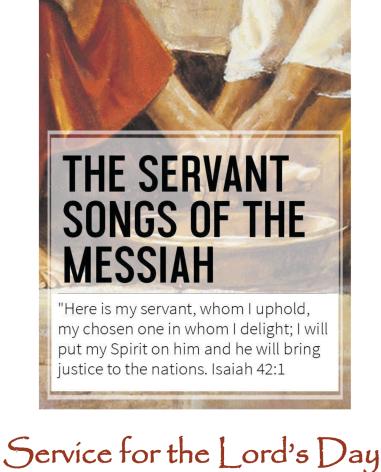
Safe Harbor

Presbyterian Church



October 20, 2019

The Gathering

At the tolling of the bell, please quietly prepare your heart for worship.

Welcome and Announcements

† Call to Worship

Leader: Children of God, why have you come to this place?

People:

We depart from the cares of the world to enter a holy space. People: Leader: What do you seek in this Sanctuary of the Lord?

We seek the will of God, we search for the peace of Christ. People:

Leader: How do you prepare your heart and mind? We pray, we will confess our sins, we will give praise, we will sing. People:

Where will you seek wisdom? Leader:

All: We are here to strengthen the body of Christ and to serve the King-

dom. We are here to worship God, the Alpha and Omega.

† Prayer of Adoration from Psalm 121 (Unison): We lift our eyes to the moun-

We will read the Word and we will hear it preached.

tains. Our help comes from the Lord, maker of heaven and earth. God will not let our foot slip. The Almighty watches even our slumber and is alert always. The Lord watches over us, and will keep us from all harm. The Lord watches over our life, both now and forevermore. As His children we are filled with joy and wonder and give Him praise and love. Amen. †Hymn of Praise: # 192 Shine, Jesus, Shine **Prayer of Confession** (*Unison*): Dear God, giver of all blessings, source of all that is

good, forgive our lack of wonder and appreciation. You have given us this life and

the way to life eternal. You have provided our salvation and endless love in the gift and sacrifice of Your son, the Christ. He is the bringer of justice and the prince of peace but we often live in a manner that ignores Him. We act as though we do not have faith. We worry, fret, and put our personal concerns first. We act as though there is no Christ to follow, or no Christ to serve, or no Christ to carry us through this life and into the next. Please forgive us for those times when we forget or ignore His loving life and constant presence. Lord, please hear our silent prayers now... (Unison): Gracious and merciful God, lead us to live in a way that puts the loving servant first in our life, so that we may follow Him and serve as He did. Amen. †=If able, please stand Assurance of Pardon New Creations in Christ

The Word

Hymn of Preparation: # 452 Open the Eyes of My Heart

Our ears are open.

Listen for the Word of God.

†The Sharing of the Peace

Leader:

People:

Scripture:

Leader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

Isaiah 42:1-4

Sermon: Why a Suffering Servant?

Hymn of Response: #727 (vv. 1-5) Will You Let Me Be Your Servant?

Dr. Steven Walker

Response to Prayer: Hymn # 710 We Are an Offering The Offering

Prayer of Dedication

The Prayers

Call to Prayer: Hymn # 466 Come and Fill Our Hearts with Your Peace

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

The Sending † Hymn of Parting: # 616 Our God is an Awesome God † Charge and Benediction

†=If able, please stand

Where the love of Christ builds a harbor of acceptance, inspiration,

Welcome to Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church

Fellowship, service and joy. You enrich our worship with your presence. If this is your first time here, please sign our guestbook.

If you have a prayer request, please put it in the offering plate or contact us.

Call or text 805.395.1521

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Liturgists' Coordinator

Patti Ropp

You are invited to our dinner fellowship "Table Talk" on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 5:30 pm

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Thank you!

Refreshments Lana Cochrun • Patti Ropp

WHEN WE SAY "WELCOME!", WE MEAN IT!