

# Community Presbyterian Church

Proper 26 :: Ordinary Time 31 October 2021

# **GATHERING**

# Welcome and Announcements Prelude

As the Deer

# \*Call to Worship

(One) Sing to the Lord a new song. Praise God in the assembly of the faithful.

(All) Let all God's children rejoice in their king.

(One) Rejoice in our God! Give glory to God's holy name.

(All) Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song.

(One) God puts a new song in our mouths.

(All) May we worship God with our shouts of joy.

# **Opening Prayer**

#### **Responsive Psalm**

Psalm 119:1-8

(One) Happy are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the LORD.

(All) Happy are those who keep his decrees, who seek him with their whole heart, who also do no wrong, but walk in his ways.

(One) You have commanded your precepts to be kept diligently. O that my ways may be steadfast in keeping your statutes!

(All) Then I shall not be put to shame, having my eyes fixed on all your commandments.

(One) I will praise you with an upright heart, when I learn your righteous ordinances.

(All) I will observe your statutes; do not utterly forsake me.

# \*Hymn (426)

Blessed Assurance

(1) 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.

#### Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long; this is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

- (2) Perfect submission, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight; angels descending, bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]
- (3) Perfect submission, all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blest, watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love. [Refrain]

#### **Prayer of Confession**

Most merciful God,

We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

#### **Assurance of Pardon**

Response

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

# **PROCLAMATION**

Old Testament Reading New Testament Reading Gospel Reading **Deuteronomy 6:1-9** Hebrews 9:11-14 Mark 12:28-34

#### Sermon

\*Hymn (544)

We Will Tell Each Generation

- (1) We will tell each generation all that you, our God, have done; how you called and led your people, chose us out to be your own.
- (2) Tell the time of our rebelling-how we wandered from your way, how your law our love compelling taught us humbly to obey.
- (4) Tell the grace that falls from heaven, angels' food as faith's reward; tell how sins may be forgiven through the mercy of the Lord.

(5) We will tell each generation all that you, our God, have done. As a shepherd you have led us; by your hand still lead your own.

# **RESPONSE**

\*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

# Offering

\*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns** 

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

# **SENDING**

Charge Benediction

# ANNOUNCEMENTS!

# **Games Up Here**

No games this week.

## **Weekly Bible Study**

Join us this **Wednesday, November 3rd** in Darley Hall and on Zoom for our weekly Bible study from 5:00-6:30pm. This week, we'll explore Paul's letter to the Galatians.

#### Men's Prayer Breakfast

Gather with the men of Lake City this **Thursday**, **November 4th at 7:00am MST** in the Baptist Fellowship Hall for the Men's Prayer Breakfast.

#### **A Season for Nominations**

Don't forget, we're now taking nominations for CPC elder openings. If you feel someone in our congregation should be nominated as an elder, please contact one of the members of the committee. The nominating committee is Diane Bruce (chair), Alan Brown (session liaison), Karen Roose (member-at-large), and Jason Santos (ex officio).

# Potluck Sunday!

Next week, Potluck Sunday will begin again. Lynn Hudgeons is coordinating our Potluck Sundays

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