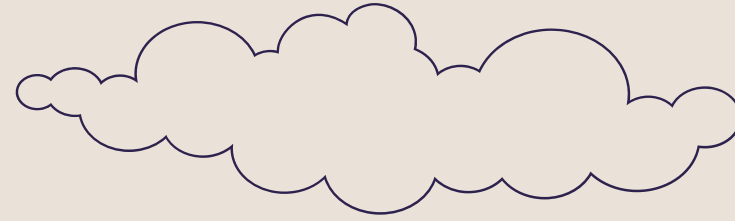




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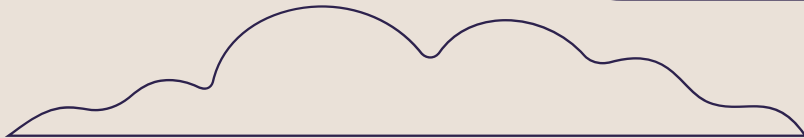
The Sound of the Shofar calls us to worship




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**God bless
you**

WELCOME

Welcome to the United Presbyterian Church
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OPENING PRAYER

God of mercy, grant that the Word you speak this day may take root in our hearts and bear fruit to your honor and glory. We pray in the mighty and holy name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

<i>Task</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Date</i>
<i>2025 Lenten Study</i>	Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday @7:30 via Zoom.	Wednesday and Thursday from 6:30 pm - 7:15 pm Zoom.
<i>Morning devotions</i>	Morning devotions are held Mon-Fri @ 6:00 am via Zoom.	Monday-Friday, 6 AM
<i>Midweek Service</i>	The midweek service is Thursday @ 7:30 pm via YouTube.	Thursday, 7:30 PM
<i>Annual Pledge</i>	There is still time to submit your annual pledge in person or online.	

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

How shall we worship the Lord?

We shall worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness – in spirit and in truth.

What shall we say about the Lord?

The Lord is great and greatly to be praised.

How wide and deep is the Lord's love for us?

God's love is immeasurable – deeper than the ocean, higher than the heavens, and from everlasting to everlasting.

How shall we approach the Lord?

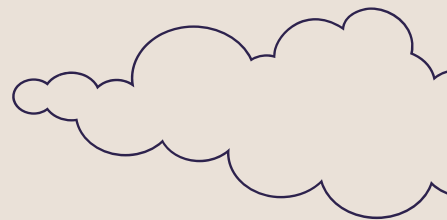
We will enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise.

What shall we say to the Lord?

This is the day You have made. We will rejoice and be glad in it.

What shall we say about our love for and faith in the Lord?

Our souls cling to You; Your right hand upholds us. Praise Your glorious name, Lord!



OPENING HYMN

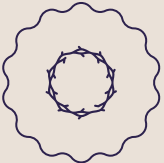
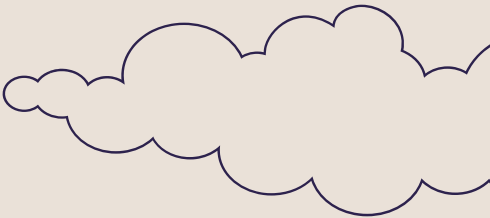


Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty



SCRIPTURE READING

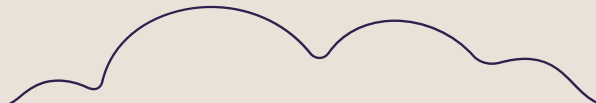

Everyone who thirsts come to the waters. And you who have no money come, buy grain, and eat. Come buy milk without money or cost, and accept it as a gift from God. Why do you spend money on something that is not bread and your earnings on something that is not satisfying? Listen carefully to Me, eat what is good, and let your soul delight in abundance. Listen to Me and come to Me. Hear, so that your soul may live, and I will make an everlasting covenant with you, according to the faithful mercies promised and shown to David.



**Isaiah
55:1-3**

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

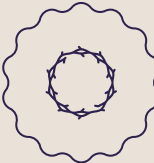


I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven 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
Apostles'
Creed**

SCRIPTURE READING

Seek the Lord while He may be found. Call on Him for while He is near. Let the wicked leave behind their way and the unrighteous person their thoughts. Let him return to the Lord, and He will be merciful, for He will abundantly pardon.



**Isaiah
55:6-7**



**Let there
be light**

CALL TO

PRAYER



PRAYER OF PETITION

Almighty God, grant us the grace to be grounded and settled in your truth by the indwelling power of the Holy Spirit. Reveal the knowledge and grant us the wisdom we lack. Forgive our sins. Create in each of us a clean heart and a righteous spirit. We pray in the mighty name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.



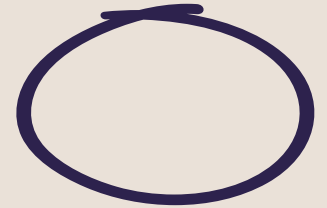
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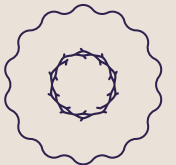
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PASSING THE PEACE



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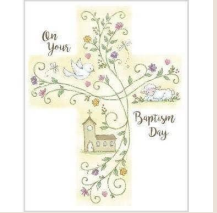
MORNING REFLECTION

CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP





JOYS AND CONCERNS







PASTORAL 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 away
from temptation and deliver us
from evil. For thine is the
kingdom, the power, and the
glory, forever Amen.**



THE LORD'S PRAYER



**WORSHIP
THROUGH
GIVING**





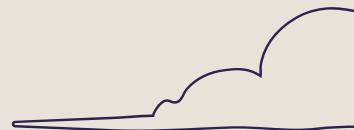
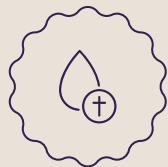
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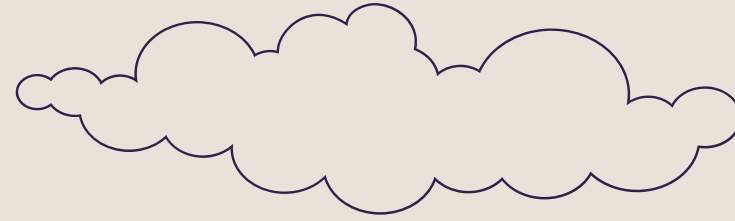
Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing



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THE BENEDICTION





CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Amen

**Persevering
builds Strength**

