

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY



LIKE A CHILD
MARK 10: 2-16

STOCKBRIDGE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OCTOBER 6, 2024

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PREPARE YOUR HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

PLEASE SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING WORSHIP

SETTING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

I'd Rather Have Jesus

George B. Shea

CHIMING

*HYMN OF PRAISE #614 Let There Be Peace on Earth

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Maretta Anrold-Franklin

One: We gather to worship, celebrating the boundless love of our Lord Jesus Christ,

Many: Who shines as the radiance of God's glory.

One: From the rising of the sun to its setting, we lift our voices in praise.

Many: God reigns over all the earth.

One: We join with Christians from every corner of the globe,

All: We unite in worship, giving thanks for the gift of Jesus by celebrating the bread and cup he shared. Amen.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO CONFESSION #482 Sanctuary

CONFESSION OF SIN

As members of Christ's Church today, we have become conscious of the fact that we are inheritors of a rich tradition. Our current concern with issues related to: economic justice, the total liberation of men and women from every form of oppression and exploitation and for peace as well as our current search for authentic responses to Christ as Lord over the whole of our lives has led us to a deeper understanding of the heritage delivered to us by the Ancestors of the Early Church in North Africa, In the Middle East, and Southern Europe. Help us to break through the bounds of sin of inaction, of not speaking up, of not thinking our voice is enough to spread peace. Help us to not be a stumbling block for others but to be a light in the world you created. (time of silent personal confession) Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning and now and ever shall be.

World without end. Amen. Amen.

PROCLAIMING AND ENACTING THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Stephanie Phillips-Ayoola

SCRIPTURE

Mark 10:2-16

Rev. Kristy Ray

SERMON

Like A Child

*HYMN OF RESPONSE For Everyone Born (insert)

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

ANTHEM

How Can I Keep from Singing sung by Linda and
Laura

arranged Ginger Littleton

BLESSING OF TITHES, GIFTS, AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below
Praise God above, ye heavenly host
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost
SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

COMMUNION HYMN Come to the Table of Grace (insert)

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Lift up your hearts.

P: We lift them to the Lord.

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

P: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

*An elder will pass the tray to you. We ask you to hold the element in prayer
until we all have one and take together.*

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD

*Africa – Otis East Asia and the Pacific – Maretta
Latin America- Andrea Caribbean – Sophie
Southern Asia – Lexie Middle East -Monica Andrea
Europe – Arlene North America- Pastor Kristy*

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.

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

***HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP** #600 In Christ There is No East or West

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

What A Friend We Have In Jesus

Charles Converse

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SPC

OCT - 11 - UKIRK FUNDRAISER AT MCDONOUGH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OCT 12TH- FAITH AND BLUE TAILGATE AND SOFTBALL GAME 10-12PM AT JP MOSELEY REC CENTER

OCTOBER 20TH-YOUTH FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON. MARK YOUR CALENDARS TO SUPPORT OUR YOUTH

THURSDAYS - 10AM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - WILL RECONVENE AT A LATER DATE TO BE DETERMINED.

**SUNDAY MORNINGS
COFFEE FELLOWSHIP 9AM IN FELLOWSHIP HALL
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:20**

**WIRED WORD WITH AARON ROBERTS
(IN PERSON AND ONLINE)**

THROUGH THE BIBLE WITH JEFFREY COCHRAN

PRAYER LIST:

Members: Joyce Andrews, Joel Bryant, Jean Bunker, Edna Fisher, Carolyn Francis, Lee Hart, Faith Heffernan, Jason & Phyllis Howard, Bob Johnson, James Mobley, Thelma Newsome, Stephanie Phillips-Ayoola, Sue Rogers & Family, Jane Rutledge, Judy Simmons, Sally Smith, Pat Stanley, Ward Gailey, Lin Gailey, Sandra Martin, Cathy Wegner, Collette Shedd, Jo Linda Ingram.

Friends & Family: David Ayoola, Lynne Barbagello, Lynnette Branch, Bill Cadwallader, Larry Clark, Ms. Crenshaw, Rev. Hugh and Becky Davis, Ken Day, Mr. Fenlon, Melissa Gilbert, John Ingram, Linda Leonard, Marida Lin, Marlene McClean, Betty Pickren, Kendall Phillips, Mark Stanley, Loan & Jack Szeto, Junior White, Annette Johnson Wickus, Betty Gailey (Ward's mom), Joy Leslie, Baby King, Tamara and Family, Karl Kesler (Shannon Huggins father), Barry Brock (Cathy Wegner's family), Emily Buttrell, Bill Paxton (Jolinda Ingram's brother), family of Stephanie Phillips Ayoola (passing of Aunt Jackie), Glenn Baker (Janna's Dad)

Bereavement: Peggy Chase (7/09/24) Erika Moxley (7/24) Dorothy Clark (8/10/24), Michael Bennett (April 24), Kim Seal (10/03/24)

REV. KRISTY RAY, PASTOR
SEPTEMBER HEAD ELDER: EARLINE SMITH
CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR: KELLI AUTREY

REV. MARETTA FRANKLIN, MINISTRY INTERN
MINISTERS: EVERYONE
ANDREA EMMEL, INTERIM MUSIC DIRECTOR