



*First Presbyterian Church of Murrysville
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*Our mission is to worship and honor God,
and to bring people to Christ. It is our joy to be stewards
of the Good News of the love of God in Jesus Christ.*

*November 10, 2024
11:00 a.m.*

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

NOVEMBER 10, 2024

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SONG OF PRAISE # 337

“We Will Glorify”

CALL TO WORSHIP

Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings; ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory of God’s name; worship the Lord in holy splendor.

The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.

May the Lord give strength to God’s people! May the Lord bless the people with peace.

Let us worship God!

*HYMN #112

“You Servants of God”

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.

*PRAYERS OF PERSONAL CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF GRACE

*GLORIA PATRI

HYMN #734

ANTHEM

“Sing to the Lord of Harvest”

Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE

Daniel 9:1-19
Revelation 5:1-15

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*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (UNISON)

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; on 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

CELEBRATION OF OUR PARTNERSHIP WITH PINE SPRINGS CAMP

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

“I Have No Help But Thee”

*DOXOLOGY

HYMN #34

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD’S PRAYER

(see Prayer List)

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Say *“Peace be with you”*

*HYMN *(see insert)*

“Blessing and Honor”

*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“Give Thanks”

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son *(repeat)*

****And now, let the weak say, I am strong, Let the poor say, I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us *(repeat from **)***

Give thanks.

*POSTLUDE

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- **Large Print bulletins are available from an usher.**

Rev. Edward Gray, Pastor

Ruth Poscich, Director of Music

Eddie Gray, Audio/Video Technician

This morning, we are blessed with the following participants and volunteers:

8:30 a.m. Worship Leader: Abby Ramaley

11:00 a.m. Worship Leader: Gail Harrison

11:00 a.m. Musicians: The Chancel Choir; Michael Bellavia, guitar



November 10, 2024 through November 17, 2024

Today	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service – Laird Hall
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service – Sanctuary
	6:00 p.m.	Cantata Choir Rehearsal
Monday		Veteran’s Day – Office Closed
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Rangers Breakfast, Fellowship Dicks Diner
	9:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	4:00 p.m.	Fun and Fellowship
	6:00 p.m.	Mission Committee
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Sew What – Conference Room
	9:00 a.m.	Finance & Stewardship Committee
	2:00 p.m.	Joy Ringers Rehearsal
Thursday	1:15 p.m.	Moms in Prayer – Lounge
	3:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Saturday	11:00 a.m.	Cantata Choir Rehearsal
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service – Laird Hall
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service – Sanctuary
	4:00 a.m.	Cantata Choir Concert -- Sanctuary

****Meals on Wheels every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday in Laird Hall**

****Friends’ Kitchen is the first Wednesday of each month at Laird Hall**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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

DEACONS' PRAYER LIST

Lift-up in prayer the residents and families who have suffered through Hurricane Helene and Hurricane Milton especially those in Florida, North Carolina, Tennessee and Georgia.

Announcements

We welcome Greg Davis this morning to share a Moment for Mission.

Greg is the Executive Director of Pine Springs Camp and a good friend of our church.

We are accepting donations for gloves, mittens, and hats for primary school children.

A tree is set-up in the Narthex and a clothesline is hung in Laird Hall to gather the items until November 18. Thank you all for your donations.

The Cantata Choir is fast approaching! Next Sunday, November 17, the choir will present "A Patriotic Thanksgiving" here in the sanctuary. The Cantata Choir will sing a selection of sacred anthems celebrating Thanksgiving and observing Veterans Day with patriotic numbers. The choir will be augmented with accompaniment of percussion, trumpet, flute and violin. Be sure not to miss it!

Collection Sunday is November 17. We collect items for Loaves & Fishes (personal hygiene products and non-perishable food items) and we also collect bottles of laundry detergent for Westmoreland Food Bank. We are committed to 100 bottles.

Thank you for what you have donated! We are almost to our goal!

Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Shoe Boxes and information pamphlets are available in Laird Hall and the Narthex. Please return your filled shoeboxes to the church or Laird Hall by Friday, November 18.

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is accepting monetary donations for the hurricane victims in Georgia, Tennessee, North Carolina and Florida. Information is in the Narthex and in Laird Hall.

CELEBRATE THE SEASON earned over \$2,100 last week. That is a job well done!
The money will support mission work. Thank you to everyone who helped.

Warm Hugs will be given on November 20 so as not to interfere with the
Thanksgiving holiday.

St. Andrew's Sunday is November 24. There will be Scottish Treats during the
Sandwich Sunday social in Laird Hall following the 8:30 a.m. service and in the
conference room following the 11:00 a.m. service.



Next week, November 17, the Sunday School discussion will focus on the following
Scriptures:

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Revelation 7:1-14

We will be discussing Chapters 6-8 the book **WHAT HAPPENS NEXT** by Max Lucado.
Copies are available in the Narthex. A free-will donation is welcome to help offset the cost
of the books.

****UPCOMING EVENTS****

NOV 11	VETERANS DAY – OFFICE CLOSED
NOV 17	CANTATA CHOIR CONCERT
NOV 17	COLLECTION SUNDAY
NOV 18	SESSION MEETING
NOV 20	WARM HUGS
NOV 20	LUNCH BUNCH
NOV 24	ST ANDREWS SUNDAY
NOV 28	THANKSGIVING
DEC 3	DEACONS MEETING
DEC 4	FRIENDS' KITCHEN
DEC 14	WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA
DEC 15	PRESCHOOL SUNDAY
DEC 15	CHRISTMAS DINNER