#### November 16, 2025

#### **GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE**

GATHERING MUSIC Be Still My Soul

WELCOME

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Jesus Christ is a lamp to our feet,

People: And a light to our path.

Leader: In Jesus Christ, there is no guilt;

People: Only renewal, grace, and transformation.

Leader: Teach us the joy that comes in learning about you, oh

God.

People: We come to grow, to learn, to worship, and to

discover God.

\*OPENING PRAYER

\*SHARING GOD'S PEACE

\*HYMN #12 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God,

You have placed your Spirit upon us to guide us in this world. Yet, we confess that we are led by our own pride and make decisions that will only benefit us. By your grace, we pray you would renew our hearts and lead us back to You. We know there is no condemnation for those in Jesus Christ, for Jesus Christ has set us free. Amen.

Leader: Let us continue our confession together in silence.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: Beloved in Christ, great stories remind us that even in the darkest chapters, light breaks through. So it is with God's story of grace. In Jesus Christ, mercy overcomes judgment, love rewrites endings. Know you are forgiven and be at peace!

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

### **LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD**

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

**FIRST READING** 

**Romans 8:1-11** 

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God

ANTHEM Thy Word

SECOND READING

Psalm 119:105-112

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God

**SERMON** 

SILENT REFLECTION

#### **RESPONDING AS GOD'S PEOPLE**

\*HYMN #415 Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Eagle River Presbyterian Church - Submit a Prayer

OFFERING German Dance

Eagle River Presbyterian Church - Give/Pledge/Donate

\*DOXOLOGY

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

**GOING IN GOD'S NAME** 

\*CHARGE AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE Thy Word

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## Eagle River Presbyterian Church

# Christmas Pageant

## 4:00PM Children's Service Christmas Eve

Seeking participants: please sign up at the table in the narthex. All ages welcome. For more info contact Emma Kate Lander elander@erpc.org

Wednesday November 26, 6-7pm
Loaves and Fishes
Thanksgiving Eve Free Community Dinner
Seeking sides and desserts
Sign up in the narthex or on our website
erpc.org



Hanging of the Greens
Sat. Nov. 29th at 10 am
Come help decorate the sanctuary
for the holiday Season.
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