

Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church



Service for the Lord's Day August 11, 2019

The Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

† Call to Worship

Leader: It is the Sabbath and we are gathered in God's house.

People: **The Lord has given us this day.**

Leader: Since the beginning, the Lord provides.

People: **He is the source of all that is good. He is the giver of all blessings.**

Leader: All that we see, and all that we have are given by the Lord.

People: **The Lord is good, the Lord is the source of love.**

All: **We come to give thanks. We come to pray. We come to share our blessings. We are here to worship our generous God and to give praise.**

† **Prayer of Adoration (Unison):** Dear gracious God: You have given us this life and You are at the beginning and the end of time. For our journey You have given us the Christ to be our shepherd, to be with us in storms and in the sun, to guide our path, to seek us when we are lost, to lift us when we fall and to keep us safe through all of time. We thank You for the good Shepherd and we pray that You will open our ears to hear his voice, tune our hearts to his love, and fill our action with his compassion. We pray that You will make us his grateful people. In his precious name we pray. Amen.

† **Hymn of Adoration # 701** *Lord, Prepare Me (2x)*

Prayer of Confession (Unison): God of mercy, You sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from You and turned aside from Your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy, O God, and forgive us. (Please take time for silent confession.)

(Unison): Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon *New Creations in Christ*

† The Sharing of the Peace

†=If able, please stand

The Word

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

Leader: Listen for the Word of God.

People: **Our ears are open.**

Scriptures: Matthew 5:1-12

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon: *Blessed are the Humble*

Rev. Steven Walker

Hymn of Response: # 804 *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*

The Prayers

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

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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

The Offering

Prayer of Dedication

The Sending

† **Hymn of Parting: # 295** *Go to the World!*

† Charge and Benediction

†=If able, please stand

Welcome to Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church

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

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Mentoring Pastors

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Musician

Deborah Farrand

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Patti Ropp

Leadership

Tom and Lana Cochrun

Monty and Julia Rice

Donavan and Patti Ropp

Michelle Costa

Jeff Rodriguez

Refreshments

Lana Cochrun • Patti Ropp

You are invited to our dinner fellowship "Table Talk" on the

1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 5:30 pm

If you would like to support the work of Safe Harbor Church financially:

Tax deductible checks may be made to Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church.

Thank you!

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