

First Presbyterian Church
November 10, 2024



Proverbs 17:17

A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.

Silent Prayer (Continue to pray in silence)

Assurance of Pardon

God loves us, not because of our actions, but in spite of them. He is the author of peace, and stands ready to forgive us and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Know this, accept this, and be at peace. Amen.

Doxology

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Anthem Introduction

Bob Hendrickson

Anthem:

“Holy is the Lord”

Fred Holton

WE HEAR THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Colossians 3: 12-17

page 1031 in pew Bible

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 4:25-31 & 5: 1-2

page 1025 in pew Bible

Sermon

“Together”

Bob Hendrickson

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

Hymn:

“Near to the Heart of God”

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The Offering

Call for the Offering :
Offertory

Solvejg’s Song”

Edward Grieg

The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication:

Announcements, Celebrations and Concerns

⊗Please stand if able.

Hearing-assist devices are available. If needed, please ask an usher.

WE GATHER AS GOD’S PEOPLE

Sunday, November 10, 2024

Silent Prayer of Preparation

Heavenly Father, you are the giver of all good things, faithful, just, and kind. In your presence is peace. We pray for you to pour your peace upon us in these troubling times, reminding us that things of this world are only temporary, but that you and your love are eternal. From everlasting to everlasting, you are God.

Prelude

“Ein Feste Burg”

Martin Luther

Welcome

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Introit

Call to Worship (from Psalm 122)

Leader: I was glad when they said to me, “Let us go to the house of the Lord!”

All: To give thanks to the name of the Lord.

Leader: Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: May they prosper who love you.

All: Peace be within your walls, and security within your towers.

Leader: For the sake of my relatives and friends I will say, peace be within you.

All: For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your good.

Hymn:

“We Gather Together”

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Gracious and loving God, open our hearts so that we are able to admit to you the fullness of our lives – that which is beautiful and good, and that which is not. We confess that we do not follow Jesus in all that we do. We love with condition. We judge and condemn. We allow divisiveness instead of peace. We do not turn to You as the source of our healing. Forgive us, we pray. Forgive our sin, and empower us to be imitators of Christ in love and peace. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer: (concluding with Lord’s Prayer)

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.

WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD TO DO GOD’S WORK

Hymn

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

#438

Charge and Benediction:

Benediction Response #586

Amen

DANISH

A - men. A - men. A - men.

Postlude

“O Worship the King”

Worship Team

Leader.....Bob Hendrickson
Liturgist.....Monti Mallow
Song Leader and Musician.....Nicholas Denham
Organist.....Kristen Gallenstein.
Head Usher.....Dave Harnish
Greeter.....Kate Zweigart
Videographer.....Alex Wood
Incident Commander.....Ernie Siders
Webmaster.....Bette Slodd
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