

THE LORD'S DAY EVENING

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | WORSHIP IN WORD & SACRAMENT

August 17, 2025 | 6:00 P.M.

THE HYMN SING

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE CALL TO WORSHIP

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE NO. TH15.....“Stand Up and Bless the Lord”

*THE PRAYER OF ADORATION & LORD'S PRAYER

*THE CONFESSION OF FAITHThe Nicene Creed (page 846)

THE LAW OF GODEphesians 4:1-7

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of Christ's gift.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord, the great and awesome God, You are righteous, but today we are covered with shame, because we have sinned against You. Though You are merciful and forgiving, we have turned away from You, we have rebelled against You, and have refused to obey Your good and perfect commands.

O Lord our God, who brought Your people out of Egypt with a mighty hand, and who made a name for Yourself that endures to this day, let not Your anger fall upon us. Turn to us and hear our prayer and forgive us, showing us Your grace and mercy. For Your sake, O God, do not delay, because Your Church and Your people bear Your Name.

THE SILENT CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDONRomans 5:1-2

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

*THE PSALM OF THE MONTH NO. 138“With All My Heart” (pages 4-5)



1. ¹ With all my heart my thanks I'll bring, Be - fore the
 2. For You have mag - ni - fied Your word, So far a -
 3. ⁴ All kings of earth will thank You, LORD; They'll sing when
 4. ⁶ The LORD, al - though ex - alt - ed high, On low - ly



gods Your praise I'll sing. ² I'll bow down toward Your
 bove Your name a - dored. ³ You an - swered me the
 they have heard Your word. ⁵ The LORD's ways they will
 ones will keep His eye; But those who proud and

ho - ly place, And praise Your name for truth and grace;
 day I called, You strength - ened me and made me bold.
 cel - e - brate; The glo - ry of the LORD is great.
 haugh - ty are, He knows them on - ly from a - far.

5. ⁷Through trouble though my pathway be, 6. Your right hand, LORD, will set me free
 My life You will preserve for me; ⁸And work out what pertains to me.
 With outstretched hand You will oppose Your love, O LORD, forever stands;
 The wrath and anger of my foes. Leave not the works done by Your hands.

THE SCRIPTURE READINGEzra 8:1-8 (p. 367)

THE SERMONAwakening

A. Hunger (vv. 1-2)

B. Provision (vv. 3-6)

C. Clarity (vv. 7-8)

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 247“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”
 THE LORD’S SUPPER

*THE PSALM OF THANKSGIVING NO. 117“Praise Jehovah, All Ye Nations!” (page 4)

*THE BENEDICTION

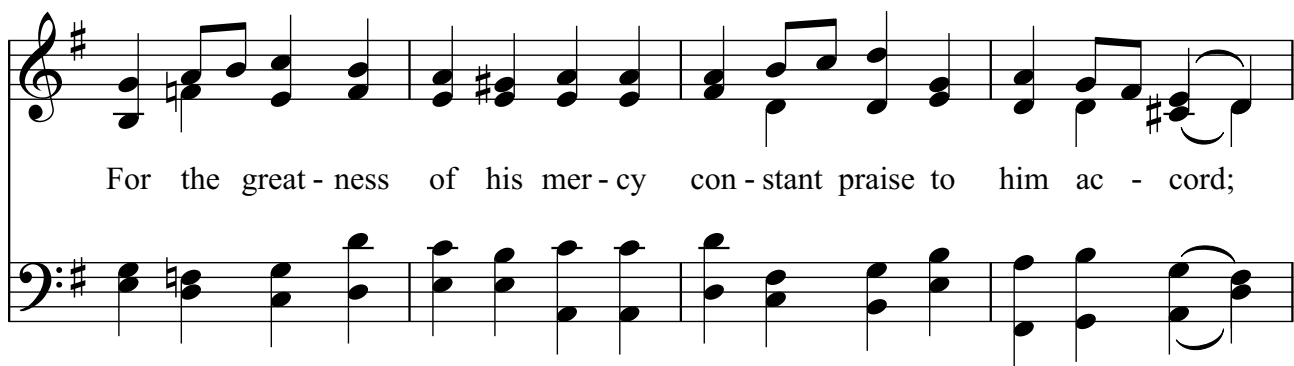
*THE RESPONSE NO. 733“The Doxology”



¹Praise Je - ho - vah, all ye na - tions, all ye peo - ple praise pro - claim;



²for his grace and lov - ing - kind - ness O sing prais - es to his name.



For the great - ness of his mer - cy con - stant praise to him ac - cord;



ev - er - more his truth en - dur - eth; hal - le - lu - jah, praise the Lord!