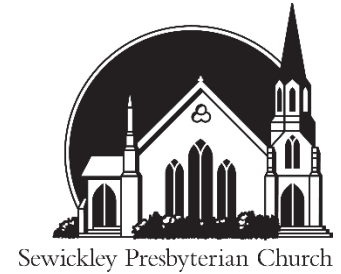


Order of Worship | November 17, 2024

9 AM



Prelude

All Things New

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Derek R. Davenport

Gathering Song

Rising Sun

Beautiful Things

Corporate Prayer of Confession

From The Book of Common Worship

Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare those who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to the world in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O merciful God, for his sake, that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of your holy name.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

One: Friends, this is the good news of the gospel.

Many: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

Responsive Song

Create in Me a Clean Heart

Announcements

Rev. Emily I. Miller

Children's Time

Children going into preschool through 3rd grade are invited to leave for Children's Church following the Children's Time.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Acts 24:22-25

But Felix, who was rather well informed about the Way, adjourned the hearing with the comment, 'When Lysias the tribune comes down, I will decide your case.' Then he ordered the centurion to keep him in custody, but to let him have some liberty and not to prevent any of his friends from taking care of his needs.

Some days later when Felix came with his wife Drusilla, who was Jewish, he sent for Paul and heard him speak concerning faith in Christ Jesus. And as he discussed justice, self-control, and the coming judgement, Felix became frightened and said, 'Go away for the present; when I have an opportunity, I will send for you.'

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Self-Control: Uncontrolled Terror

Rev. Dr. Derek R. Davenport

Offering & Offertory

Trust in You

Prayers of the People and 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.

Closing Song

Simple Kingdom

King of Kings

Benediction

Postlude

Today's Flowers: In Loving Memory of Marjorie & David Olson and W.S. Brown III

Worship Participants

Sr. Pastor: Rev. Dr. Derek R. Davenport
Assoc. Pastor: Rev. Emily I. Miller
Assoc. Pastor: Rev. G. Michael Creamer
Praise Team Director: Jeremy Fisher
Piano: Dr. Michael Hammer
Saxophone: Eric Fulmer
Drums: Doug Canan
Vocals: Andrew Birnie, Libby Doebler, Erin Leghorn,
Isaac Palladini, Rosie MacKenzie Wyche
Ushers: Jenny Valente, Lisa Edelman,
Marlene Kirsch
Tech Crew: Dave Breit, Rici Brockinson,
Matt Doebler, Lexie Merritt

Credits

All Things New, *David Leonard - Mike Weaver*
Rising Sun, *David Leonard – Kyle Lee – Leslie Jordan*
– *Paul Mabury*
Beautiful Things, *Michael Gungor – Lisa Gungor*
Create in Me a Clean Heart, *Keith Green*
Trust in You, *Paul Mabury – Lauren Daigle*
– *Michael Farren*
Simple Kingdom / King of Kings, *Bryan & Katie Torwalt /*
Brooke Ligertwood – Scott Ligertwood – Jason Ingram

IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME HERE?

Thank you for visiting our church this morning. We'd love to reach out to you. Let us know you were here by putting your name and contact information in one of the pew pads. We welcome you to visit our website to learn more about ways you can take part in groups, classes, and events. If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Sharon Barber (sbarber@sewickleypresby.org/412.741.4550).

Visit our website for complete details on events and groups that meet during the week.
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PRAYER NEEDS

PRAYERS FOR PRESENCE AND HEALING

- Finn Arthur (friend of Tom and Linda Getty)
- Alicia Clem
- Brittan Curigliano
- Suzie Gilliland
- Ruth Larsen
- Gerry Montano (Nancy Bunce's sister-in-law)
- Marcy Pittman (friend of Ann Walker's family)
- Molly Stater

PRAYERS OF JOYFUL THANKSGIVING

- On the birth of Olivia Anne Ash
Born on October 31, 2024
Daughter of Deborah and Ryan Ash
Granddaughter of Joan Murdoch

Please find a full list of Prayer Needs in the Robinson Room and near the entrance to the Sanctuary

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