

PCN WORSHIP ORDER

*As we enter, let us quietly prepare to worship God.
Please silence all cell phones so that we might have a reverent service.*

10:00 a.m.

July 20, 2025

PRELUDE

Art Maramba

WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Adam Smith

CHORAL INTROIT

"Christ In Me Arise"

COMMUNITY CALL TO WORSHIP

Ray Shanahan

L: Great is our God and greatly to be praised!

P: The whole earth reflects God's power and might.

L: When we recall the wonders of God's creation....

P: We rejoice at the awesome complexity of it all.

L: Lord, you have brought us up from fear to hope.

P: Let us worship and praise God for all God's faithfulness.

OPENING PRAYER

***HYMN #324**

"Open My Eyes That I May See"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Sydney Fletcher

Prayer requests will be collected at this time.

Sunday School is taking a break for the summer and will resume in August. Nursery care is available for children ages birth to 3.

LAYING DOWN OUR BURDENS

U: Merciful Lord, we know that you want the best for us. It must really disappoint you when we fail to be the kind of devoted followers that you need. You know of the needs in this world and the capability that we have of meeting those needs and bringing words of hope and healing through actions of compassion and justice. Yet

**Please stand as you are able.*

we are hesitant in our commitment to you and to ministries of peace. We want good things to happen. We just aren't sure that we are up to the tasks you set before us. Forgive us when we so easily doubt your call, your presence, and your abiding love. Lift us up from lives of self-pity and self-centeredness, and bring us to you with hearts filled with joy, praising you for opportunities to witness to your love in our service to your people. Heal us and restore us, for we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS

***PRAISE RESPONSE** "Glory Be to the Father"
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Wayne Anderson

GOD'S WORD READ Luke 9:51-62

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED "Shifting Our Perspectives"

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "Here I Am, Lord"

PRAYERS WITH AND FOR ONE ANOTHER

U: 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.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERING

OFFERTORY Art Maramba

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, all creatures here below
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT FOR COMMUNITY

***CLOSING SONG** "Open the Eyes of My Heart"

*SENT TO PUT FAITH IN PRACTICE

L: Let us go into the world

U: To be the church

L: A beacon of hope

U: Reviving the world through God's love. Amen.

***MUSICAL BENEDICTION** "We Will Go Out With Joy"

***PASSING OF THE PEACE** – *as you exit the sanctuary, you are invited to share the peace of Christ with your immediate neighbors by saying, "The Peace of Christ be with you."*

POSTLUDE



There will be a short congregational meeting immediately following worship, followed by a farewell luncheon for Pastor Adam and family.