

Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian Church
Sunday July 28, 2024

Prelude


Welcome

Mark

Announcements

Phyllis

Preparation for Worship: "All the Way My Savior Leads Me"

 This hymn tune was composed by Dr. Robert Lowry (1826-1899), a Baptist pastor, who was the son of Irish immigrants who settled in Philadelphia. Our hymnal features this hymn on page #505, complete with the touching lyrics of blind poet Fanny Crosby (1820-1915).

Call to Worship:

God created all things visible and invisible.

God provides for us with abundance and blessing.

God is able to accomplish abundantly more than we can ask or imagine.

God's gifts encourage us and bless us.

Let us worship God.

Opening Prayer

***Hymn #405**

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

*Invitation to Confession and Repentance

*Unison Prayer of Confession

Holy God, you uphold those who are falling. You raise up all who are burdened and overwhelmed. Therefore we confess our sin, both things we have done and things we have left undone, both things we have said and things we have left unspoken. We pray with every confidence that you will open your hands to us in an embrace of forgiveness and love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. . .

(A time of silent prayer will be kept).

*Assurance of Forgiveness

***Gloria Patri #734**

Responsive Reading Lesson: Psalm 145: 10-18

All your works praise you, Lord;
your faithful people extol you.

**They tell of the glory of your kingdom
and speak of your might,**

so that all people may know of your mighty acts
and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

**Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,
and your dominion endures through all generations.**

**The Lord is trustworthy in all he promises
and faithful in all he does.**

The Lord upholds all who fall
and lifts up all who are bowed down.

**The eyes of all look to you,
and you give them their food at the proper time.**

You open your hand
and satisfy the desires of every living thing.

**The Lord is righteous in all his ways
and faithful in all he does.**

The Lord is near to all who call on him,
to all who call on him in truth.

Our Family Time

Joys, Concerns and Prayers

Musical Offering

“The Truth I’m Standing On“

Erica Duffy

Scripture Lesson: Ephesians 3: 14-21

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Sermon Series: The Miracles of Jesus: Which one do you need?

*Affirmation of Faith: The Heidelberg Catechism, Question 21

Question: What is true faith?

Answer: **It is not only a certain knowledge by which I accept as true all that God has revealed to us in his Word, but also a wholehearted trust which the Holy Spirit creates in me through the Gospel, that, not only**

to others, but to me also God has given the forgiveness of sins, everlasting righteousness and salvation, out of sheer grace solely for the sake of Christ's saving work.

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***Doxology #34**

*Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

***Hymn #345**

"Jesus Calls Us o'er the Tumult"

*Benediction: Ephesians 3: 20-21

*Closing Hymn: "Closing Song" (*see screen*)

Postlude: "I Believe In Miracles" John Peterson

Leading Worship:

Rev. Dr. Mark Englund-Krieger, Pastor
Linda Clark, Music Coordinator/Organist
Phyllis Smith, Duty Elder

(*Those who are able, please stand)

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