

ORDER OF WORSHIP

SEPTEMBER 27, 2026

Prelude "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" Mindy Smith

Welcome Rev. Scott Nowack

Please sign and pass the black pew pad.

Gathering "The Lord Liveth " Senior Choir

*Call to Worship

Leader: Praise the Lord who is our provider.

People: The Lord is our hope. Our trust is in God.

Leader: God brought us out of bondage and has made us free.

People: The Lord is our hope. Our trust is in God.

Leader: Glorious are the deeds of our God, and mighty are his acts.

People: The Lord is our hope. Our trust is in God.

*Hymn of Praise "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"

Hymn # 81

Call to Confession Kathi Kinney

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, we have been wandering in the wilderness of sin. We have complained in the face of your mercy. We have been selfish and conceited in the face of your sacrifice. We have not done your will. Teach us humility. Teach us gratitude. Infuse your spirit into our beings so that we might be reconciled to you. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Time of Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

*Response of Praise "Glory Be to the Father"

Hymn #581

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also, with you.

Children's Focus Mary Bishop

Anthem "Come Now and Follow Me" Senior Choir

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings Exodus 17:1-7

Matthew 21:23-32

Sermon "If You Love Me, Then Prove It" Rev. Scott Nowack

Affirmation of Faith "Heidelberg Catechism" On Screen

Service Prayer Val Floyd

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Pastoral Prayer (with the Lord's Prayer)

Leader: . . . Lord in your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Announcements

*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Hymn #609

*Offertory Prayer

O God, use these gifts to do your will in the world and prepare us for your coming kingdom. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

*Closing Hymn "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

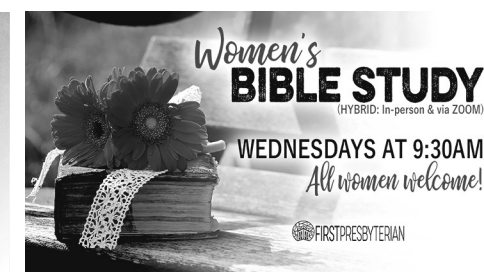
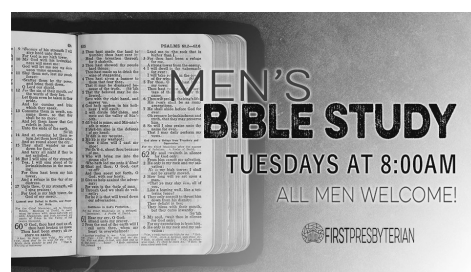
Hymn # 65

*Benediction Rev. Scott Nowack

Choral Benediction "The Lord Liveth" Senior Choir

Postlude "Sweet Hour of Prayer" Mindy Smith

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HOME BOUND: Larry & Helen Fox, Virginia McMannis, Wilma Miller.

IN A CARE FACILITY: Evelyn Rutherford at Heritage; Vivian Lowe at Bluebird, Tom Hurd at The Gables.