

WELCOME TO WEST SIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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January 21, 2024

10:30 AM TRADITIONAL SERVICE

PRELUDE/WELCOME/*CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP/OPENING PRAYER

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good. **God's steadfast love endures forever.** Present your bodies as a living sacrifice. **This is our spiritual worship.**

Let us pray:

Faithful God, You are the hope of all the oppressed, and the source of freedom for those held captive. Make us strong to witness Your liberating power, in generosity of life and in humility of spirit, that all the world may delight in Your goodness. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN #478

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God our Redeemer, we confess that we remain captivated by sin. We fall short in our love for You, forgetting Your gracious acts. We fail in our love for one another, forsaking our neighbors in need.

Forgive us, God of grace. Let us be no longer bound by sin, but released, restored, set free to worship and serve You in freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

KYRIE

Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

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.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 3:3-16

PSALM 146:5-9

Refrain:



SERMON God's Heart, Our Call

Rev. Liz Junod
*Please stand

*HYMN #332 Live Into Hope TRURO

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

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ANTHEM Let Us with a Gladsome Mind Alan Ridout

Let us with a gladsome mind praise the Lord who is so kind: for God's mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

Let us blaze God's name abroad, for of gods He is the God: for God's mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

God, with all commanding might, filled the new-made world with light: for God's mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

God the golden tressed sun caused all day its course to run: for God's mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

The horned moon to shine by night, mid her spangled sisters bright: for God's mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

All things living God does feed, with full measure meets their need: for God's mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure. Amen.

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN #276 Great Is Thy Faithfulness FAITHFULNESS

CHARGE AND BLESSING

CHORAL RESPONSE Thou Hast a Work for Me to Do R. Walker Robson

Thou hast a work for me to do, O Lord, show it to me.

Thou hast a place for me to fill, give me grace to fill it to Thy glory.

Thou hast given me a soul to make: make Thou it for me.

And build me into Thy spiritual temple, for Jesu's sake. Amen.

POSTLUDE

Please join us for fellowship in the Narthex following the service.