

# MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Interim Minister: Rev. Dr. Mark Chiang

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany

January 28, 2024

Duty Elder: Bill Lundie      Service Leader: Audrey Lundie

Musician: Sheryl Cale, Rosemary Brown

Scripture Reader: Audrey Lundie

\*When this symbol appears please stand if you are able

**Musical Prelude** – Time for Quiet Meditation

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME:** *Video*

## CALL TO WORSHIP

God's praise endures forever,  
**and eternity meets us in fleeting moments.**

God's praise endures forever,  
**and glory bursts into ordinary activities.**

God's praise endures forever,  
**and faith is steadfast in the midst of change and challenge.**

Let us worship the Eternal God who calls us to this time and place.

## PRAYER OF ADORATION

\***HYMN # 433:** *All creatures of our God and King*

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God,  
we confess there are many times we forget you.  
We focus on what troubles us and ignore the help you offer.  
We seek wisdom and meaning in the wrong places.  
In thoughtless moments,  
we harm the earth and each another.  
Forgive us.

Remind us to live each day focused on your purposes revealed in Christ who loves us.  
Amen.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**TIME FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART:** *Video*

\***HYMN # 177:** *Christ whose glory (Hymn of the Month)*

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**RESPONSIVE READING:** Psalm 111 (pg. 562)

**SCRIPTURE:** Mark 1: 21-28 (pg. 35)

**ANTHEM:** *Child of Peace*

**MEDITATION:** *Video*

## SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

**HYMN # 742:** *Lead on, O King eternal*

## WE GIVE TO GOD'S WORK

**PRAISE RESPONSE #830:** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow*

## \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\***PRAYER FOR OURSELVES & OTHERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

\***CLOSING HYMN # 641:** *One more step along the world I go*

\***Commissioning and BENEDICTION:** *Video*

\***SUNG BENEDICTION:** *Go now in Peace*

Birthday greetings this week go out to Mike Hofforth

Finances: \$25,248 (as at January 24, 2024)

Communion with Rev. Mark: February 11, 2024

Outreach Luncheon: February 17 from 11:30 – 1 PM

One License: Registration #A-607931(for music & podcast/streaming)

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