ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

25th Sunday after Pentecost Remembrance Sunday

November 11th, 2018

9:30 AM

* Stand if you are able

Bold: Said by all

All hymns, scriptures and congregational prayers are projected.

Musical Prelude

CALL TO WORSHIP

* Entry of the Word

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (responsive):

One: Our God—we, your people, stand ready and open

to receive the flame of your Spirit.

Give us the ability to speak your truth so that others may hear.

All: Come, Spirit of Truth, fill our hearts.

One: May that which was of stone be now transformed into life.

All: Come, Spirit of Life, change our hearts.

One: May we who receive your light dwell together in Your love.

All: Come, Spirit of Love, soften our hearts.

One: Bestow your compassion on those who suffer in mind, spirit, and body.

All: Come, Spirit of Hope, heal our hearts.

One: Make us bold to bring light to the dark places, warmth to the cold places, and love to the empty places.

All: Come, Spirit of Faith, strengthen our hearts.

One: Spirit of the Living God, fill our hearts, minds, and souls to overflowing.

All: Come, Spirit of God, move in our hearts.

One: God—we, your people, celebrate the mystery of your never-ending love.

All: Amen.

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ORGANIST: Ian Madge

(projected)

Prayer of Approach and Confession:

Assurance of Pardon:

Sharing the Peace of Christ:

^{*}Gathering Hymn: "Here In This Place/Gather Us In" (Marty Haugen)

One: May the Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

Choir Anthem: "I Will Lift Mine Eyes Unto the Hills" (Austin C. Lovelace)

*Children's Hymn: "Just As I Am, Without One Plea" (#682)

Children's Story

(Children & Worship and Paul's People leave for Sunday School)

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Prayer for Illumination (in unison):

As we open the library of your Word, we pray that your Spirit will move among us in this place.

Open our ears, to hear your voice.

Open our eyes, to see what you see.

Open our minds, to understand your message.

Open our hearts, to feel the love that you have for us and for your people everywhere.

And open our mouths, so we share your word with others.

Through Jesus Christ your Living Word. Amen.

Scripture: Deuteronomy 8:11-20

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Luke 1:1-10

One: This is the Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

<u>SERMON</u>: "REMEMBER ME"

Silent Reflection

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OUR RESPONSE

* Hymn of Response: "Jesus, Remember Me" (#206)

* Remembrance Day Reading (responsive): From Psalm 46

One: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in times of trouble.

All: Therefore we will not fear, though the earth should tremble and the mountains tumble and slide into the sea.

One: Though the waters foam and rage, and mountains shake at their surging.

All: The Lord of Hosts is with us; the God of Israel is our refuge.

One: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy dwelling of the Most High.

All: God is in its midst; it stands firm; God will help us at the break of day.

One: Even if the nations are in chaos, and kingdoms fall, God's voice resounds; the earth melts away.

All: The Lord of Hosts is with us; the God of Israel is our refuge.

One: Come and see what God has done, the wonders wrought upon the earth. All: All over the world, God makes wars to cease - breaking bows, splintering spears, burning the chariots with fire!

One: God says: "Be still and know that I am God. I am exalted among the nations, exalted upon the earth.

All: The Lord of Hosts is with us: the God of Israel is our refuge.

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Invitation to Offering Prayer of Dedication Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer

SENDING

* Parting Hymn: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" (#330)

* Benediction:

* "Go Now in Peace"

* Exit of the Word Musical Postlude