



Shelter Island Presbyterian Church

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22nd Sunday after Pentecost (Year B)

10:30 A.M. | Sunday, October 25th, 2015

Today's Texts:

Job 42:1-6, 10-17

Hebrews 7:23-28

Psalms 34:1-8 (19-22)

Mark 10:46-52

*(The worship service begins with the **prelude**. Let us silently prepare our hearts and allow others the same opportunity.)*

**We invite you to rise in body or in spirit*

Chimes

Prelude:

“I Love to Tell the Story”

arr. Gordon Young

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Introit:

“Let the Words of My Mouth”

Adolph Baumbach

***Call to Worship**

I will bless the Lord at all times,

Ps. 34:1-3

God's praise will continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the Lord,

let the humble hear and be glad.

O magnify the Lord with me,

let us exalt God's name together!

***Hymn No.**

“Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling”

***Invitation to Confession**

***Prayer of Confession**

Merciful God,

Job 42:3; Ps. 34:2

we have not been humble.

Mark 10:46-48

We have discouraged others from seeking you.

We have not sought your wisdom.

Forgive us, O God,

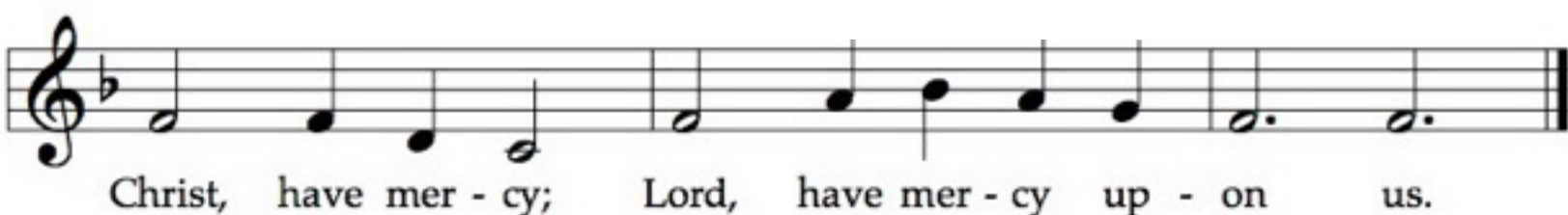
and teach us to boast only of you.

Help us to celebrate when others seek after you.

Give us the light of your wisdom and ways,

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Kyrie



*Assurance of Forgiveness

*Gloria Patri

Glory to God, No. 581

*The Peace

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, we also ought to forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

— Please greet those around you —

Prayer for Illumination

Dear God,
let us not only hear of you
but see you with our own eyes through your Word.
In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

First Reading Hebrews 7: 23-28

pew Bible pg. 238

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Anthem

“Every Day is a Gift From the Lord”

Don Besig

Second Reading Mark 10: 46-52

pew Bible pg. 48

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Sermon

Reformed, Ever Reforming

Elder Robert Baum

***Hymn No. 275**

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles’ Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty,
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

Call to Offering

The Offertory

“Come Thou Fount”

arr. Gordon Young

*****Please take a moment to fill out the friendship pads*****

***The Doxology**

Glory to God, No. 606

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

***The 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.**

*Hymn No. 618 “O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High”

*Charge & Benediction

Choral Benediction: “The Lord Bless You” Hal Hopson

Postlude “Thine is the Glory” arr. Gordon Young

Questions for Reflection

What can you do to bring someone to Christ? How can you help someone find his or her healing?

Household Prayer: Morning

Dear God, help me to follow after your ways as I go throughout my day.
Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Gracious God, thank you for keeping me covered throughout the day.
Grant me peace and rest in your safety. In Jesus’ name I pray. Amen.

Why I Pledge

William Anderson

I pledge to support the mission of this church both in house and in the community.

I pledge to support the physical building, fuel costs, maintenance and the essentials needed for the church’s operation.

The most important thing about pledging is that it gives the Budget & Finance committee an idea of our anticipated income.

Bill Anderson

Information About Today's Worship Service

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Thank you to our worship and fellowship leaders this morning!

Assisting : Dan Binder
Greeter: Susie Lange
Usher: Dana Hallman
Coffee Hour Host: Choir

Today's flowers are given by Webster Schott in memory of Susan Schott

A very special welcome to our guests! Worship bags with activities for children are available in the narthex. Please ask an usher and we'll be happy to help you. Please join us for light refreshments and fellowship after worship today in Fellowship Hall.

This week at Shelter Island Presbyterian Church:

Sunday, October 25	Worship	10:30 a.m.
Monday, October 26	Engaging the Text	9:00 a.m.
	Building & Grounds Meeting	5:00 p.m.
Tuesday, October 27	Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
Friday, October 30	AA	7:30 p.m.

Looking Ahead:

Sunday, November 1	Worship	10:30 a.m.
	Pot Luck Luncheon	

Pot Luck



Sunday, November 1st, 11:30 A.M.

Our November potluck this year falls on November 1st, which is All Saints' Day, a day when we celebrate those beloved family and friends that have joined the Church Triumphant! In that light, you are invited to bring a dish passed on to you by a loved one who has died. If you are so inclined, you are also invited to bring copies of the recipe to be shared with one another!

If your last name begins with A-M, you are invited to bring a side dish.

If your last name begins with N-Z, you are invited to bring a main dish.

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Linda Betjeman, Minister of Music

Karen Tudor, Administrative Assistant & Clerk of Session

Karin Bennett, Sexton

Session

Class of 2015

Lynn Franklin

Dan Binder

Chris Lewis

Class of 2016

Clarissa Tybaert

Ellen Gove

Laura Dickerson

Class of 2017

Hap Bowditch

Lee Anne Bastible

Laura Nelsen

Deacons

Class of 2015

Lynn Thomson

Alison Binder

Peter Vielbig

Class of 2016

Doreen McNemar

Colleen Smith

Charlotte Hannabury

Class of 2017

Rachel Brigham

Dana Hallman

Mark Switzer

Congregational Nominating Committee

Lee Anne Bastible, Carol Gray, Heather Reylek, Peter Vielbig

SIPC Prayer List

The nations in the Middle East, our planet, the men and women in the Armed Forces and our leaders. For Ashley Sanderson, Lindsay Ehrlich, Frank Catoe, Lisa Armour, Melissa Insinga, Audrey Trotman, Tara Chituk, Jill Tuttle Albiani, Sue Speeches-Caddle, Paul Speeches and Tara Connolly.

We will gladly list the names of any individuals in need of our prayers. You may share names with us by turning in a note from the pew or by calling the church office prior to Friday a.m. We will continue to list these names for 4 weeks and then they will be removed unless a specific request is made.