*Welcome To Hillcrest Presbyterian Church*

*A Service For The Worship Of God*

*All Saints Service*

October 29, 2017

We give thanks that God has called us to worship together.

**\*Opening Hymn #469 Morning Has Broken**

***A Word of Welcome and Announcements***

**Call To Worship** (Ps. 96: 2, 9 )

Leader: Sing to the Lord and bless God’s name.

**People: Tell of God’s saving power from day to day.**

Leader: Worship the Lord in holy splendor.

**People: Tremble before God, all the earth.**

**Unison: Let us celebrate God’s love together.**

**Choral Anthem Sanctus**

**Call To Confession**

Leader: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor, trusting in the promise of forgiveness.

**Prayer Of Confession**

What a debt we owe to you, O God. You have given us all things in Christ and yet we withhold from you the honor and glory that are yours. Instead, we pay tribute to empire, plot to entrap the innocent, mock your truth with empty praise, and put your patience to the test. Forgive us, O God, and by your grace restore in us the image of your face; through Christ Jesus our Lord.

(Silent Confession) — In Christ’s name we pray. **Amen**.

**Assurance of Pardon**

Leader: If we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Christ. So we must consider ourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

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

\***Gloria Patri: *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was***

***in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.***

***Passing The Peace Of Christ***

*Leader: As a forgiven people, let us share the peace of Christ*

*The Peace Of Christ Be With You.*

***People: And Also With You.***

*Leader: Let us turn and greet one another*

*Minute For Mission* New Visual Equipment

**Remembering Those Who Have Gone Before Us**

(Please bring your loved one’s flower forward when their name is read and place it in the vase)

Anita McGuire Marcia Hansen

Becky Rae Renfro DeAnn Riggs & Cathy Miller

Bernard Francka Dianne Hutchins

Bill Covey Sr. Covey, Tyce, & Keating Heslin

Brad Brinker Scarlet & Jack Cormack, Ethan Hartman

Edna Voyles Scarlet & Jack Cormack, Ethan Hartman

Gene Goodell Joyce Goodell

Peggy Gherkin Sally Hosiner

**Hymn #526 For All The Saints**

**Prayers Of The People and Lord’s Prayer**

(You are invited to share out loud your prayer concerns and joys)

Leader: Lord in you mercy

**People: Hear our prayer.**

***Lord’s Prayer* (in unison)**

**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.**

**Prayer Response** Hymn #325 Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers

Spirit divine, attend our prayers,

And make this house your home;

Descend with all your gracious powers;

O come, great Spirit, come!

**Offering** (let us present our Offerings, Tithes and Gifts to the Lord)

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory

\*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Choral Anthem Christ is Made the Sure Foundation**

**Scripture Matthew 22:34-46**

**But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees with his reply, they met together to question him again. One of them, an expert in religious law, tried to trap him with this question: “Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?”**

**Jesus replied, “‘You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. A second is equally important: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments.”**

**Then, surrounded by the Pharisees, Jesus asked them a question: “What do you think about the Messiah? Whose son is he?”**

**They replied, “He is the son of David.”**

**Jesus responded, “Then why does David, speaking under the inspiration of the Spirit, call the Messiah ‘my Lord’? For David said,**

**‘The Lord said to my Lord,**

**Sit in the place of honor at my right hand**

**until I humble your enemies beneath your feet.’**

**Since David called the Messiah ‘my Lord,’ how can the Messiah be his son?”**

**No one could answer him. And after that, no one dared to ask him any more questions.**

**Sermon** Rev. Jack Cormack

**Hymn: Redeemed** Big Daddy Weave

Seems like all I could see was the struggle

Haunted by ghosts that lived in my past

Bound up in shackles of all my failures

Wondering how long is this gonna last

Then You look at this prisoner and say to me "son

Stop fighting a fight it's already been won"

I am redeemed, You set me free

So I'll shake off these heavy chains

Wipe away every stain, now I'm not who I used to be

I am redeemed, I'm redeemed

All my life I have been called unworthy

Named by the voice of my shame and regret

But when I hear You whisper, "Child lift up your head"

I remember, oh God, You're not done with me yet

I am redeemed, You set me free

So I'll shake off these heavy chains

Wipe away every stain, now I'm not who I used to be

Because I don't have to be the old man inside of me

'Cause his day is long dead and gone

Because I've got a new name, a new life, I'm not the same

And a hope that will carry me home

I am redeemed, You set me free

So I'll shake off these heavy chains

Wipe away every stain, 'cause I'm not who I used to be

I am redeemed, You set me free

So I'll shake off these heavy chains

Wipe away every stain, yeah, I'm not who I used to be

Oh, God, I'm not who I used to be

Jesus, I'm not who I used to be

'Cause I am redeemed

Thank God, redeemed\*

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Response**

May the love of God be all around us, all around us, everywhere we go.

May the grace of God shine down upon us, down upon us, and everyone we know.

This is our prayer as we leave this place with our hearts full of love and grace.

May the love of God be all around us, all around us, everywhere we go.

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\*=Those for whom it is comfortable are invited to stand

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