

John Knox Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day

July 20, 2025



GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

**Those who are able, please stand*

PRELUDE

***INTROIT: HYMN 12** *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise, v. 1*

ST. DENIO

*Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 103:1-4

Bless the Lord, O my soul!

All that is within me, bless God's holy name!

Bless the Lord, who forgives all our sins and heals all our diseases,
who redeems our life from the Pit
and crowns us with steadfast love and mercy.

Bless the Lord, O my soul!

***HYMN 630**

Fairest Lord Jesus

CRUSADERS' HYMN

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Psalm 130:1-6

Trusting God's mercy,
let us confess our sin together,
praying responsively.

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord.
Lord, hear my voice!

**Let your ears be attentive
to the voice of my supplications!**

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,
Lord, who could stand?

**But there is forgiveness with you,
so that you may be revered.**

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,
and in God's word I hope;

**My soul waits for the Lord
more than those who watch for the morning,
more than those who watch for the morning.**

Silent Confession

***LORD, HAVE MERCY**

***Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy; Christ have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.***

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Psalm 130:7-8

God's people, hope in the Lord!
For with the Lord there is steadfast love,
and with the Lord is great power to redeem.
It is the Lord who will redeem us from all our iniquities.

**We claim this promise of God's love:
In Jesus Christ we are freed and forgiven!**

***RESPONDING IN PRAISE**

Hymn 582, v.1

Sing twice

***Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.***

LIFE AND WORK AT JOHN KNOX

At this time, K3s, K4s and K5s are invited to join Children's Church on the Nursery Hall for a time of learning and fun. Parents, please pick up your children there after the worship service.

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Genesis 12:1-4a
Pew Bible p.8

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Acts 16:6-15
Pew Bible p. 900

The grass withers, the flower fades,
The Word of our God will stand forever.

SERMON

"Following God's Direction"

Gordon Turnbull

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed
Hymnal p. 35

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory

*Doxology

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

GO IN GOD'S NAME

***HYMN 307**

God of Grace and God of Glory

CWM RHONDDA

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: HYMN 549**

SOON TI

May the Love of the Lord

May the love of the Lord rest upon your soul.

May God's love dwell in you, throughout every day.

May God's countenance shine upon you and be gracious to you.

May God's Spirit be upon you as you leave this place.

POSTLUDE

Worship Team

Campbell Ballard
Justin Cazel
Bobby Mock
Carter Rief
Rob Wright

Grace Berardo
Jacob deMaine
Lillian Pelletier
Caroline Robertson

Mark Britt
Susan Felton
Carol Phillips
Gordon Turnbull

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