



The Beckley Presbyterian Church
203 South Kanawha Street
Beckley, West Virginia 25801



September 27, 2020

Online Service only due to Covid 19 Pandemic

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP *(Responsive, From Psalm 78)*

Give ear, O my people, to my teaching; incline your ears to the words of my mouth.

I will open my mouth in a parable; I will utter dark sayings from of old,

Things that we have heard and known, that our ancestors have told us.

We will not hide them from their children; we will tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the LORD, and his might, and the wonders that he has done...

In the sight of their ancestors he worked marvels in the land of Egypt, in the fields of Zoan.

He divided the sea and let them pass through it, and made the waters stand like a heap.

In the daytime he led them with a cloud, and all night long with a fiery light. He split rocks open in the wilderness, and gave them drink abundantly as from the deep.

He made streams come out of the rock, and caused waters to flow down like rivers.

INVOCATION

HYMN 81

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, You created everything there is and called it good. You bless us with everything. Yet, like the Israelites, we wonder "Is the Lord among us or not?" We forget our blessings. We complain. We don't acknowledge your steadfast love and how you are with us always, even in the valley of the shadow of death and beyond. Forgive us. May we always be aware of your loving kindness. May we live in gratitude and confidence, knowing you love us and help us. We are grateful and we continue to need you and ask your blessings. In the name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

ANTHEM

THE OLD TESTAMENT

Exodus 17: 1-7

THE NEW TESTAMENT

Philippians 2: 1-13

This is the Word of the Lord.....**Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

AFFIRMATION The Apostles' Creed (*Traditional; Together*)

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.

HYMN 610, vv. 1, 5

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

GOD'S PEOPLE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

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