

Welcome to Worship We Are Glad You Are Here!

August 24, 2025 @ 10am



PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Prelude and Bells
Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

"I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you." Lord, thank you for your steadfast love in Jesus Christ. "I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit -- fruit that will last." As we worship you this day, draw us closer to you that we would bear much fruit. "This is my command, Love one another!" Apart from you, we can do nothing. Be with us now, equipping us for your purpose and for those you love. Amen.

*SONG OF PRAISE: "Everlasting Love"

*OPENING PRAYER

*OPENING HYMN: # 65 (Purple Hymnal) "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

CALL TO CONFESSION

Prayer of Confession

Lord, for where we have misused your creation and have misused one another, we confess. We ask for your forgiveness for where we do not bring peace to our relationships, to our homes, and to your creation. Your heavens declare your glory, and the skies declare your work, without use of words. May we be slow to speak and quick to listen. May we be quick to praise and slow to correct. Guard our hearts and our minds as we communicate your peace to the ones you've created.

Time of Silence for Personal Confession Confession Song: "Create in Me a Clean Heart"

Assurance of God's Grace

*GREETING ONE ANOTHER
Passing the Peace
CHILDREN'S TIME

*PRAISE RESPONSE : "All Who Are Thirsty"

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING 1: Jeremiah 17: 5-8 (page 1201) SCRIPTURE READING 2: Revelation 22: 1-7 (pg.1938)

MESSAGE: Pastor Rachel

"A Tale of Two Trees: Fruit"

Music of Reflection
Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

*CLOSING HYMN: # 375 (Purple Hymnal) "Shall We Gather at the River"

Benediction

<u>Go Forth and Be the Light of Christ</u>

<u>to our Community!</u>

Please stand as you are able

PRAYERS FOR – Nona's Nephew (Jed), DIL (Tracy), and housekeeper's family, Tammy's neighbor Tom and nephew Christian, Brian Fisk (Laura's husband), Liz Williams, Margaret Flaherty, Susie Mellema, Ron Wastier, Warren and Janet, Chris Wesley's BIL (Michael) and Niece (Melissa), Donna's SIL, Greta Schindler, the Maher Family in Hillsboro and Ireland. Dennis Baker, Pat Ehresmann's family, Donna Hogan and Chris Stacey.

HAPPENINGS

<u>LIVE STREAM WORSHIP at 10am</u> – Worship happens "live" in the Sanctuary and online at hillsboroPres.org

Fellowship every Sunday after the conclusion of worship we meet in Fellowship Hall. Grab a cup and a cookie and join us in person for a time of fellowship together. Come and join us!



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<u>MINISTRY</u>. Although not all of us can physically meet, our spiritual connection depends on your contributions. Please continue your generosity. You can mail your check, bill-pay through your bank or HPC Online Giving. Scan this QR code to donate.





Choir starting September 3rd



We practice on Wednesdays at 6:45 pm



ASSISTIVE LISTENING We have visual and hearing devices available at the Deacons table for those who would like to use them. Please be sure to sign them out from the clipboard available and turn them back in at the conclusion of the service.



FREE WI-FI: If you need a WI-FI connection, you are welcome to use it.