

# Community **Presbyterian Church**

Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinal Time 12 October 2025

## **GATHERING**

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

#### **Prelude**

#### \*Call to Worship

(One) Almighty God, you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit.

(All) Let us spread this gift throughout the world by our love for one another. That it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(One) Come, Let us worship the God from whom all our blessings flow and who dwells with us today.

(All) We will praise the One who lives and reigns in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen.

#### **Opening Prayer**

## **Responsive Psalm**

Psalm 111

(One) Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

(All) Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.

(One) Full of honor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

(All) He has gained renown by his wonderful deeds; the LORD is gracious and merciful.

(One) He provides food for those who fear him; he is ever mindful of his covenant.

(All) He has shown his people the power of his works, in giving them the heritage of the nations.

(One) The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy.

(All) They are established forever and ever, to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

(One) He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever. Holy and awesome is his name.

(All) The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding. (One) His praise endures forever.

## \*Hymn (468)

My Jesus, I Love Thee

- (1) My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine, for thee all the follies of sin I resign; my gracious Redeemer, my Savior art thou; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.
- (2) I love thee because thou hast first loved me, and purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree; I love thee for wearing the thorns on thy brow; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.
- (3) In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

#### **Call to Confession**

**Silence** 

**Assurance of Pardon** 

**PROCLAMATION** 

Old Testament Reading New Testament Reading Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 2 Timothy 2:8-15

### **Gospel Reading**

Luke 17:11-19

#### Sermon

## \*Hymn (72)

Great is Thy Faithfulness

(1) Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father, there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not; as thou has been thou forever wilt be.

#### Refrain:

Great is thy faithfulness!
Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed thy hand hath providedgreat is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

- (2) Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, sun, moon and stars in their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. [Refrain]
- (3) Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! [Refrain]

# **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.

## Offertory

\*Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

**Passing of the Peace** 

**Prayers of the People** 

(One) In Your mercy ...

(All) ... Hear our prayers.

The Lord's Prayer (sins/trespass)

# SENDING

Charge Benediction Postlude

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# **SCRIPTURES**

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon.

29:4

Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon:

29:5

Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce.

29:6

Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease.

29:7

But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

#### 2 Timothy 2:8-15

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David--that is my gospel,

2:9

for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. 2.10

Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory.

2:11

The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him:

2:12

if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us;

2:13

if we are faithless, he remains faithful-- he cannot deny himself.

2:14

Remind them of this, and warn them before the Lord that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening.

2:15

Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

#### Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee.

17:12

As he entered a village, ten with a skin disease approached him. Keeping their distance,

17:13

they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" 17:14

When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean.

17:15

Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice.

17:16

He prostrated himself at Jesus's feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan.

17:17

Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? So where are the other nine?

17:18

Did none of them return to give glory to God except this foreigner?"

17:19

Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."