O God. Unstop our ears and open our eyes. Soften our hearts and sharpen our minds. May your Word be made plain and may we understand your call. Help us to hear, and help us to listen.  
(*Silent Prayer*)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*RESPONSE #581

Glory Be To The Father

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\*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you!  
**And also with you!**  
  
(*As the children come forward, take a moment to share words and signs of peace and reconciliation with those who are near you, across the sanctuary and online.*)

SACRED SPACE

(Children in grades 1 through 5 may go to the third floor for Sunday School.)

ANTHEM

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 43:1-7  
Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Pew Bible pg. 672  
Pew Bible pg. 60

This is the Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

An Ominous Promise

Rev. Dr. Jon Reinink

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

DECLARATION OF FAITH (Apostles' Creed)

Dr. Reinink

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

\*HYMN #163

Wild and Lone the Prophet's Voice

ABERYSTWYTH

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Dr. Reinink

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil:  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING & RECEIVING

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY (#606)

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\*HYMN #819

Be Still, My Soul

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\*BENEDICTION


Dr. Reinink

POSTLUDE

CONGREGATIONAL INFORMATION


Welcome to **Irvington Presbyterian Church**. We hope you are able to connect to God and God's family in our worship and fellowship.  
**If you are new to IPC**, please tell a pastor or an usher after worship so we can connect with you and share more about our community of faith. And **we invite you to join us for fellowship following worship downstairs**. We're grateful to have you join us today!

**WORSHIP ATTENDANCE** on January 5 was 77 in person and 29 online.




**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY** the cabinet with a **RED CROSS** in the rear of the Sanctuary contains supplies including: Naloxone (*NARCAN®*), a First Aid Kit, and an AED Defibrillator.


**IF YOU RECEIVE ANY EMAILS OR TEXT MESSAGES** from the church staff asking for gift cards, cash, or anything our of the ordinary, *please* contact the church office at 317-356-7225, before you reply to such requests.




**CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED**  
**Monday, January 20** for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

**Annual Reports** due are on Monday, February 3rd. Please email them to me in the church office, lchapman@irvpresby.org. Thank you, Lori Chapman






Thanks to many who donated items to Horizon House during this past year. Horizon House continues to need clothing. We will continue to collect Jackets, Cots, Hats and Gloves. They still need socks, shoes and boots. Can you imagine not having UNDERWEAR? We will be collecting NEW men and women's underwear. Horizon House has a room that individuals are able to keep clothing for themselves in suitcases, and duffle bags. **DO YOU HAVE ANY SUITCASES AND/OR DUFFLE BAGS THAT YOU CAN DONATE?** We will get any and all of these items listed down to Horizon House. Any questions please call Jackie Cox, Coxjackie3@gmail.com or 317-726-9142.




**ICAN FOOD PANTRY @ DOWNEY AVENUE**  
Items needed: canned goods, toothpaste, toilet paper, shampoo, conditioner, body soap, peanut butter, and reusable bags. **We cannot accept expired food.**  
*Financial gifts are always appreciated.*  
**THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR DONATIONS!**



**MAKE AN ONLINE CONTRIBUTION**  
Follow the links on our website -- **irvpresby.org** -- or scan the QR code with your mobile device to make a gift.

**THIS WEEK IN PRAYER WE WILL REMEMBER...**  
Deanna Byrd, Sarah Calder, Patrick Durkin, Barbara Hays, Katherine Holle, Matt Payne, Steve & Melitta Payne, Dee Miller, Mattie Nieves, Avery Paauwe, Nancy Pierce, Diane Pflanzner, Carolyn Searight, Angela Valadez, Larimore Wickett, Melissa Melvin-Wicksall, Joan and Otto Woerdehoff



**THE FLOWERS** this morning are offered to the glory of God, in loving memory of my parents Jim and Joan Harton, given by Tom Harton.

## 331 God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand

(optional)

1 God of the a - ges, whose al-might - y  
 2 Thy love di - vine hath led us in the  
 3 From war's a - larms, from dead - ly pes - ti -  
 4 Re - fresh thy peo - ple on their toil-some

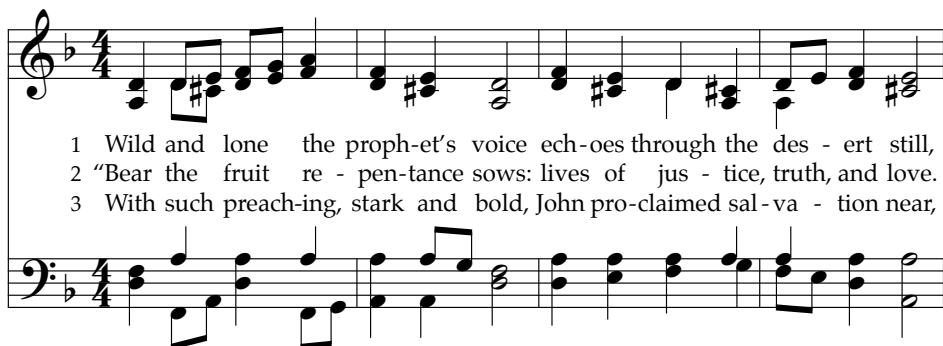
hand leads forth in beau - ty all the star-ry band  
 past. In this free land by thee our lot is cast.  
 lence, be thy strong arm our ev - er sure de-fense.  
 way. Lead us from night to nev - er-end-ing day.

of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the skies,  
 Be thou our rul - er, guard - ian, guide, and stay:  
 Thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in - crease.  
 Fill all our lives with love and grace di - vine,

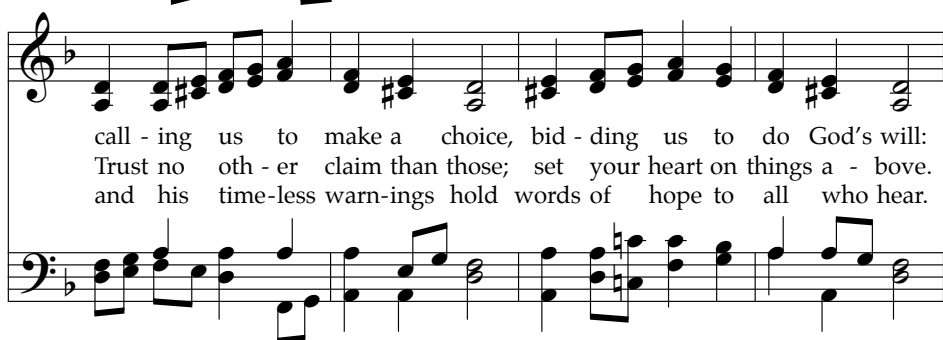
our grate - ful songs be - fore thy throne a - rise.  
 thy word our law, thy paths our cho - sen way.  
 Thy boun-teous good - ness nour - ish us in peace.  
 and glo - ry, laud, and praise be ev - er thine.

This hymn was generated by 19th-century centennial celebrations: the words by the Declaration of Independence and the music by the adoption of the United States Constitution. Despite these origins, no specific nation is mentioned in this hymn of praise and prayer for peace.

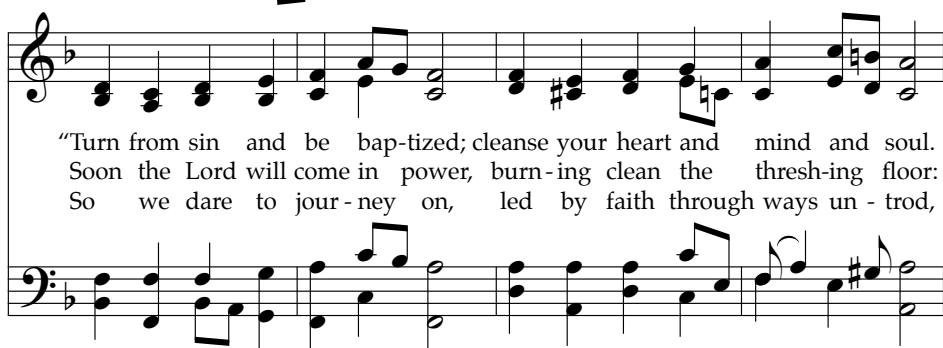
## 163 Wild and Lone the Prophet's Voice



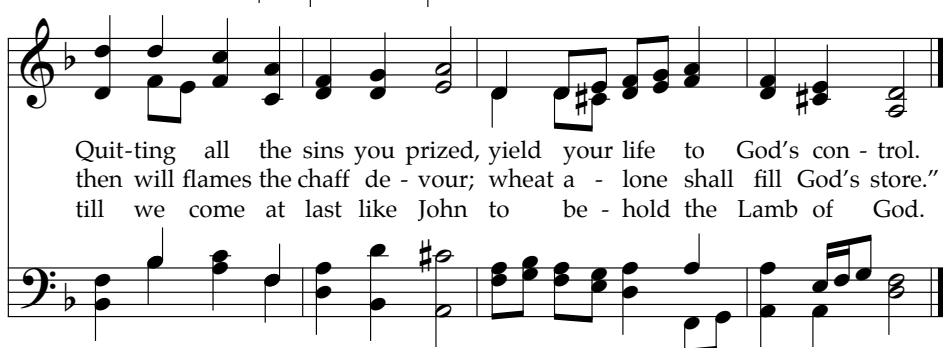
1 Wild and lone the proph-et's voice ech-oes through the des - ert still,  
 2 "Bear the fruit re - pen-tance sows: lives of jus - tice, truth, and love.  
 3 With such preach-ing, stark and bold, John pro-claimed sal - va - tion near,



call - ing us to make a choice, bid - ding us to do God's will:  
 Trust no oth - er claim than those; set your heart on things a - bove.  
 and his time-less warn-ings hold words of hope to all who hear.



"Turn from sin and be bap-tized; cleanse your heart and mind and soul.  
 Soon the Lord will come in power, burn-ing clean the thresh-ing floor:  
 So we dare to jour - ney on, led by faith through ways un - trod,



Quit-ting all the sins you prized, yield your life to God's con - trol.  
 then will flames the chaff de - vour; wheat a - lone shall fill God's store."  
 till we come at last like John to be - hold the Lamb of God.

While all four gospels identify John the Baptist with the prophecy of Isaiah 40:3, this text (well set to a vigorous Welsh tune) draws on the report of his preaching in Matthew 3:1–12. The final lines recall that he was the first to name Jesus "the Lamb of God" (John 1:29, 36).

## 819

## Be Still, My Soul

1 Be still, my soul: the Lord is on thy side.  
 2 Be still, my soul: thy God doth un - der - take  
 3 Be still, my soul: the hour is has - tening on

Bear pa - tient - ly the cross of grief or pain.  
 to guide the fu - ture sure - ly as the past.  
 when we shall be for - ev - er with the Lord;

Leave to thy God to or - der and pro - vide,  
 Thy hope, thy con - fi - dence let noth - ing shake;  
 when dis - ap - point - ment, grief, and fear are gone,

who through all chang - es faith - ful will re - main.  
 all now mys - te - rious shall be bright at last.  
 sor - row for - got, love's pur - est joys re - stored.

This meditative text seems to be rooted in Psalm 46:10, "Be still and know that I am God," while also reaching forward to 1 Thessalonians 4:17b, "we will be with the Lord forever." Much of the appeal of this hymn comes from its tune, named for the tone poem on which it is based.

# LIVING AND DYING IN CHRIST

Be still, my soul: thy best, thy heaven - ly Friend  
 Be still, my soul: the waves and winds still know  
 Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past

through thorn - y ways leads to a joy - ful end.  
 his voice who ruled them while he dwelt be - low.  
 all safe and bless - ed we shall meet at last.