

Welcome to Community Presbyterian Church!

JANUARY 22, 2023

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

10:00 A.M.

Welcome to this Sacred Time and Holy Place of Worship.

Quote for Meditation: *“For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.”* - I Corinthians 1:18

GREETING and PASSING OF THE PEACE

Karen Wilson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Chris Scrivens

PRELUDE:

“Jacob’s Ladder”

arr. G. Martin

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Karen Wilson

One: Loving God,
through your Son you have called us to repent of our sin,
to believe the good news,
and to celebrate the coming of your kingdom.

**All: Like Christ’s first apostles,
may we hear his call to discipleship,
and, forsaking old ways,
proclaim the gospel of new life to a broken world;
through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, Amen**

* Opening Hymn: #463

“How Firm a Foundation”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Karen Wilson

We have heard it said, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind.” Loving God, we confess how often we have fallen short of the commands, We confess our pride, our arrogance, our sense of privilege and our assumption that the things we say and do are pleasing in your sight when we know in our hearts they are not. Forgive us God of Grace, and help us to set our hearts on you. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Karen Wilson

*Sung response: #581

“Gloria Patri”

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

CHILDREN’S TIME:

Rev. Chris Scrivens

Children will be dismissed to Sunday School following the children’s message.

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Psalms:

Psalm 27:1, 4-9 OT pg. 476

Karen Wilson

Gospel:

Matthew 4:12-23 NT pg. 3

Rev. Chris Scrivens

Response:

One: This is the Word of God.

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Rev. Chris Scrivens

***HYMN: #738**

“O Master Let Me Walk with Thee”

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

MOMENT FOR MISSION

John Hellriegel, Stewardship & Finance

CALL FOR THE OFFERING –

Karen Wilson

OFFERTORY:

“Walk with Me”

arr. P. Liebergen

Senior Choir

***HYMN OF DEDICATION: #708**

“We Give Thee But Thine Own”

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Karen Wilson

PRAYER REQUESTS

Rev. Chris Scrivens

PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD’S PRAYER (debts)

Rev. Chris Scrivens

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.

FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

***CLOSING HYMN: #724**

“O Jesus I Have Promised” verses 1-3

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Chris Scrivens

SENDING HYMN: #727

“Will You Let Me Be Your Servant” verse 4

All

I will weep when you are weeping; when you laugh I’ll laugh with you.

I will share your joy and sorrow till we’ve seen this journey through.

POSTLUDE:

“In Christ There Is No East or West”

arr. G. Martin

**Please rise in body or in Spirit.*

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Participating in today's Worship and Fellowship are . . .

Minister: Reverend Christopher W. Scrivens
Lay Assistant: Karen Wilson
Director of Family Ministries: Elder Carolyn Bearlepp
Music Director: Matt Petrozelli
Guest Organist: Vicki Kopacka
Ushers: Kathleen and Shea Torgersen
Fellowship & Refreshments: Janet Lindstrom, Michelle Scrivens

Welcome to our In-person and virtual Worship Service. Our church members are asked to introduce themselves to any visitors or members they do not know and introduce visitors to us. Please join us for Fellowship and Coffee following the worship service.



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