

Morning Worship
Sunday, September 27, 2020

We Gather in God's Name

Time of Meditation (enter the sanctuary and sit in meditation and prayer as you prepare to worship our Triune God)

Chiming of the Trinity and Lighting of the Christ Candle

Prelude *'Tis the Gift to Be Simple* Wood

Greeting and Call to Worship

Invocation

Invitation to New Beginnings and Assurance of New Beginnings

We Receive God's Word

Children's Sermon

Special Music/Anthem *Stand In Awe* Lorenz
Gina Goddard, Marion Anderson, Sara Marie Jewart, Randy Jewart,
Libby Pierce, Richard Pierce, Sue Cutchin, Larry Zimmerman

Stand in awe, and sin not; stand in awe, and sin not;

Commune with your own heart, and be still.

Stand in awe, and sin not; stand in awe, and sin not;

Commune with your own heart, and be still.

Be still, and know that I am God;

Be still, and know that I am God.

I will be exalted, I will be exalted.

Be still, and know that I am God!

Stand in awe, and sin not; stand in awe, and sin not;

Commune with your own heart, and be still.

Stand in awe, and sin not; stand in awe, and sin not;

Commune with your own heart, and be still. Amen.

Scripture Readings Matt. 26:6–13, Mark 14:3–9, and John 12:1–11

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Anointed in Bethany" Dr. Steve Fitzgerald

Prayers of Intercession and the 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 Go Out To Serve

*Charge

Go out into the world in peace, have courage. Hold on to what is good! Return no one evil for evil. Strengthen the fainthearted, support the weak, help the suffering, honor all people. Love and serve the Lord rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Blessing

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all, this day and forevermore.

*Postlude *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* Peeters

Music for Meditation - Gifts

Variations on "A Prophet-Woman Broke A Jar" Culli
The Gift of Love Wood

The pink rosebud in the Mabel Maden Vase is placed in the church today by the Presbyterian Women in honor of Eva Raines Tillman, daughter of Lee & Jennifer Tillman, and grand daughter of Dan & Karen Tillman. Eva was born on August 10, 2020.