

Parkman Congregational Church

March 12, 2023

*Member of the Conservative Congregational
Christian Conference*

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'Pastor Will's Cell Phone is turned off after 9:00 pm'
If there is an emergency, please call one of the Elders'
listed below - Thank You

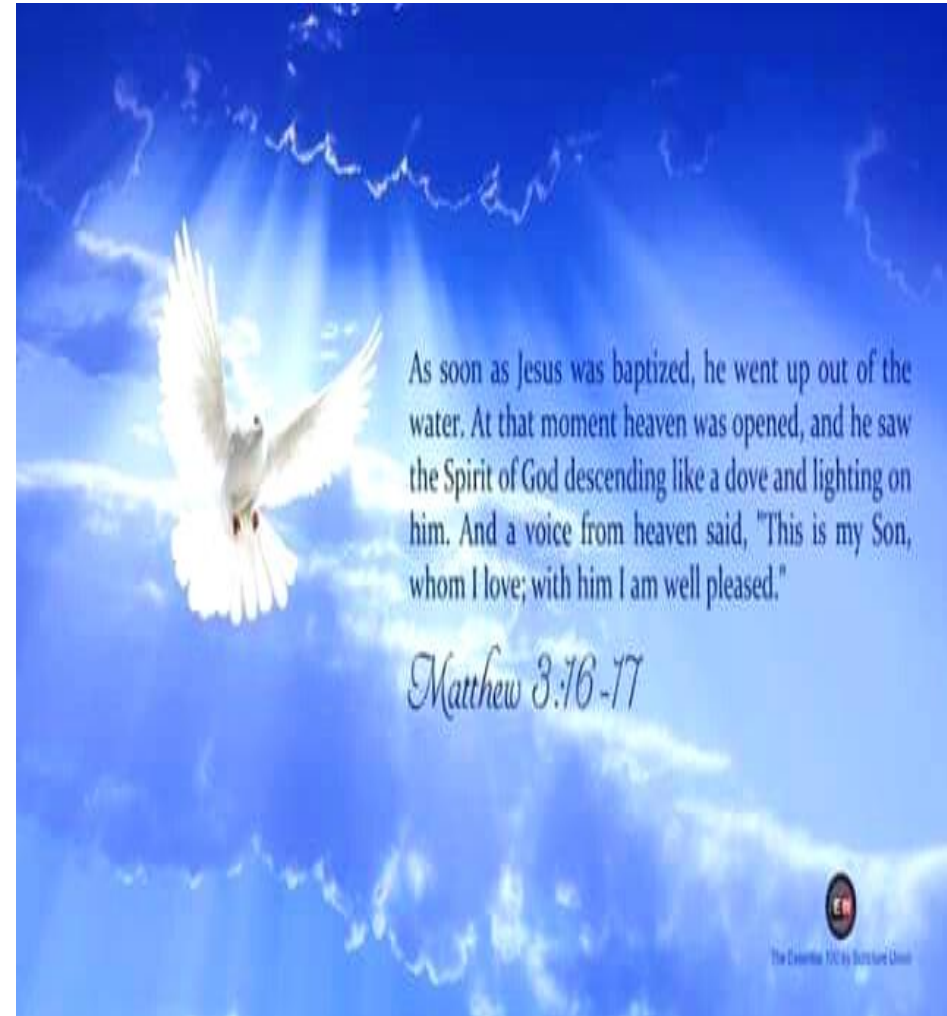
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1823 - 2023 Bicentennial



Pastor: Reverend Will Coley
Ministers: Members of this Congregation

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THIS WEEK'S CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, March 12 Sunday school, 9:00 am
Fellowship, 10:00 am
Worship Service, 10:30 am
Observance of the Lord's Supper
Evening Prayer Service 6-7:00 pm

Monday, March 13 Elders, 7:00 pm
Women's Fellowship, 7pm

Friday, March 17 **Corned Beef Dinner, 5-7pm**

Saturday, March 18 AA – 8:30 pm

Sunday, March 19 Sunday school, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:00 am
Worship Service, 10:30 am
Observance of the Lord's Supper
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NOT God's plan for my life
BUT my life for God's plan
NOT God's vision for our church
BUT our church for God's Vision

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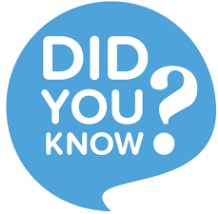
MATTHEW	
3/12 –Matthew 3:13-17	The Triune God
3/19 –Matthew 4:1-11	The Temptation
3/26 –Matthew 4:12-17	Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand
4/2 –Matthew 4:18-25	Follow Me

Scripture of the Month

“And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men.” - Matthew 4:19



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This is not their first time:

If you look at the first chapter of John's gospel you will quickly notice that Jesus meets the disciples before this account that we see in Matthew chapter 4. In fact, in John chapter 1 verse 41, Andrew has already made the pronouncement to his brother Peter, ***"we have found the Messiah."*** It is here though in Matthew chapter 4 where Jesus calls these men to full time discipleship. Up until this point in Matthew chapter 4, these men had already made a commitment to Jesus, but they had not yet given their lives over to His leadership.

As we are walking through Mathew's gospel we are going to frequently see Jesus asking people to follow Him. This call to follow is so much more than just tagging along for the ride, at its core it means placing yourself in submission under His authority and living in obedience to Him as your King. We will slowly realize that every obligation that Jesus put on His first disciples – whom we see in Matthew – is the very obligation that Jesus is putting on us. We are already aware of this in some sense, for Jesus has commanded all of us to ***"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."***

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Corned Beef and Cabbage Fundraising Dinner



Friday, March 17, 2023

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

\$15.00 includes drinks and desserts

We need help to set up the hall, prep, serve and clean up.

We also need donations. Please sign up outside the secretary's office to volunteer and/or donate.

We hope to be able to have dinner in the social hall as well as carryout!!

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Please sign up at the church bulletin board today

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Bicentennial - 1823-2023

We have started planning the 2023 Carnival, and we need your help. This year is a special year as we celebrate the Parkman Congregational Church Bicentennial. We are also looking for people to help the chairpersons:

Food – Brian Lanstrum & Denise Villers

Games & Activities – Jennifer Lanstrum

Entertainment – Pat Johnson

Volunteers – Alison Oliver & Pat Johnson

Corn Hole – Korey Herr

You may contact any of these people or Chris Lanstrum with any questions or to help. Next meeting Thursday, May 4, 2023, 7:00 p.m. in the Social Hall