

Presbyterians Sharing Sunday

September 24, 2017, 10:30am



Armour Heights Presbyterian Church

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Piano prelude: Sonata Op. 49 no. 2

Beethoven

Welcome & Announcements

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Sharing Peace with One Another:

The Peace of Christ be with you all;

And also with you

Time of Silent Prayer

Asking God to open our spirits to listen and receive as we worship.

Worship Theme

Call to Worship:

Now the word of the Lord came to Jonah... saying... go at once to Nineveh... But Jonah set out to flee... from the presence of the Lord. (Jonah 1:1-3)

We come to church as those who often run away from things we should do.

We come to church as those who are afraid of facing certain challenges.

We come to church searching for faith and courage, hope and second chances, love and forgiveness.

ALL: Let us worship a God who is calling to us, together!

***Processional Hymn: For the beauty of the earth**

No. 434

Prayers of Approach, Confession & The Lord's Prayer

Anthem: Almighty and Everlasting God

Orlando Gibbons

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

***Children's Hymn: Who made the earth and the heaven** **No. 339**

Children's Time
Food Collection

Introducing our Scripture Readings

Old Testament: Jonah 1:1 – 2:10 (page 859) Reader: Barbara Thomas

We are listening, O God;

Speak to us.

Anthem: Whispering Hope

Alice Hawthorne, arr. B. Nasmith

Sermon:

A STORY IN FIVE PARTS

Time of Silent Meditation

What is God speaking to you?

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

***Hymn: In suffering love**

No. 696

Gathering of Offerings:

Duet: Praise, Adoration

Bruce Nasmith

Soloists: Anna Bateman & Radostina Borisova

*Presentation & Dedication of Offerings:

We give thee but thine own,

What e'er the gift may be;

All that we have is thine alone,

A trust, O Lord from thee.

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Pastoral Concern

***Hymn: Let all things now living**

No. 338

*Benediction

Choral Amen

Organ postlude: Fugue in D minor

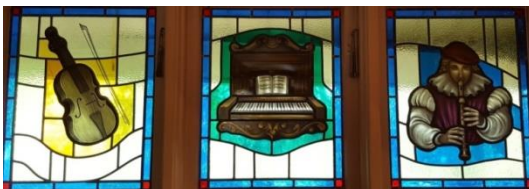
J. S. Bach

THIS WEEK

TODAY	Presbyterians Sharing Sunday/Food Collection during worship Christian Education, after worship Worship & Music, after worship
Mon. Sept. 25	Senior Exercise, 10:30am
Mon. Sept. 25	Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting, 1:00pm
Wed. Sept. 27	Senior Exercise, 11:15am

LOOKING AHEAD

Oct. 1	World Communion Sunday
Wed. Oct. 4	Fall study begins, 7:30pm, (see announcement)
Oct. 8	Thanksgiving Sunday
Oct. 15	Holistic Health & Healing Focus Sunday
Tues. Oct. 17	Lunch & Learn: Special speaker on "The Changing Seasons of Dementia." (see announcement)
Oct. 22	Special Time with the children during worship/ Lunch fellowship outing following service (see announcement)
Oct. 27-29	Women's retreat (speak to Linda or Gillian for more info)
Oct. 29	Reformation Sunday 500 th Anniversary/Food Collection during worship
Fri. Nov. 3	Intergenerational event: Dinner, followed by smudging ceremony led by an indigenous elder, and the "blanket exercise" led by staff of our PCC Justice Ministries. 6pm-9pm. Child care will also be provided.
Nov. 5	Remembrance Sunday
Nov. 12	Anniversary Sunday



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