

Welcome to Worship We Are Glad You Are Here!

World Communion Sunday

October 1st, 2023 @ 10am



PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Prelude and Bells

GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome & Reading of Psalm 67 Lighting of Christ Candle & Call to Worship

*SONG OF PRAISE

"My Redeemer Lives"

*Prayer of Adoration

*OPENING HYMN: # 6 (Green Hymnal)
"This is My Father's World"

TIME OF CONFESSION

Call to Confession
Corporate Prayer of Confession
Time of Silence for Personal Confession
Confession Song
"We Remember You"
Assurance of Forgiveness

*GREETING ONE ANOTHER

Passing The Peace of Christ and Blessing the Children

*PRAISE RESPONSE
"Take My Life"

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Prayer of Illumination

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

1st Scripture Reading: **Luke 1: 26-38** (pg. 1588) 2nd Scripture Reading: **Matthew 1: 18-25** (pg.1497)

MESSAGE:

Pastor Brian Craker

"Miraculous Birth"

Sermon Series: "I Believe: Study of the Apostle's Creed"

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

SPECIAL MUSIC: Choir Quartet
"One Bread, One Body"

TIME OF COMMUNION

World Communion: Invitation to the Table The Apostles' Creed Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

THE BREAD OF LIFE & CUP OF SALVATION

Please come forward to receive the elements.

**All elements are Gluten Free

PRAYER OF BLESSING

TAKING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING OF SELF & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*CLOSING HYMN: # 98 (Green Hymnal)

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Go Forth and Be the Light of Christ to our Community!

HAPPENINGS

LIVE STREAM WORSHIP at 10am - Worship happens "live" in the Sanctuary and online at HillsboroPres.org



FELLOWSHIP HOUR

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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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.

Today's flowers were provided by Greta Schindler.



Choir Practice Wednesdays at 6:45pm.









ASSISTIVE

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 our HPC guest networks.