

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister: Rev. Dr. Mark Chiang

8th Sunday after Pentecost

July 19, 2026

Duty Elder: Shirley Tessmer **Service Leader:** Connie Madsen

Musicians: Donna Watson, Rosemary Brown

Scripture Reader: Marj Brown

*When this symbol appears please stand if you are able

Musical Prelude – Time for Quiet Meditation

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We gather in the presence of God;

All: We have come to worship and praise God's name.

One: We gather in joy and expectancy;

All: We have come to encounter God in beauty and wonder.

One: Speak, Lord, for your servants are listening;

All: Speak your word of life to us, O God.

PRAYER OF APPROACH

Passing of the Peace

***HYMN # 422:** *Sing a new song unto the Lord*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Ever present God, you know our inmost thoughts and see our thoughtlessness.

**We confess our impulsive actions and reactions
when we spoke before we thought, acted rashly and hurt others.**

**We confess our stubborn attitudes and ask forgiveness for refusing to
show mercy to others or to forgive.**

In your kindness, O God, forgive who we have been, amend who we are, and direct who we shall be through the grace of Christ, our Lord.
Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

TEACHING MOMENT

***HYMN # 746:** *What a friend we have in Jesus*

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 139: 1-11, 22-23 (pg 577)

SCRIPTURE: Genesis 28: 10-19 (pg 25)

***HYMN # 634:** *Will you come and follow me*

SERMON

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

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 # 675:** *Precious Lord take my hand*

***Commissioning and BENEDICTION**

***SUNG BENEDICTION:** *Go now in peace*

Birthday greetings this week go out to Alice Jepps.

Rev. Fiona will be presiding on August 9.

Camp Kannawin Service: August 30 (no service in Rocky). Bill Lundie organizing.
Golf carts available for transport.

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

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