Community

Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinal Time 9 November 2025

Presbyterian Church

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 98

(One) O sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things. His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.

(All) The LORD has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.

(One) He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

(All) Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

(One) Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

(All) With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD.

(One) Let the sea roar and all that fills it, the world and those who live in it.

(All) Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the LORD, for he is coming to judge the earth.

(One) He will judge the world with righteousness and the peoples with equity.

*Hymn (559)

Here I Am, Lord

(1) I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry, All who dwell in dark and sin, My hand will save. I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

[Refrain]

Here I am, Lord... Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if You lead me.
I will hold Your people in my heart.

- (2) I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain. I have wept for love of them, they turn away. I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone. I will speak my Word to them. Whom shall I send?
- (3) I, the Lord of wind & flamel will tend the poor and lame I will set a feast for them, My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide, 'til their hearts be satisfied, I will give my life to them, whom shall I send? [Refrain]

Call to Confession

Silence

Assurance of Pardon

PROCLAMATION

Old Testament Reading New Testament Reading Gospel Reading Job 19:23-27a 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 Luke 20:27-38

Sermon

*Hymn (474)

I Surrender All

(1) All to Jesus I surrender, all to him I freely give; I will ever love and trust him, in his presence daily live.

Refrain:

I surrender all, I surrender all, all to thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

- (2) All to Jesus I surrender, humbly at his feet I bow, worldly pleasures all forsaken: take me, Jesus, take me now. [Refrain]
- (3) All to Jesus I surrender, make me, Savior, wholly thine; may thy Holy Spirit fill me, may I know thy power divine. [Refrain]
- (4) All to Jesus I surrender, Lord, I give myself to thee; fill me with thy love and power, let thy blessing fall on me. [Refrain]
- (5) All to Jesus I surrender; Now I feel the sacred flame. Oh, the joy of full salvation! Glory, glory, to his name!

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

Job 19:23-27a

"O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book!

19:24

O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever!

19:25

For I know that my vindicator lives and that in the end he will stand upon the earth;

19:26

and after my skin has been destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God,

19:27

whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another.

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

As to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we beg you, brothers and sisters, 2:2

not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as though from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord is already here.

2:3

Let no one deceive you in any way, for that day will not come unless the rebellion comes first and the lawless one is revealed, the one destined for destruction.

2:4

He opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, declaring himself to be God.

2:5

Do you not remember that I told you these things when I was still with you?

2:13

But we must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters beloved by the Lord, because God chose you as the first fruits for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and through belief in the truth.

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For this purpose he called you through our gospel, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.

2:16

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope,

2:17

comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.

Luke 20:27-38

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him

20:28

and asked him a question: "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother.

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Now there were seven brothers; the first married a woman and died childless;

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then the second

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and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless.

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Finally the woman also died.

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In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her."

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Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage,

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but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage.

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Indeed, they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection.

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And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.

20:38

Now he is God not of the dead but of the living, for to him all of them are alive."