

## Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than on this "online" bulletin.

You may contact Rev. Ben Shaw or the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

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Prayer Concerns will remain for two weeks unless otherwise requested.

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## Sermon Notes

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## Welcome to OPC!

\*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.

Prelude

### GATHERING

Welcome

One: The Lord be with you

Many: and also with you.

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: We are pulled in many directions.

Many: Many duties and tasks seek to lay claim on our lives.

One: This day, in this place, let service to God be your choice.

Many: This day, in this place, we open our hearts and spirits to God.

One: Blessed be the God of creation who has called us here.

Many: Praise be to God who sustains and nurtures our lives.

One: Let us worship God.

\*Hymn ***Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*** #263

Call to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession

All: Ancient and eternal God, we confess that we have not revered you as you command. We have not served you in sincere or faithful ways, or been truthful and compassionate to the people around us. We have forgotten the things you have

done for us, and in forgetting we have sought meaning in the idols of our lives. Return us to you, O God. Help our households to serve only you, do only your will, and keep only your commandments. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

\**Silent Prayer*

\*One: Amen

\*Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri #579

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end, Amen, Amen.*

### THE WORD

Children's Moment

*(Children through kindergarten age may go to the nursery in the lower level)*

Prayer for Illumination

First Scripture Reading Matthew 5:13-16

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

Second Scripture Reading Joshua 24:1-15

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Rev. Ben Shaw

### RESPONSE

\*Hymn ***Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*** #478

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Offering

\*Doxology #592

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below, praise Him above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*Prayer of Dedication

### SENDING

\*Hymn ***How Firm a Foundation*** #361

\*Charge & Benediction

\*The Peace

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please share the peace with one another.

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