

ROBERTSVILLE BIBLE CHURCH

October 27, 2024

Thank you for being a part of our service today. We trust that you will receive a blessing from being with us and hearing a message from the Word of God. May the Lord bless you as you serve Him.

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

PRELUDE (Please use this time to quietly prepare your heart for worship)

WELCOME

HYMN #793 For the Beauty of the Earth

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 90

OPENING PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN #344 Grace Greater than Our Sin

HYMN #588 All for Jesus

BIBLE MESSAGE Pastor Stephen Christopher

HYMN #319 Near the Cross

CLOSING PRAYER

The following programs are available during the Morning Worship Service:

Nursery - Newborns to Age 2
Children's Church - Ages 3 to 8

This Week at Robertsville

Sunday..... 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service
Wednesday..... 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God. Psalm 90:1-2

Announcements

New Pastor at Robertsville Bible Church - Last Sunday, October 20, we voted to call Pastor Josiah Sansone as our senior pastor, and he accepted. His first Sunday as pastor is expected to be November 10. We are looking forward to his arrival and thank everyone for your prayers during this time.

Nursing Home Ministry: The Manor - Today, October 27, 2:00 p.m.

Nominations Forms for Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Annual Delegate, and Sunday School Superintendent are **due today, October 29**. There are nomination forms on the table in the foyer.

Christmas Gift for Our Missionaries - Would you consider giving a special gift to our missionaries? Are you saving your change for them? Again this year, we will be sending our missionaries a Christmas gift. Last year, we received a total of \$1,343.00, which we divided among them. If you have been saving your change, the cans and containers need to be turned in by **Sunday, November 17**. Dollar bills and checks should be placed in an offering envelope, designated: "Missionaries' Christmas Gift," and placed in the offering plate by **Sunday, November 17**.

Reformation Day - October 31

Rev. Dr. Ernest Brodie Jr.

Reformation Day, October 31, is the anniversary of Martin Luther's nailing The Ninety-five Theses to the church door at Wittenberg, Germany (October 31, 1517). The Reformation profoundly changed history and yet few are aware of its impact. It was a 16th century movement in Christendom that purged the church of abuses and doctrinal errors and returned to the teachings of the Bible.

Men emerged who spoke out against the ills of the church, even though this may have meant death. On October 31, 1517, Martin Luther nailed his grievances, The Ninety-five Theses, to a church door. As he read the scriptures, he came under conviction that all were lost in sin (Romans 3:23). He knew that the punishment for sin was eternity in hell (Romans 6:23). He also came to the conclusion, that no matter how hard he worked to please God on his own by doing good or suffering to rid himself of sin, he failed. Luther realized that salvation was a work of God's grace, not man's ability (Galatians 3:11).

Doctrinal Unity of the Reformers:

Scripture Alone (Sola Scriptura) - The Reformers all agreed that the Bible would be their sole source for faith and practice.

Christ Alone (Solo Christo) - The Reformers clearly understood that salvation came through Christ and Christ alone (Acts 4:12).

Grace Alone (Solo Gratia) - The Reformers came to the realization that salvation was based on God's grace or unmerited favor (Ephesians 2:8-9).

Faith Alone (Solo Fide) - The Reformers believed that salvation was appropriated by faith alone.

Glory to God Alone (Soli Deo Gloria) - The foundational truth that these Reformers believed in was that all related to the glory of God.