## August 31, 2025

## Monument Community Presbyterian Church Come! Experience God With Us!

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## **WELCOME**

In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, we invite you to find grace for the past, strength for today and hope for tomorrow as you worship with us. To our guests, we extend a special welcome and hope you will come again! We invite you to get to know our church family and take part in our life and worship as fully as you are able.

Prelude, "Spirit of the Living God" (Mia Fieldes)

Welcome and Announcements

**Greeting One Another** 

**†Call to Worship,** from Proverbs 2

Cry out for insight,

and ask for understanding.

Search for them as you would for silver; seek them like hidden treasures.

Then you will understand what it means to fear the LORD,

and you will gain knowledge of God.

For the LORD grants wisdom!

From his mouth come knowledge and understanding.

Then you will understand what is right, just, and fair,

and you will find the right way to go.

For wisdom will enter your heart, and knowledge will fill you with joy.

**†Song of Praise,** "Our God"

**Gathering Prayer** 

Scripture Reading, John 14:23-26

Choir Anthem, "I Love You, Lord"

Children's Message and Noisy Offering

**†Song of Praise,** "Open Our Eyes, Lord"

Scripture Reading, Psalm 119:33-40

Message, "Speak to Me"

Prayer 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.

Song of Praise, "Take My Life and Let It Be"

Offering Our Gifts

**†**Benediction

You go nowhere by accident.
Wherever you go, God is sending you.
Wherever you are, God has put you there.
God has a purpose in your being there.
Christ lives in you and has something
He wants to do through you where you are.
Believe this and go in the grace and love and power of Jesus Christ.

## Postlude

Service Participants: All the people of God! Minister of Word and Sacrament: Rev. John Anderson; Children's Message: Sheri Hazeloop; Greeters: Bill Davis, Sue Patha; Lay Worship L:eader: Amanda Armstrong; Media: Lisa Ruhnow; Music: Stephanie McGuffin, Director of Music Ministry; Organist: Glenda Herman; Security Monitor: Dan Hutton; Sound: Eric Bergland; Stephen Minister: Rosemary DiAsio; Ushers: Randy and Carol Scott, Peggy Schreyer; Elder: Susan Martini

