

St. James Presbyterian Church
Online Service of Worship
June 14, 2020

GATHERING

WELCOME

INTROIT

Gilpin

The Wayfaring Stranger
Men's Trio

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: God invites us into his healing presence with these words:

All: "I am the Lord, who heals you."

One: Diseased, depressed, dysfunctional, defeated, we come hungering for health that only God can provide.

All: God calls us to bring open eyes, hearing ears, and tender hearts turned toward him, the Great Healer and Comforter.

One: We bow before God in faith.

All: We worship God in hope and love.

HYMN # 482

Lang

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

(silent confession of sin)

Lord, hear our prayers. ***Amen.***

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF PEACE:

One: Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

KIDS CHAT

Prayer of Illumination

Guide us, O God, by your Word and Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover your peace, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

FIRST READING

Old Testament

Psalm 82.

RESPONSE:

One: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Martin

The Journey
Men's Trio

SECOND "READING" (Cartoon Storytelling)

New Testament

Luke 10:25-37

SERMON

On The Road
Debby Madden

RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

HYMN #429

Taylor

Lord, You Give the Great Commission

AFFIRMATION ON FAITH

From the Confession of Belhar

*We believe that Christ's work of reconciliation is made manifest in the church as the community of believers who have been reconciled with God and with one another; that unity is, therefore, both a gift and an obligation for the church of Jesus Christ; that through the working of God's Spirit it is a binding force, yet simultaneously a reality which must be earnestly pursued and sought: that this unity of the people of God must be manifested and be active in a variety of ways; in that we love one another; that we experience, practice and pursue community with one another; that we are obligated to give ourselves willingly and joyfully to be of benefit and blessing to one another that we share one faith, have one calling, are of one soul and one mind; have one God and Father, are filled with one Spirit, are baptized with one baptism, eat of one bread and drink of one cup, confess one name, are obedient to one Lord, work for one cause, and share one hope; together come to know the height and the breadth and the depth of the love of Christ;
Amen*

PRAYERS OF PEOPLE & LORD'S 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.*

OFFERING

Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you all
that we have and all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only,
but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our
days into a living sacrifice to you, through our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.*

HYMN #540

God Be with You Till We Meet Again

Williams

CHARGE & BENEDICTION

HYMN #587

AMEN!