



Sunday, September 10, 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: Praise the Lord!

**People: Sing God's praise to the assembly of the faithful, for the Lord takes pleasure in the people.**

Leader: Let the faithful sing for joy.

**ALL: LET US WORSHIP GOD!**

#### **\*SONG OF PRAISE:**

#473 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

### **MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN**

#### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)**

Lord God, while we were still slaves to sin, you died for our salvation. Yet we still worship the false gods of the world, forgetting that you are Lord. Loving worldly wealth, we have not loved you with our whole heart nor loved our neighbors as ourselves. Trusting worldly strength, we have not trusted your word nor followed the Word-made-flesh. Forgiving by worldly norms, we have not shown mercy to others as you have shown mercy to us. Forgive us yet again, we pray in Christ's name.

### **MOMENT FOR SILENT PERSONAL CONFESSION**

### **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION & PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

#### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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#### **SONG OF THANKSGIVING #579**

"Glory Be to the Father"

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

**1st SCRIPTURE READING** Ezekiel 33:7-11 pg 802 OT

**2nd SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 18:15-20 pg 20 NT

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

**SERMON** "Where Two or More Are Gathered" Rev. Donna McDaid

**\*SONG OF HOPE:** #258 "Help Us Accept Each Other" \_

### 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

### SENDING

**\*SONG TO SEND OUT:** #438 "Blest Be the Tie that Binds"

### \*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 McDaid  
 Office Admin - Jody Leffler  
 Bookkeeper - Gary Refsnider  
 Sunday School - Ann Marie Austin &  
 Jess Beahm

**Clerk of Session** - Jody Leffler

**Greeters**

September 10 - Eric Meissner  
 September 17 - Tom & Deb Horvath  
 September 24 - Ken & Berta Konegen  
 October 1 - Marv & Judy Moyer  
 October 8 - Rost Family

**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**

Winter Coat Drive - warm coats, hats, gloves, **blankets** and sleeping bags are needed by the clients of the Cornerstone Soup Kitchen. Drop off in Fellowship Hall. Tell your friends!!!

**September 2017**

17th - Worship in the Park - bring your favorite pot luck dish - Service starts at 10:00 AM  
 20th - Milford Alive - Volunteers Needed, please see Charlie White

**October 2017**

2nd - Annual Golf Outing  
 15th - Miller Keystone Blood Drive  
 21st - Blessing of the Animals