

**Service for the Lord's Day  
September 27, 2020**

Prelude

Greetings and News of the Church

Time of Preparation

Praise Hymn #363 Rejoice the Lord is King

‡ **Call to Worship (Psalm 78)**

One: Give ear, O my people, to my teaching; incline your ears to the words of my mouth.

**All: We will tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord and the wonders that God has done.**

One: How in the daytime the Lord led them with a cloud, and all night long with a fiery light.

**All: He split rocks open in the wilderness, and gave them drink abundantly from the deep.**

‡ Hymn #175 Seek Ye First

Morning Prayer

The Unison Prayer of Confession

**All: God of compassion, have mercy upon us as we make our confession. How often do we not do what we intended! What we confess is not how we act. We hear your word preached and we give our assent, but faith is found wanting when it comes time to obey. We are confronted by conflict; decisions are called for. Our desires are at odds with what you command and we do not do as you wish. O God, have mercy upon us and in Christ forgive us.**

Time of Silent Confession  
In Christ's Name **AMEN**

Assurance of Pardon

One: Again, hear the words of Paul when he writes that God has bestowed on Christ "the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend... and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the father."

As we make our confession, we have the assurance that the exalted Christ intercedes on our behalf.

‡ Response #581 Glory Be to the Father (Gloria Patri)

First Scripture Reading      Philippians 2:1-13

Gospel Reading      Matthew 21:23-32

Sermon      Saying "Yes" but Doing "No"

‡ Hymn #320 The Church of Christ in Every Age

Prayers of the People/Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

‡ Doxology #606

Offertory Prayer

‡ Hymn #418 Softly and Tenderly

‡ Charge/Benediction

‡ *Please stand, if able*

We WELCOME those visiting with us today. Please come back and worship with us again.

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**FOLLOWING WORSHIP**

Warmly greet each other, particularly our guests and visitors

**WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY**

Pastor Terry Buckman

Worship Associate-Barbara Oates

Pianist – Marcia Thornton

## THIS WEEK

Wednesday 6:00 pm Bible Study

Friday 9:30 am Presbyterian Women

### Budget Summary for August 2020

We did not take any money from other accounts for routine operating expenses during August 2020.

Session's budget for running the church in 2020 is \$73,262, an average of \$6,105/month.

Our August income was \$7,890, or 129% of our average monthly expense budget.

Our January through August income was \$60,570 or 124% of our average expense budget for eight months.

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