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And a highway shall be there, and it shall be called The Holy Way.

Isaiah 35:8

*The Holy Way Presbyterian Church brings the good news of Jesus
Christ to all God's people and faithfully follows the
Lord's holy way.*

THE HOLY WAY

Presbyterian Church



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A Stephen Ministry Congregation

July 10, 2016

"And who is my neighbor?"

Luke 10:29

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — WELCOME

PRELUDE *Spirit Song* by John Wimber

***INTROIT** *Come Sing, O Church, in Joy! (v.1)* #305

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (Psalm 30:1-3,5)

LEADER: A new day dawns: the Lord brings joy after sorrow,
new life after loss.

PEOPLE: **A new day dawns: the light of Jesus dispels the
darkness, love fills the empty track of fear.**

LEADER: We become new persons altogether-the past is
finished and gone.

PEOPLE: **Life becomes new and fresh. We rise to a new day,
trusting in the one who saves us: Jesus Christ.**

***HYMN** *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* #267

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, we are grateful for Your patience. We thought we'd be there by now. We hear again about the Good Samaritan. We compare our generosity to the widow's offering. We sound more like the older son than the patient parent of the prodigal. We delay our compassion; we sidestep our call. We fit in with the rest rather than standing out for courageous faith. Forgive our sins.

Patient Lord, set us back on track. Fill us with Your Holy Spirit. Give us wisdom to recognize the opportunities we have to serve You. May our deeds, our words, and our lives shine the love of Jesus Christ. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***RESPONSE** *Glory Be to the Father* #581

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER

A TIME OF GREETING

ANTHEM *Adoration* by Felix Borowski Samantha Thrush

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (After the message, children entering the 5th grade and younger are invited to attend Sunday School in the Ranch House.)

SCRIPTURE (NT p. 71) Luke 10:25-37

HYMN *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart* #688

SCRIPTURE (OT p. 855) Amos 7:7-17

SERMON "The Porous Neighborhood"

OUR CARES AND CELEBRATIONS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER *Amen* #601

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY *Simple Pleasures* Catherine Rollin

***DOXOLOGY** #606

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***HYMN** *Though I May Speak* #693

*BENEDICTION

***RESPONSE** *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

POSTLUDE *Go* by Leon Pastillo

* Please stand if you are able.

Announcements & Opportunities

July 10, 2016

Welcome to our Worship Celebration this morning!

We worship every Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. and offer Sunday School for school age children. **Help us get acquainted with you by filling out our attendance pad and our guest card!** Please join us for **refreshments** and fellowship at our Coffee Social Time in the Ranch House **following our service**. You will find sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the Ranch House for our upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings:

Amos 8:1-12

Luke 10:38-42

Our church strives to be fully accessible to all persons. The **first four rows** on the pulpit side of the sanctuary are designated "**Fragrance-Free.**"

Personal Receivers are available in the AV Room for those needing hearing assistance. **Any chair in our sanctuary can be moved** to make room for persons in **wheelchairs**—our ushers are ready to help. Recorded Audio Tapes are available in the AV Room after each service, and you can **listen to our sermons** online at www.holywaypc.org.

*****Remember the church in your will*****

- ✦ **This morning we celebrate** the reception of our newest member-Louis Parra.
- ✦ **Serendipity** will meet on Monday at 2:00 p.m. at Carol Hearn's House (3370 S. White Clay Loop).
- ✦ **Bible Study meets on Tuesday.** You are invited to join us for coffee and homemade snacks in the Conference Room at 9:00 a.m.
- ✦ **Our Stephen Minister Training** will skip this Thursday and resume next Thursday, July 21.
- ✦ **Our Congregational Life Outing** for July is a trip to Mt. Lemmon for lunch! Please mark your calendars for July 28 and stay tuned for more details.
- ✦ **It's that time of year again** when we prepare to meet the new class and hit the books! With your donations, AVMS can not only prepare but we can hopefully inspire the kids to want to do well in school. Our teachers greatly appreciate your generous donations, and our kids are thrilled to begin the school year with new supplies. Thank you in advance! -Wendy and the AVMS Team. Items we are collecting include:
 - notebooks,
 - pencils,
 - Kleenex,
 - hand sanitizer,
 - Crayola crayons,
 - colored pencils,
 - 2 pocket folders,
 - filler paper,
 - pencil sharpeners with catchers,
 - expo markers,
 - backpacks,
 - colored Xerox paper.

Calendar



Sun.	July 10	9:30 am	Worship, Sunday School
		6:00 pm	Alateen & Alanon Meeting
Mon.	July 11	9:30 am	Yoga
Tues.	July 12	9:00 am	Bible Study
		6:00 pm	Al-anon Meeting
Thurs.	July 14		No Stephen Ministry Today
		5:30 pm	AA Meeting
Sun.	July 17	9:30 am	Worship, Sunday School
		6:00 pm	Alateen & Alanon Meeting

SESSION:

Class of 2016	Sherri Atleson	Cong. Life, Mission, Worship
Class of 2016	Dee Ellis	Admin., Christian Ed., Deacons
Class of 2016	Sharon Groves	Clerk, Nominating Committee
Class of 2016	Mooneen Ringenberg	Mission
Class of 2017	Karl Allen	Christian Education, Worship
Class of 2017	Barbara Armbruster	Congregational Life
Class of 2017	Carol Hearn	Cong. Life, Finance, Mission
Class of 2017	Dennis Toresdahl	Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Tom Bernardo	Admin./ Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Ellen LaCroix	Mission
Class of 2018	Marcus Mattias	Christian Education
Class of 2018	Dudley Williams	Buildings & Grounds, Finance

PRAYER CONCERNS

Soldiers & Peacemakers – for their physical, mental, and spiritual health.

For a positive and faithful resolution to our broken immigration system.

All the unspoken prayer concerns.

Your prayers this week will give them the sustaining power we all need.
Please pray for them!

Lynn Allen – Health Concerns

Dick Canfield (Rich Marsch's uncle) – Health Concerns

Russell Criswell (Gwen's son) – Health Concerns

T.R. Ellis – Health Concerns

Julie Gonet – Health Concerns

Dave Malmberg – Health Concerns

Mary & Rich Marsch's son Bob – Health Concerns

Wendy Mattias' friend, Toni – Health Concerns

Doug Myers – Health Concerns

Lyle Olmstead – Health Concerns

Ann Parker – Hospice Care

Anita Parsil – Health Concerns

Dru Rope (Wanda Sterner's son) – Health Concerns

Charles Sayers – Health Concerns

Ann Toresdahl – Health Concerns

Our Prayer Chain is always available – contact Phyllis Crouthers at 578-8369 or Anita Parsil at 578-2410. If unable to reach Phyllis or Anita, you can email the church office at office@holywaypc.org.