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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

October 30, 2016

“Some people’s desires are truly audacious; they don’t do the right thing. But the righteous person will live honestly.” Habakkuk 2:4

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — WELCOME

PRELUDE *Holy Is the Lord* Woan Ching Lim (sub for Astrid)

INTROIT *Lord of All Hopefulness* (vs. 3) Chancel Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 119:89-90, 105, 114)

LEADER: Your word, Lord, stands firm in Heaven forever!

PEOPLE: **Your faithfulness extends from one generation to the next! You set the earth firmly in place, and it is still there.**

LEADER: Your word is a lamp before my feet and a light for my journey.

PEOPLE: **You are my shelter and my shield-I wait for Your promise.**

***HYMN** *Morning Has Broken* #664

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, as we enter into stillness, You speak silent words which reawaken faith. As we listen for Your grace, our hungers cease and trouble accepts peace. Our stillness is rare; our listening for Your grace is too infrequent. So easily distracted, unsure of our footing, uncertain about our future, we turn to You, our Good Shepherd.

May Your mercy speak forgiveness into strained relationships. May Your love speed healing into broken hearts. Speak Your life-giving Word in Jesus Christ: Your love will not let us go. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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

A TIME OF GREETING

ANTHEM *Holy Lord of All* Chancel Choir

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. 82) Luke 19:1-10

HYMN *How Lovely, Lord* #402

SCRIPTURE (OT p. 871,872) Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

SERMON “Wait; It Won’t Be Late”

OUR CARES AND CELEBRATIONS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER *Amen* #601

MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY *Spirit Song*

***DOXOLOGY** #606

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***HYMN** *Great God of Every Blessing* #694

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

*BENEDICTION

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

POSTLUDE *Praise the Lord*

*Please stand if you are able

Calendar



Sun.	Oct. 30	9:30 am After Worship 6:00 pm	Worship, Sunday School Congregational Meeting Alateen & Alanon Meeting
Tues.	Nov. 1	9:00 am 10:15 am 6:00 pm	Bible Study Finance Meeting Al-anon Meeting
Weds.	Nov. 2	4:00 pm	Girl Scouts
Thurs.	Nov. 3	8:00 am 5:00 pm 5:30 pm 6:15 pm	Men's Breakfast Bell Choir AA Meeting Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Sun.	Nov. 6	9:20 am 9:30 am After Worship 6:00 pm	Hymnsing Worship, Sunday School, Communion, & Food Bank New Members Class 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, Police, & First-Responders – for their physical, mental, and spiritual health.

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

Andy Thomas – our YAV serving in Asheville, NC

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

Barbara Armbruster – Health Concerns

DJ Blaine – Health Concerns

Marci Cary (friend of Toni Rivers) – Health Concerns

Russell Criswell (Gwen's son) – Health Concerns

Alex Diaz – Health Concerns

John Dunham – Health Concerns

Dee Ellis' sister, Phyllis, – Health Concerns

T.R. Ellis – Health Concerns

Julie Gonet – Health Concerns

Wendy (friend of Carol Hearn) – Health Concerns

Laurie LaCouture – Health Concerns

Dave Malmberg – Health Concerns

Wendy Mattias' friend, Toni – Health Concerns

Peter McNew (son-in-law of Madeline Cokeley) – Health Concerns

Doug Myers – Health Concerns

Lyle Olmstead – Health Concerns

Mooneen Ringenberg's daughter, Carol – Health Concerns

Charles Sayers – Health Concerns

Dionicio Valenzuela (Alfonso's Brother) – 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.

Announcements & Opportunities

October 30, 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 Reading:

Haggai 1:15b-2:9

Luke 20:27-38

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 **read our sermons** online at www.holywaypc.org.

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

Bible Study meets on Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. We continue our study of God's covenants in the Old Testament.

- ✦ **Monday morning Yoga** has been temporarily postponed. Barbara Armbruster is not able to teach Yoga now and all of November due to illness.
- ✦ **The Finance Committee** will meet Tuesday, at 10:15 a.m.

- ✦ **Prayer Shawl Ministry** will meet Tuesday, at 10:30 a.m. in the Ranch House.
- ✦ **The Men's Breakfast** will resume on Thursday, 8 a.m. at Little Mexico Steakhouse, on Valencia and Cardinal.
- ✦ **If you have garage sale items** you'd like to donate to the **Linus Project** group at Copper Crest, please let Carol Hearn know at 395-0381. A pick-up is available for large items. Proceeds from the sale will be used for fabric and notions to make blankets for the Linus Project. The sale is Saturday, 11/5, so time is short!
- ✦ **We are pleased to announce** that we have two Sunday School teachers who will share Sunday teaching duties: Kathy Walsh-Americanano and Christa Cooper.
- ✦ **Next Sunday**, we will have our hymnsing at 9:20 a.m. We will also celebrate the Sacrament of Communion and receive your non-perishable food items for Food Bank Sunday. We will also remember those Saints who have joined the Church Triumphant in the past year.
- ✦ **Next Sunday**, after worship, in the library of the Ranch House, we will have a **New Members Class**, to learn more about one another, The Holy Way Presbyterian Church, and the Presbyterian Church (USA). We hope you will join us!
- ✦ **The Mission Committee** will meet on Monday, November 7, at 6 p.m. at the home of Ellen LaCroix.
- ✦ **Our Stewardship Dedication for 2017** will be on Sunday, November 13. Letters and estimate of giving responses will be mailed this week.