

**April 21, 2024**

**Monument Community Presbyterian  
Church**  
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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, "Oceans"**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**†Call to Worship, Hebrews 11, Mark 9**

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.

**This is what the ancients were commended for.**

Our faith is weak, but Jesus helps those who desire to believe.

**We believe Jesus. Help us overcome our unbelief!**

**†Song of Praise, "Be Thou My Vision"**

**Gathering Prayer**

**Scripture Reading, Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-10, 13; 12:1-2**

**Song of Praise, "No Sweeter Name"**

**Children's Message**

Children are invited forward

**Choir Anthem**

**Greeting One Another**

**Scripture Reading, John 20:24-29**

**Message, "Choosing Belief Over Doubt"**

**Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

**Apostles' Creed**

**I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose**

**again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**†Song of Praise, "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit in This Place"**

**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! **Interim Pastor:** Rev. John Anderson; **Children's Message:** Sheri Hazeloop; **Greeters:** Chris Bailey, Dot Zawitkowski; **Lay Worship Leader:** Gary Schwerdt; **Media:** Dennis Kaip; **Music:** Stephanie McGuffin, Director of Music Ministry; **Organist:** Glenda Herman; **Security Monitor:** Linda Schwerdt; **Sound:** Mike Guyote; **Stephen Ministry;** **Ushers:** Les and Dana Dye, Jim Sim.

