**Welcome**
Thank you for joining us today. We are a welcoming congregation and if you are new to our church and would like to make this your home for worship, please see Pastor Michael Askew or an Elder after the service.

**GATHERING AROUND THE WORD**

( * = please stand )

**Prelude** *"Open the Eyes of My Heart"* *Terry Hagler*

**Opening Prayer** *Dave Balmer*

**Call to Worship** *Sarah Waby*

One: At all times we are called to bless God's name.
**All: Our lips are drenched with praises, our hearts exult in God.**
One: The proud will bend knees in worship, the humble will lift glad songs.
**All: We are free from our fears, we have searched for God and been found.**
One: Our faces glow with thanksgiving, our spirits overflow with grace.
**All: God has wiped away our tears, God has fed us from the storehouses of hope.**

***Hymn #793** *"For the Beauty of the Earth" (1,2,3)* *Congregation*

**Scripture** *Psalm 116:12-19 (pg. 436)* *Sarah Waby*

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

**Call to Reconciliation** *Sarah Waby*

One: When God sets the table of the Lamb, all will be welcome – the young and the old; those who were faithful, and those who failed; those who followed Jesus, and those who lost their way. Let us confess to our God our unsaintly ways, knowing how quick God is to forgive.

**All: We did not listen, when the Teacher spoke, God of sinners.**
**Rich in pride and arrogance, our spirits have no need for a kingdom; taught to not let anyone see us cry, we refuse your comforting arms; seeing the greedy and self-indulgent have their way, we yearn to**

**inherit their hardened hearts; noticing the hungry standing by the side of the road, we make sure we get more than our share of the world's resources; taking note of how the merciful are pushed aside, we develop calluses on our souls.**

**(***A Moment of Silent Prayer***)**

**All: Forgive us, Saint Maker, that we follow the wrong examples and listen to false teachings. It is the peacemakers who live into your hope; it is those whose hearts are shaped by yours, who are able to see you in the poor and broken; it is those who give themselves to serve others who are your saints, following the example of Jesus Christ, our Lord, our Savior, our Shepherd, guiding us to the wellsprings of life.**

**Assurance of Pardon** *Sarah Waby*

One: When we seek God, we are found; when we cry out, we are heard; when we confess, we are forgiven and made new.

**All: We can taste the yeasty flavor of grace, we can drink the deep wine of hope, we can find our home in God's heart, receiving mercy and new life. Thanks be to God. Amen.**

***Gloria Patri** C*ongregation*

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen. Amen.***

**Sharing the Peace** *Sarah Waby*

The peace of Christ be with you.

***All: And also, with you.*** *Congregation*

*(Please pass signs of peace and forgiveness with those seated around you)*

***Hymn #589** *"Here I Am, Lord" (1&3)* *Congregation*

**Life of the Church This Week** *Sarah Waby*

**Sharing Joys & Concerns** *Sarah Waby*

**Pastoral Prayer** *Rev Dr. Michael Askew*

**The Lord's Prayer**, (*Inside cover Red Book***)** *Congregation*

**PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

**Scripture** *1 Corinthians 10:16-17 (pg. 811-12)* *Rev Dr. Michael Askew*

**Anthem#461** "In *Remembrance"* *Choir*

**Sermon** **"One Table, One Church, A Shared Calling"**

*Rev Dr. Michael Askew*

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

***The Apostles' Creed** (*Inside cover Red Book***)** *Congregation*

**Communion** *Rev Stacey Kaye White*

**Call to Offering** *Rev Dr. Michael Askew*

***(Take the offering plate into your hands; a reminder that we give our whole life as an offering to God every day.)***

***Offertory#** *"For All The Saints"* *Terry Hagler*

***Doxology** *Congregation*

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

***Prayer of Dedication** *Rev Dr. Michael Askew*

**Words of Encouragement**

I bring greetings to you from Euchee Valley Presbyterian Church with this thought for the week. Eyes hath not see nor ear heard the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him, so never give up on your dreams. Press forward and have a good day! (1 Cor 2:9)

**Final Word**

**BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

***Charge and Blessing** *Rev Dr. Michael Askew*

We leave now in order to follow God into the world.

***All: We will go to bring the healing and peace of Jesus to all.***

***Sung Benediction** (*Please face the center*) *Congregation*

**All: May the Lord, Mighty Lord bless and keep you forever.**
**Grant you peace, perfect peace, and courage in every endeavor.**
**Lift your eyes and see His face, see His grace forever.**
**May the Lord, Mighty Lord, bless and keep you forever.**

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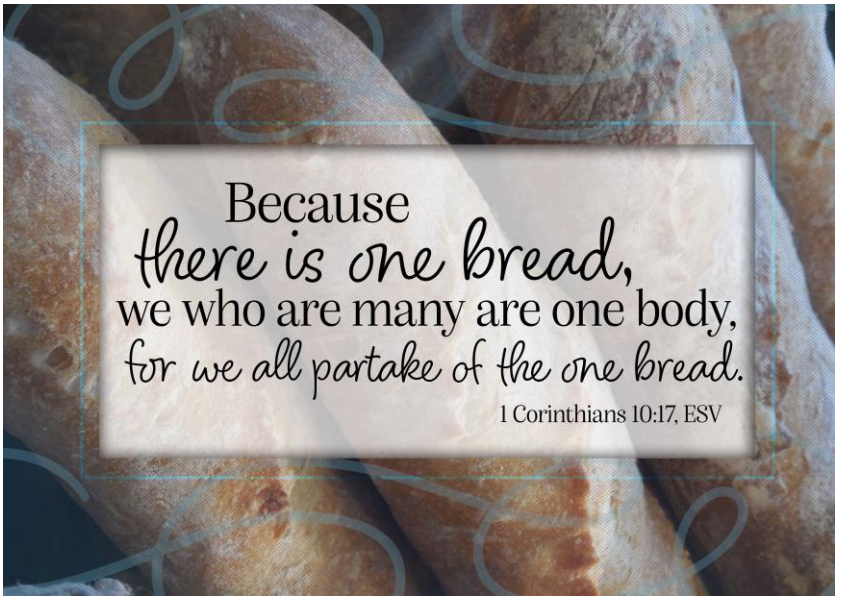


**Our Vision: Transforming lives by the love of Christ Jesus through witness, mission, and evangelism.**

**Our Mission: To be a place where the community can come together in Christ and provide, through God and his Word, love, comfort and joy to all.**