



OCTOBER 17, 2021 AT 8:30 A.M.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EARLY SERVICE | 21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Gathering & Greeting

(moment for silent reflection)

Call to Worship

Hymn #467 | “How Great Thou Art”

Prayer of Confession & Forgiveness

○ Lord, we are so often like James and John, seeking seats of glory. We organize our lives around ladders to climb, not realizing that we are stepping on people whom you love. Forgive us, ○ Christ, and teach us to follow in your way of humble service and self-sacrifice. Pour out your mercy upon us, wash us clean, and restore us to the joy of your salvation. We ask this in your holy name. Amen.

Sharing of the Peace

The peace of the Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you all!
And also with you!

Scripture Readings | Isaiah 53:4-12 | Mark 10:35-45

Message: *Chutes and Ladders*

Offering #320 | “The Church of Christ in Every Age”

Prayers of the People & 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 #299 | “You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim”

Blessing