



Sunday, September 3, 2017 10:00
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Our Mission

The Presbyterian Church of Milford

Our response to God's call for us to show and share the presence of Christ in the world is our mission to:

Nurture—helping people to see God working in their lives, enabling them to respond to God's call for wholeness.

Encourage—supporting one another in our faith walk, together experiencing Christ on a deeper personal level.

Celebrate—Inspired by the Holy Spirit to learn, work, and play together in our faith, sharing our joy with the world.

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

Words of Welcome &
Announcements & Events in the Life of the Church_

PRELUDE

THE PREPARATION

CALL TO WORSHIP (Leader; ALL)

Leader: Let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to anger.

People: Let us welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save our souls.

Leader: Be doers of the word, and not merely hearers, so you may be blessed in all you do.

People: Pure religion is to care for orphans and widows and not to be stained by the world.

All: Let us worship God!

***SONG OF PRAISE:** #455 "All Creatures of Our God and King"

MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN

CALL TO PRAYER (Unison)

God of strength and might, we confess our neglect of salvation's armor. We have not girded our loins with truth. The breastplate of righteousness is tarnished by our lax behavior. Our feet are caked with mud from battles fought unshod by the gospel of peace. We have laid aside the shield of faith, and weakened our defense in a hostile world. Help us once again to don the helmet of salvation and to raise the sword of the word against the powers that oppose you, so that in all our struggles we may rely solely on your strength.

MOMENT FOR SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION & PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Page 16 - Hymnal

SONG OF THANKSGIVING #579

"Glory Be to the Father"

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

1st SCRIPTURE READING Song of Solomon 2: 8-13 pg 623 OT

2nd SCRIPTURE READING Mark 7: 1-8 pg 42 NT

RESPONSE

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Tradition" Rev. Dr. Linda Erkert Bullock

***SONG OF HOPE:** Insert "Arise, Shine" _

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** The Apostles' Creed Page 14 – Hymnal

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY #592 "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SENDING

***SONG TO SEND OUT:** #538 "Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing"

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Those who are able may stand

PASTOR

Rev. Dr. Linda J. Erkert-Bullock

ELDERS

John Austin (2017)
 Jeannie Coss (2017)
 Lizette Tynan (2017)

Ann Marie Austin (2018)
 Judy Moyer (2018)
 Charlie White (2018)

JR Beahm (2019)
 Marv Moyer (2019)
 Jef Betz (2019)

DEACONS

Laura Williams (2017)
 Heather Stanley (2017)
 Ed Coss (2017)

Jeremy Donaldson (2018)
 Sylvia Donaldson (2018)
 Stacey McGlothlin (2018)

John Leidy (2019)
 Jess Beahm (2019)
 John Patrick Tynan (2019)

STAFF

Parish Associate - Rev. Donna M. Doid
 Office Admin - Jody Leffler
 Bookkeeper - Gary Refsnider
 Sunday School - Ann Marie Austin &
 Jess Beahm

Clerk of Session - Jody Leffler

Greeters

September 3 - Dawn & Eric Heil
 September 10 - Eric Meissner
 September 17 - Tom & Deb Horvath
 September 24 - Ken & Berta Konegen
 October 1 - Marv & Judy Moyer

Counters

September - Heather Stanley & Marv Moyer
 October - John Leidy & JR Beahm
 November - Jess Beahm & John Austin

Fellowship

September - CE - Ann Marie Austin
 October - Music & Worship - Judy Moyer
 November - Communications - Charlie White

Communion Preparation

September - Ed Coss
 October - Heather Stanley
 November - Laura Williams

UPCOMING EVENTS

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September 2017

17th - Worship in the Park - bring your favorite pot luck dish - Service starts at 10:00 AM

23rd - Milford Alive - Volunteers Needed, please see Charlie White

October 2017

2nd - Annual Golf Outing
 15th - Miller Keystone Blood Drive