

The Service for the Lord's Day
25th Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 a.m

November 14, 2021

Prelude

When Morning Gilds the Skies

H. Leroy Baumgartner

Welcome

Call to Worship

from 1 Sam. 2:1-2

Let our hearts exult in the Lord;

All: our strength is exalted in God.

Let our mouths be ever fixed in praise.

All: God has given us the victory.

There is no Holy One like the Lord.

ALL: There is no Rock like our God. Let us worship God!

Hymn 712

As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought

FOREST GREEN

CONFESSION

Call to Confession

Trusting in the grace of God, let us confess our sins against God and our neighbors.

Prayer of Confession

O God, we have failed to help those who have little while we have much. We are boastful and haughty, and fail to appreciate the gifts you have given. Our arrogance has led us away from your righteous way. Forgive us and lead us to a humble path, for Jesus' sake. Amen

Declaration of Forgiveness

People of God, Jesus Christ, who gave himself once and for all, forgives and saves. Therefore, be reconciled to one another, holding fast to the confession of our hope:

in Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Hymn 583

Gloria, Gloria

GLORIA (TAIZÉ)

PROCLAMATION

Time with the Children

Prayer for Illumination

Almighty God, speak your Word to us, and guide our feet, that we might be hearers and doers of your word.
Amen

Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 1:4-20

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

“Hannah's Hope”

The Rev. Emily Berman D'Andrea

RESPONSE

Hymn 709

God, We Honor You

ABUNDANT BLESSINGS

Affirmation of Faith

A Brief Statement of Faith

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Community Life and Offering

Let us pray...

Prayer of Dedication

Dear God, we offer these gifts back to you. Multiply them so that they might help build up your kingdom on earth. All glory, praise, and honor are due to you, now and forever. Amen

Hymn 694

Great God of Every Blessing

AURELIA

Benediction

Postlude

Improvisation on FOREST GREEN

T. Andrew

We give thanks to God for the life of Velma Killion who entered into fullness of life in the presence of our Lord on Wednesday, November 10, 2021, and who now knows blessed rest. Velma, who was shy of 100 years old, died peacefully at her home in Asbury Village. Velma has been a member of Potomac Presbyterian Church for over 50 years. The prayers, love and support of our community are with her family. Cards may be sent to her daughter, Jane Killion Irvine, 35986 Tarpon Dr, Lewes DE 19958

We celebrate the following birthdays:

11/14 - Rob Trenkamp

11/15 - Daniel Jablonski

11/18 - Amanda Kuhn

11/19 - Max May, Jackie Tillson

11/20 - Roman Conway, Corinne Davies, Bryan Eng, Lauren Eng, Lance Ramsey

If we are missing your birthday, please contact Jeanne Grillo at admin@potomacpresbyterian.org.

We continue to keep in our prayers: *Members of the Armed Forces and their families; Ruth Andrew, mother of Tom Andrew; David Boyd; Minam Chi, mother of Jung Lawrence; Peggy Coco, sister-in-law of Penny Boyd; Bill and Marye Cotton; Elliot Friedman, husband of Betsey Rudnic Friedman; Naomi & Bob Gerwin, sister and brother-in-law of Marcia Boogaard; Dave Gorman, son of Nancy Tietjen & brother of Beth Rudnic; the Hartzog family; Gloria Leber; Hyun Lee; Bill Malone; Karen Ruan; Nettie Propps; Kent & Kaden Renolds, son and grandson of Nelda Coligan; Cam Sanders, nephew of Marcia Boogaard; Millie Rowan; Bob Stow.*

If you would like to be added to the prayer list, please contact Pastor Emily at emily.dandrea@potomacpresbyterian.org or call the church office at 301-299-6007.

Names will remain on the prayer list for six weeks, unless otherwise requested.