

The Youth Group will head to Fishery Park after Morning Worship for a light lunch, a short meeting, and tennis. *Friends are welcomed and encouraged!*

The Scripture readings for Sunday, October 11 are:

Isaiah 25:1–9

Psalm 23

Philippians 4:1–9

Matthew 22:1–14



Erwin Presbyterian Church
P.O. Box 530, Erwin, TN 37650
October 4, 2020
Holy Communion

Welcome and Announcements

Stan Webster, Minister

Prelude “Old Hundredth” (*Walther*)

*Responsive Call to Worship (*Psalm 80*) *Darlene Chambers, Liturgist*

Restore us, O God of hosts; let your face shine, that we may be saved.

**You brought a vine out of Egypt;
you drove out the nations and planted it.**

Turn again, O God of hosts; look down from heaven, and see;

have regard for this vine, the stock that your right hand planted.

Let your hand be upon the one at your right hand,

the one whom you made strong for yourself.

Restore us, O Lord God of hosts;

let your face shine, that we may be saved.

*Hymn “All People That on Earth Do Dwell”

**All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell.
Come ye before Him and rejoice.**

**To Father, Son and Holy Ghost,
The God whom heav’n and earth adore,
From earth and from the angel host
Be praise and glory evermore.**

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Almighty God, our heavenly Father: We have sinned against you, through our own fault, in thought, and word, and deed, and in what we have left undone. For the sake of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive us all our offenses; and grant that we may serve you in newness of life, to the glory of your Name. And now, dear Lord, hear the prayers deep within the silence of our hearts

The Declaration of Forgiveness

*“Glory Be to The Father”

*The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Musical Meditation “I Call to the Thee, Lord Jesus Christ” (*J.S. Bach*)

Congregational Reading Philippians 3:7-14

Whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ.

More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord.

For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith.

I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own.

Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Prayer for Illumination

The Written Word Matthew 21:33–46

The Spoken Word “Tenants in God’s Vineyard”

Prayer of Supplication & Intercession and The Lord’s Prayer

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

*Hymn “Christ for the World We Sing”

**Christ for the world we sing; the world to Christ we bring
With loving zeal;
The poor and them that mourn, the faint and overborne,
Sin-sick and sorrow-worn, Whom Christ doth heal.**

**Christ for the world we sing; the world to Christ we bring
With one accord;
With us the work to share, with us reproach to dare,
With us the cross to bear, For Christ our Lord.**

*Benediction

*Postlude “Old Hundredth” (*Walther*)

**Please stand, as you are able.*