

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 14, 2025

14th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *"Goin' Home"* Wopsononock Winds Dvoiak

*CALL TO WORSHIP

I bless the Lord, who gives me counsel; in the night also my heart instructs me.

I keep the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.

Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices; my body also rests secure.

For you do not give me up to Sheol or let your faithful one see the Pit.

Let us worship God!

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN *"Praise My Soul, the God of Heaven"* # 619

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in your our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your son.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI # 583

SPECIAL MUSIC *"Wade In The Water"* African American Spiritual
Wopsononock Winds

CHILDREN'S CHAT

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

FIRST READING Psalm 119: 33-40

SECOND READING Matthew 5: 17-20

SERMON

"Back to School"

*HYMN *"Thy Word is a Lamp unto My Feet"* sing 2X's # 458

*APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"* # 608

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN *"How Firm a Foundation"* # 463

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

*POSTLUDE *"Radetzky March"* Strauss

* Please stand if you are able.

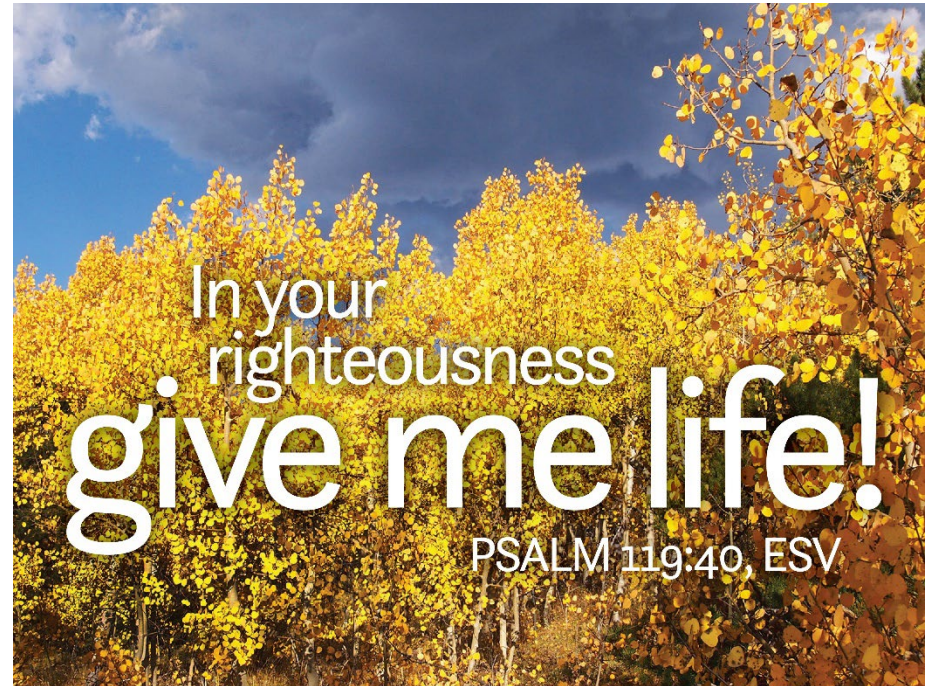
*The flowers are given in loving memory of
Sgt. Brandon E. Adams
By Dave & Carol Adams*

Prayer: Louise Albright, Doris Shissler, Joanne Bricker, Sandy Carroll
Liturgist: Gaylend Young

TODAY	10:15 AM	Worship
MONDAY	6:30 PM	Session meeting
WEDNESDAY	6:30 PM	Choir
THURSDAY	11:30 AM	Bible Study
SATURDAY	11:30 AM	Soup on Saturday
SUNDAY	9:00 AM	Sunday School
	10:15 AM	Worship

Pastor Hilary will be away on vacation from September 18-22. Carol Wyerman will fill the pulpit on Sunday, September 21.

Our annual Clothing giveaway is quickly approaching –Saturday, September 27 from 8 a.m. – 12 p.m. Donations of gently used clothing, winter coats and shoes of all sizes are still be accepted; thank you for your generosity. 20% discount coupons from Super Shoes are available in Fellowship Hall for anyone willing to purchase new shoes. Set-up, organizing and folding donations will be September 23-25 from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.; we welcome everyone who would be willing to help.



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