MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Interim Minister: Rev. Dr. Mark Chiang Transfiguration Sunday February 11, 2024

Duty Elder: Harold Magnus

Musician: Sheryl Cale, Rosemary Brown Scripture Reader: Stephanie Malthouse

*When this symbol appears please stand if you are able

Musical Prelude – Time for Quiet Meditation

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord Jesus, on this day when you revealed your glory to your disciples;

Reveal your glory to us.

As we gaze on the splendour of your love;

Help us to love you and our neighbours around us.

Emmanuel, Everlasting God, Prince of Peace

We worship you today, with all our hearts and our minds. Amen

PRAYER OF ADORATION

*HYMN # 64: Be still and know that I am God

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Forgiving God,

you call us to love each other regardless of our race, colour or creed, but we confess that we find it easier to hate those who do not look like us, share our religion, or our values.

We silently participate in unequal systems that are structured to negatively impact some groups of people, and benefit others on the basis of race prejudice.

You call us your church to be one, neither Jew nor Greek, neither bond nor free, neither male nor female. But we admit that your church is marked by

elements of hate and divisions.

Forgive us Lord, remove things that cause us to hate and distrust each other. Help us to follow the example our Lord revealed to us today, remind us of Jesus' love, mercy and compassion.

Make us instruments of your love and peace in our world today. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

TIME FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART

*HYMN # 205: O love how deep (Hymn of the Month)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 50 (pg 519) SCRIPTURE: Mark 9: 2-9 (pg 44)

ANTHEM: Love grows here

MEDITATION

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

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

WE GIVE TO GOD'S WORK

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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

*COMMUNION HYMN # 548: Let us break bread together

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

*CLOSING HYMN # 376: Lord, the Light of your love is shining!

*Commissioning and BENEDICTION

*SUNG BENEDICTION: Go now in Peace

Birthday greetings this week go out to Emily Blake & Levia Magnus

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

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

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