

## 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.

January 11, 2026

### PRELUDE

### WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Tony Stiff

**CHORAL INTROIT** “Help Us Accept Each Other” PCN Music Ministry

### COMMUNITY CALL TO WORSHIP

Tammi Jester

L: Love is patient, love is kind; through love, God restores us.

**U: Love does not envy, it does not boast, love is not proud.**

L: You have received a new song, a song of love, that teaches you that you are the beloved of God.

**U: We are the beloved of God, praise God! We are called to live as the beloved, to restore all people through God’s love.**

### OPENING PRAYER

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE** – *You are invited to share the peace of Christ with your immediate neighbors by saying, “The Peace of Christ be with you” and then by responding to the peace they extend by saying “And also with you.”*

### \*OPENING SONG

“Teach Us Your Ways”

### CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Sydney Fletcher

***Prayer requests will be collected at this time.***

*Children are dismissed to go to Sunday School. (Sunday School is available for ages birth to 3 in the nursery/room 2; Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade in room 1, high school in the couch room. **Parents/Guardians, please pick up your child/ren from their classrooms directly following the worship service.**)*

*\*Please rise in body or in spirit.*

### LAYING DOWN OUR BURDENS

(All) Loving God, we are broken as creation itself is broken. Along with creation, we groan for redemption. We long to feel whole and complete. Our love is, like our lives, fragmented, in need of repair. Remind us that we are the beloved of God, and that our neighbors who are made in Your image are also the beloved of God. Make us instruments of Your peace, restoring all we meet through Your love, we pray. 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**      Ray Shanahan

**GOD’S WORD READ**      Hebrew Scripture – Song of Songs 2:4-6  
New Testament – Colossians 3:12-14

**GOD’S WORD PROCLAIMED**      “Love’s Restorative Embrace”  
Song of Songs 2:3-7

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC**      “Beautiful Things”

**PRAYERS WITH AND FOR ONE ANOTHER**      Pastor Tony  
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**      Pastor Tony

### 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. Amen.

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**      Pastor Tony

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MOMENT FOR COMMUNITY

**\*CLOSING SONG**      “We Gotta Love”

### \*BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE



*Each Sunday we encourage you to join us from 11:15 a.m. to 12 p.m. on the patio or in Trevitt Hall for coffee, conversation, and fellowship.*