

Announcements

Wed. Feb 5th – Choir 6:30
Thurs. Feb 6th KD Lunch 11:15

The Congregation extends its sympathy to the family of Sharon Montgomery on the event of her death.



Have you signed up to receive emails from the church?
It's a quick and easy way to stay connected with your church family!
Speak to Rev. Brad or our church administrator Cheri for more information.

Mission Moment

For more than 75 years, the church and PWS&D have been dedicated to serving those in need across the globe. In collaboration with our partners, we are creating meaningful change in our shared world. Working together, we support the poor, the sick and the marginalized, strive to restore dignity, relieve suffering, and empower communities that thrive through cooperation. Guided by faith, we are called to walk alongside those we serve—advocating for equality, sustainability, human dignity, peace, and care for God's creation. Together, we are working toward a future that is sustainable, compassionate and just.

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*“to know, love and serve God wherever we are
and to inspire others to do the same
by our thoughts, words and deeds”*

SPC Mission Statement

Our Approach to God

Prelude

Call to Worship:

O Lord, in you we find refuge;
Let us never be put to shame.

Turn your ear to us, O God, and save us.
For you are our rock and our fortress.

God has been our hope and our trust from our earliest days.
God has been with us since we were born from our mother's womb.

Let us sing out our praise of God's steadfast love.
We will offer God all glory and honour this day and always!

Hymn: **#490 God of Grace and God of Glory**

Opening Prayers

***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, the power and the glory, forever and ever, Amen.***

Assurance of God's Love

Welcome & Announcements

Children's Time & Hymn: **#773 Jesus Bids Us Shine**

Listening for God's Word

Prayer for Understanding

Scripture Readings: Jeremiah 1:4-10
1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

The Word of God in Scripture. The Word of God among us.
The Word of God within us.
Thanks be to God.

Ministry of Music: "On Eagle's Wings" (Michael Joncas)

Message

Hymn: **#587 Called as Partners in Christ's Service**

Our Response to God's Word

Stewardship Moment

Reflection / Doxology & The Presentation of Gifts / Prayer

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God all creatures high & low
Praise God in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word and Spirit one.***

Pastoral Prayer

♪ ***Hear our prayer, O God. Hear our prayer, O God.*** ♪
Incline your ear to us, and grant us your peace.

Hymn: **#774 God Forgave My Sin/Freely, Freely**

Benediction & Dismissal: **May the Lord bless you**

Postlude

As you prepare for this morning's service to begin, you are invited to reflect on the following...



*"Everything, absolutely everything, above and below, visible and invisible... everything got started in him and finds its purpose in him."
~ Colossians 1:16 (Msg.)*

*How can we learn to appreciate each other's differences,
instead of allowing them to divide us?*

Things to pray for this week...

We pray for music leaders in congregations who use their talents to support congregations as they praise God.

We pray for the church in Malawi and all its members. May they find strength and comfort in God's presence and may their joy in the Gospel bring hope through their ministries of compassion, development, health and education.

We continue to pray for all the members of our church family who have lost someone close to them in recent days. May the God of healing and comfort attend to them.



Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-10 (NRSVUE)

⁴ Now the word of the Lord came to me saying,

⁵ "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,
and before you were born I consecrated you;
I appointed you a prophet to the nations."

⁶ Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am
only a boy." ⁷ But the Lord said to me,

"Do not say, 'I am only a boy,'
for you shall go to all to whom I send you,
and you shall speak whatever I command you.
⁸ Do not be afraid of them,
for I am with you to deliver you,
says the Lord."

⁹ Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth, and
the Lord said to me,

"Now I have put my words in your mouth.
¹⁰ See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms,
to pluck up and to pull down,
to destroy and to overthrow,
to build and to plant."

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31 (NIV)

¹² Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts
form one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³ For we were all baptized by ¹⁴ one
Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or
free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink. ¹⁴ Even so the body
is not made up of one part but of many.

¹⁵ Now if the foot should say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not
belong to the body," it would not for that reason stop being part of
the body. ¹⁶ And if the ear should say, "Because I am not an eye, I do
not belong to the body," it would not for that reason stop being part
of the body. ¹⁷ If the whole body were an eye, where would the sense
of hearing be? If the whole body were an ear, where would the sense
of smell be? ¹⁸ But in fact God has placed the parts in the body, every
one of them, just as he wanted them to be. ¹⁹ If they were all one part,
where would the body be? ²⁰ As it is, there are many parts, but one
body.

²¹ The eye cannot say to the hand, "I don't need you!" And the head
cannot say to the feet, "I don't need you!" ²² On the contrary, those
parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, ²³ and
the parts that we think are less honorable we treat with special honor.
And the parts that are unpresentable are treated with special
modesty, ²⁴ while our presentable parts need no special treatment.
But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the parts
that lacked it, ²⁵ so that there should be no division in the body, but
that its parts should have equal concern for each other. ²⁶ If one part
suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part
rejoices with it.

²⁷ Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of
it. ²⁸ And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second
prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of
helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues. ²⁹ Are all
apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work
miracles? ³⁰ Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do
all interpret? ³¹ Now eagerly desire the greater gifts.