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SUNDAY SCHOOL		
ATTENDANCE	9/27/2026	22
VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE	9/27/2026	--
OFFERING	9/27/2026	\$2,240

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Pikeville Service for the Lord's Day

19th Sunday after Pentecost October 4, 2026

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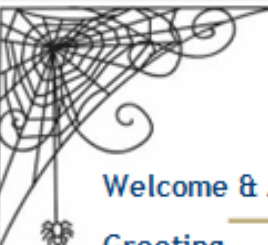
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Welcome & Announcements

Greeting

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Prelude

***Call to Worship (Psalm 19)**

The heavens declare the glory of God
Together we praise the Creator of all
His law is perfect, reviving our souls
Let us worship the Lord, our rock and redeemer.

***Hymn** *The Church's One Foundation* **#442**

***Prayer of Confession**

Gracious God, we know that everything we have comes from you. And still, we fall short in living out that truth. We take more than we need, waste what we have, and neglect the needs of our neighbors. Reshape our perspective. Re-align our priorities. Remind us that our blessings come from you. Help us to be that blessing as we work toward Your kingdom come. Amen.

***Assurance of Pardon**

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace. **Amen.**

***Gloria Patri**

***Passing of the Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Prayer for Illumination

Bless us, O God, with ears to hear your truth, vision to discern your path, and feet ready to move into action, responding to your call. Inspire us as we hear your Word read and proclaimed. **Amen.**

** All who are able may stand.*



Old Testament Exodus 20:1-4,7-9,12-20
The Word of God for the People of God. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Matthew 21:33-46
The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Sermon Rev. Sarah L. Smith

Hymn *My Hope is Build on Nothing Less* **#379**

Affirmation of Faith- *Nicene Creed*

Prayers of the People

Offertory

***Doxology**

Lord's Supper Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise...
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest...

Great is the mystery of faith:
Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Lord's Prayer

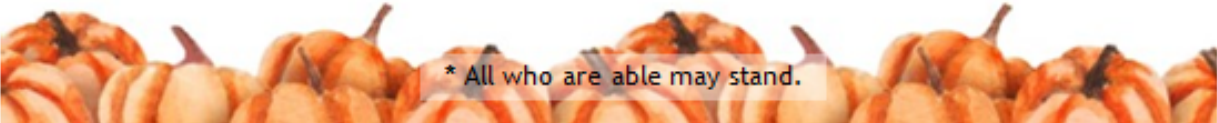
Communion of the People

Hymn *Rock of Ages* ***insert**

***Charge & Blessing**

Postlude

Congregation speaks bolded lines



Announcements

- ▶ Any members, visitors, and key holders! If you are visiting/working in the church outside of service times, please be sure to let Pastor Scot or Sara know. If during office hours please come in building through the office door. THANK YOU!



- ▶ We need your hymn suggestions! Do you have a favorite hymn? Is there a song we haven't played in worship in a while you would like to hear? Have a song suggestion we haven't done before? If so, fill out one of the hymn suggestion cards and place it in the bowl on the table in the main hallway.



- ▶ We are still collecting donations of non-perishable food items to have on hand at the Office to hand out to those in need. Examples of what is needed is: canned soups or vegetables, boxed food items, bottles of water and even toiletries.
- ▶ Online giving is available! Just scan the QR code below to give using your credit/debit card.



- ▶ The next Session Meeting for all active Elders of the church will be held on Tuesday, October 6th 6PM in the Sunday School room.



▶ GUEST PREACHER

We extend a warm welcome today to Rev. Sarah L. Smith! Rev. Smith joins us again in worship this morning and will be preaching the Sermon.



Prayer Concerns

Mission Partners:

Appalachian Pregnancy Care Center
Judi's Place
Thankful Hearts Food Pantry
Thursday's Child
United Helping Hands
WestCare Perry Cline Emergency Shelter
WJSO

Long term needs in our church family:

* means was recently requested extra prayers

Pat Arnett	John McGreggor
Jayne Baird	Guy Moyer
Dewey & Kathy Bishop	Meg Sidle
Brenda Blackburn	Judi Patton
Diana Damron	Chip Salyers
Willis Estep	Miranda Stacy*
Linda Ford	Allison Stewart
Hannah Hopkins	Fred Syk
Nathaniel Levy	David Zoellers

Shut-ins in our church family:

Camella Lawson
Lynn Levy

Family of
Kenny Leatherman

Mary Blum

Troy Honaker

Family of
LouAnn Reynolds

Pauline Branham

Mary Justice

Family of
Miranda Stacy

Marcia Grigsby

Cynthia Roberts

Alvin Gross

Michelle Strausser

Sue Webb

Please give updates to Prayer Requests as we would love to see how God is working in those moments of need. All Prayer Requests will be taken off the Bulletin after 4 weeks unless requested for more prayer needs.

THE ONLY GHOST I KNOW

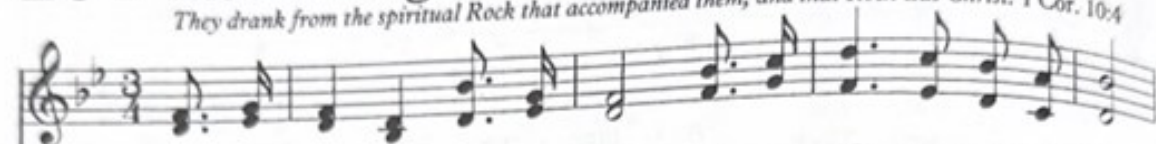


IS THE HOLY GHOST

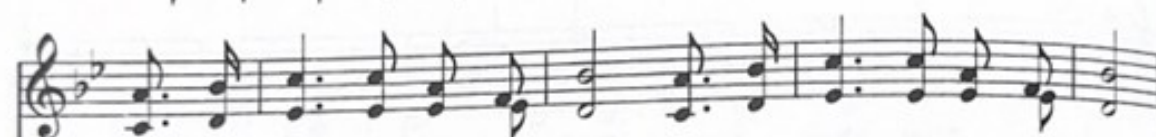
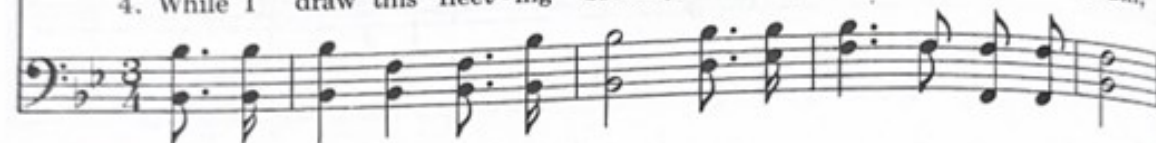
JESUS OUR SAVIOR

204 Rock of Ages

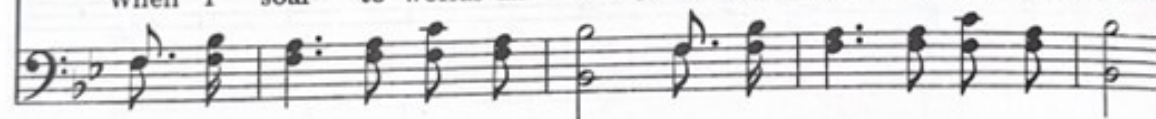
They drank from the spiritual Rock that accompanied them, and that Rock was Christ. 1 Cor. 10:4



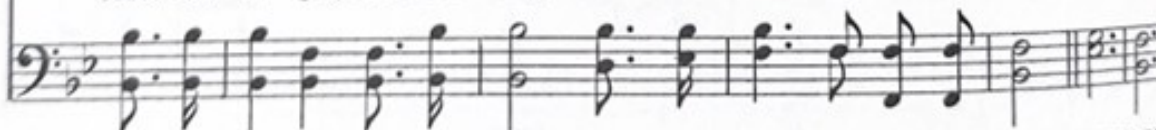
1. Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my - self in Thee;
 2. Not the la - bors of my hands Can ful - fill Thy law's de - mands;
 3. Noth - ing in my hand I bring, Sim - ply to Thy cross I cling;
 4. While I draw this fleet - ing breath, When my eyes shall close in death,



Let the wa - ter and the blood, From Thy riv - en side which flowed,
 Could my zeal no res - pite know, Could my tears for - ev - er flow,
 Na - ked, come to Thee for dress, Help - less, look to Thee for grace;
 When I soar to worlds un - known, See Thee on Thy judg - ment throne,



Be of sin the dou - ble cure, Cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.
 All for sin could not a - tone; Thou must save and Thou a - lone.
 Foul, I to the foun - tain fly, Wash me, Sav - ior, or I die!
 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my - self in Thee. A - men.



TEXT: Augustus M. Toplady
 MUSIC: Thomas Hastings

TOPLADY
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Sermon

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