



PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 11, 2024

12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "C" arr.

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Watch what God does: mostly God loves us.

**We would learn a life of such love so we might do as God does.**

Watch how Christ loves us: not with caution, but with extravagance.

**We would practice such lavish love, not noticing what it costs us.**

Watch how the Spirit loves us: moving in us, breathing love into us.

**We would live such love for others, keeping company with God.**

\*OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" # 645

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**We break your heart, God of all the world, by the respectable lives we lead. Blessed by you with every gift, we practice thrift towards others. Seeking to be good and proper Christians, we overlook you in the company of the poor, the oppressed, those without a voice. We choose to spread gossip about our friends and neighbors, when we could speak gently to them. Forgive us for the pain we cause you and other people, Grieving God. Help us to make a clean break with those habits which keep us from wholeness. Open us to the movement of your Spirit within us. Feed us with the Bread of Life, so we might have the love and passion to feed the world. This we pray in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*GLORIA PATRI # 583

PIANO SOLO "The Lord Is My Shepherd Medley" Carol Young arr. Wyrzten

CHILDREN'S CHAT

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT I Kings 19: 4-8

NEW TESTAMENT John 6: 35, 41-51

SERMON "Being Fed"

\*HYMN "When Peace Like a River" # 840

\*APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Our offerings are a sign of gratitude. Let us join together and sing our praise to God from whom all blessings flow.

\*DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" # 608

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

\*HYMN "I, the Lord of Sea and Sky" # 69

\*CHARGE AND BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE

\* Please stand if you are able.

We welcome to the pulpit today, Ken Lynch

TODAY 9:30 AM Worship  
TUESDAY 10:00 AM Mission  
THURSDAY 11:30 AM Bible Study  
SUNDAY 9:30 AM Worship

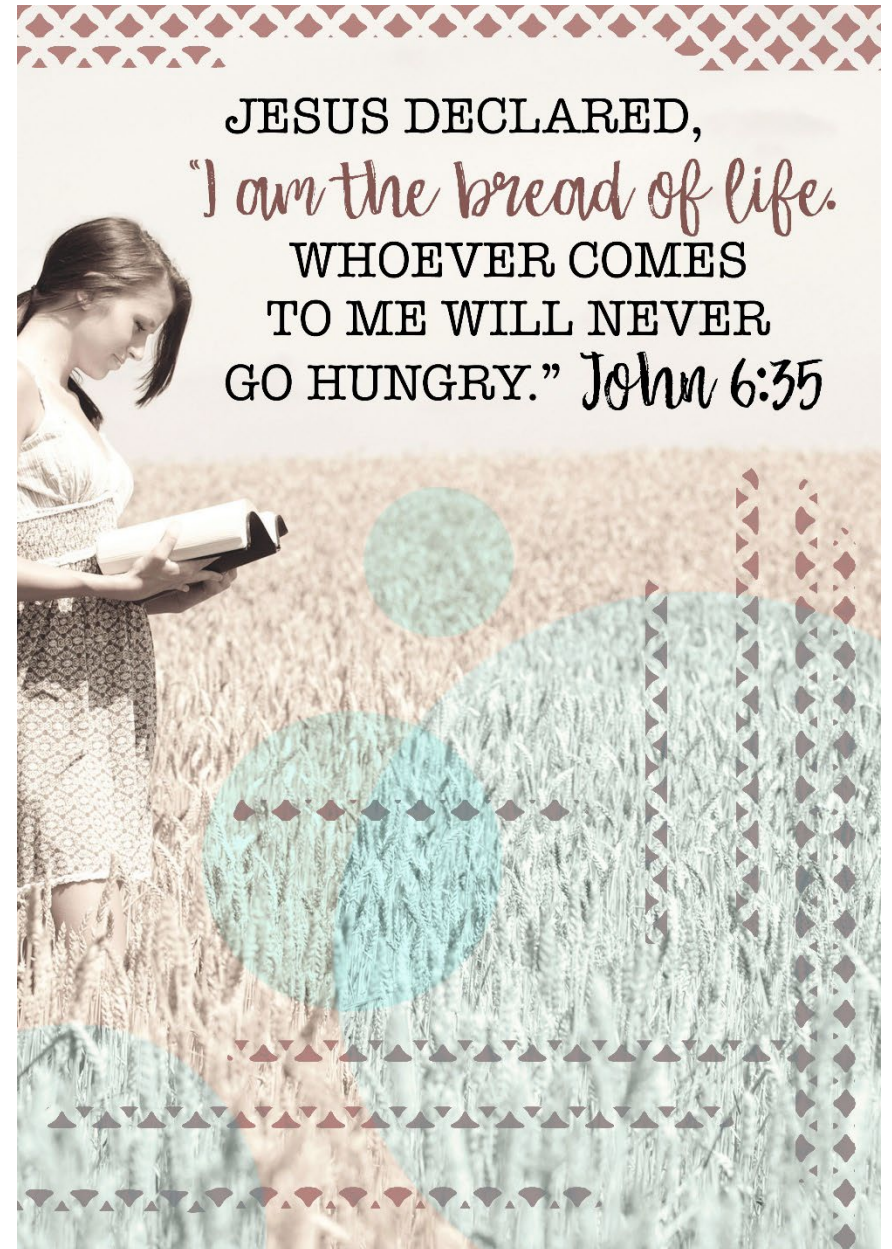
Prayer: Marsha Hansard, Becca L, Randy Cave, Cathy Rupp, Randy Hansard, Cheryl Dodson Liturgist: Jim, Abby, Izzy Nursery: Devany

This morning we welcome Bonnie DeLozier to our staff as our new Nursery Supervisor. Bonnie will be available during Worship hours the rest of the summer then in the fall she will be available during Sunday School and Worship hours. Even if you don't have children in the nursery, please reach out to make her feel welcome.

Offering boxes are available in the back of the sanctuary. Prayer cards are available in the pews; they are collected during the Children's Chat.

Anyone interested providing "Special Music" for our summer worship should contact a member of the worship team.

We are hosting a Clothing Giveaway on Saturday, September 14 from 8 am to 12 pm. We are asking you to donate gently used clothing and shoes. Donations may be placed anytime in the Bell practice room downstairs. Sizes from infants to adults are needed since families come in all shapes and sizes. Our local teachers have shared the desperate need our community children have for adequate footwear. To help with this need, we have partnered with Super Shoes of Altoona. They are providing us with 20% off discount coupons for those who can purchase new shoes. These coupons are available in Fellowship Hall. We will mark these coupons with our church name and size information for boy or girl so we get a variety to give away.



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