

Sierra View Presbyterian Church Liturgy
Sunday, October 13, 2024

Welcome and Announcements: Rick Moore

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship: Psalm 103:1-5

Pastor: Bless the Lord, O my soul,

**Congregation: and all that is within me,
bless his holy name!**

Pastor: Bless the Lord, O my soul,

Congregation: and forget not all his benefits,

Pastor: who forgives all your iniquity,

who heals all your diseases,

**Congregation: who redeems your life from the pit,
who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,**

All: who satisfies you with good

so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

Song of Adoration: Red Book #27- 10,000 Reasons

Prayer of Invocation

Song of Praise: Hymn #103- Holy God, We Praise Your Name

Song of Thanksgiving: Holy Forever

Profession of Faith: Westminster Shorter Catechism

91. How do the sacraments become effectual means of salvation?

The sacraments become effectual means of salvation, not from any virtue in them, or in the person that administers them; but only by the blessing of Christ, and the working of His Spirit in those who receive them by faith.

Old Testament Reading: 1 Samuel 2:1-10

Confession of Sin

Good Shepherd, our hearts are anxious and worried about many things. Though you are on your throne in glory, we perceive the world as out of any control. Though you have invited us into your family by grace and into your kingdom through faith, we waver in trust as though we have been abandoned, and we try to get by with worry and striving after the wind. We are exhausted, and we are guilty. Forgive our sin, quiet our hearts, renew our minds, and show us your glory. Lead us again by quiet waters, and restore our souls. In the name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 103:8-13

The Lord is merciful and gracious,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
He will not always chide,
nor will he keep his anger forever.
He does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our iniquities.
For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;
as far as the east is from the west,
so far does he remove our transgressions from us.
As a father shows compassion to his children,
so the Lord shows compassion to those who fear him.

Ministry Opportunity: Operation Christmas Child, Sherrill Berger

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession: Rev. Brandon Edmonds

The Collection of Tithes and Offerings

Song of Preparation: Red Book #47- The Goodness of Jesus

Sermon text: Luke 1:46-55

46 And Mary said,
"My soul magnifies the Lord,
47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,
48 for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant.
For behold, from now on all generations will call me blessed;
49 for he who is mighty has done great things for me,

and holy is his name.

50 And his mercy is for those who fear him
from generation to generation.

51 He has shown strength with his arm;
he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts;

52 he has brought down the mighty from their thrones
and exalted those of humble estate;

53 he has filled the hungry with good things,
and the rich he has sent away empty.

54 He has helped his servant Israel,
in remembrance of his mercy,

55 as he spoke to our fathers,
to Abraham and to his offspring forever.”

Children's Message

Sermon: Mary's Song of Glory

Outline:

- I. A Humble Heart
- II. The Holy God
- III. The Mighty Ruler
- IV. The Loving Father

Closing Song: Hymn #726- Spirit of the Living God

Benediction: Hebrews 13:20-21

Now may the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing His will, and may He work in us what is pleasing to Him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.