

The Service for the Lord's Day

11:00 a.m.

January 28, 2024

Prelude

Ebenezer Tune

Arr. Marianne Kim

Welcome & Prayer

**Call to Worship*

Psalm 111

Let us give thanks to the Lord with whole hearts.

All: Great are the works of the Lord!

Glory be to the One whose wonders are to be remembered.

All: Great are the works of the Lord!

The Lord is gracious and full of compassion.

All: Great are the works of the Lord!

The Lord feeds the righteous with truth.

All: Great are the works of the Lord!

God's praise endures forever.

**Hymn 450*

Be Thou My Vision

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Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

All-powerful God, who commands all spirits, comforts those in distress, and casts out destructive forces, we confess that we are unable to do your will. We protect what is familiar and reject what is unknown. We admire those with courage but excuse ourselves when we falter from the truth. We forget that you are always with us, and that with you all things are possible. Forgive us, lead us, make us new. Remove our desire to heed false prophets, and show us your way; in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Declaration of Forgiveness

God who made us and knows our every thought hears us now and redeems through Jesus.

Leader: Hear and believe the good news that comes from God.

ALL: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**Hymn 127*

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

WE'LL WALK IN THE LIGHT

Passing the Peace

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

Time with the Children

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings

Psalm 111

Mark 1:21-28

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"A New Teaching"

The Rev. Emily Berman D'Andrea

**Affirmation of Faith (Chris)*

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God,, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit the Lord the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

Choral Anthem

You Are My All in All

by Lloyd Larson

Prayers of the People and 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

**Hymn 744*

Arise, Your Light Is Come!

FESTAL SONG

Benediction

Benediction Response 543

O Christ Surround Me

GREEN TYLER

Postlude

Stand Up, Stand up for Jesus

by George Webb
Arr. Frederick Seann



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We celebrate the following birthdays:
1/23 - Jeanie Bissey; 1/28 - Chandler Kuhn, Lena Strawther
1/29 - Christian Yingling; 1/31 - Max Pettway
2/1 - Bernie Curry, Heather Davies
2/2 - Jackie Cronin; 2/3- David Boyd, Barry Henderson

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; the family of Alan Elliott, cousin of Kathryn Berkenpas; Jill Asman and Deb Ellman, friends of Marcia Boogaard; John Clouse; Chip Crater; Margaret Fahs; Naomi & Bob Gerwin and Ronnie sister and brother-in-laws of Marcia Boogaard; Dave Gorman, son of Nancy Tietjen & brother of Beth Rudnic; Diane Gregg; Doug Henderson; Camille Kendall; Chris Kent; Bill Malone; Dick McClain, friend of Jack Smith; Sally O'Neal; Nettie Propps; Ann Rooney, mother of Julie McMahon; Gerald, friend of Ed Rudnic; David Sheron, son-in-law of Bob Stow; Paddy Simpson; Felicity Tembunde, mother of Vera Tembunde; Nancy Tietjen; Danny, friend of Goff/Sohl family.*

Prayers for all in the path of war in Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, and Artsakh. We pray for peace.

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.



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We are an active Christian community devoted to worship that stirs the soul, education that engages the mind, and service that sends us into the world.

This Week at Potomac Presbyterian Church

MONDAY 1/29 12:00pm Faith, Hope, and Lunch

TUESDAY 1/30 11:00am Staff Meeting
7:00pm Accounting Meeting

WEDNESDAY 1/31 10:00am Bible Study
2:00pm Handbell Choir
7:30pm Choir Practice

THURSDAY 2/1 4:00pm Faith, Hope, and Coffee

**The church office is open from 9:00am to 4:00pm, Monday through Thursday.
The office is closed on Fridays and Saturdays.**

The staff and officers of Potomac Presbyterian Church welcome you to worship today:

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The Session

Moderator, Rev. Emily Berman D'Andrea Chidi Obasi, Clerk of Session

Class of 2024

Jon Davies, *Worship**
Bob Karch, *Endowment*
Louise Plumb, *Personnel/Memorial Garden*
Tracy Talbot, *Mission**

Class of 2025

Jackie Cronin, *Christian Ed*
Chris Cyrway, *Property**
Tom Hougen, *Mission*
Beatrice Laryea, *Worship*

Class of 2026

David Boyd, *Property*
Michelle Chikezie, *Christian Ed**
Kitty Cowie, *Personnel**
Lloyd Smith, *Finance **

The Deacons

Moderator, Janet Dunlop Congregation Care Chair, Beth Sherfy

Class of 2024

Ann Eagleson, *Fellowship*
Allan Kamara, *Congregational Care*
Brad McAuliffe, *Fellowship*
Sharon Shively, *Fellowship**

Class of 2025

Daniel Chombo, *Congregational Care*
Melissa Grigorian, *Congregational Care*
Suzi Henderson, *Fellowship*
Robert Whittlesey, *Fellowship*

Class of 2026

Marcia Boogaard, *Congregational Care*
Alison Cassidy, *Congregational Care*
Janet Dunlop, *Fellowship*
Alex Shalaby, *Congregational Care*

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