



FOX CHAPEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

As a community of Christ's disciples, we joyfully participate in Christ's mission of love and peace, transformation and hope.

September 27, 2026 – 8:15AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 95: 6-7

Come bow down and worship, kneel to the Lord, our maker.

This is our God, our shepherd, we are the flock led with care.

*HYMN 836

Abide with Me

EVENTIDE

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We would want to be fountains of hope for others, God of glory, but people find only hardened hearts. We would like to be transformed people, but our stubborn pride prevents us from bending a knee to you. We long to stand with those who are in need, but our selfishness keeps our backs rigid with judgment.

Forgive us, God who came down to us. Humble us, that we might be true servants to the broken and lost. Split open our frozen hearts, that compassion might flow freely to those who are hurting. Fill our minds with the presence of your Spirit, that we might learn how to follow Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, into that kingdom of grace and hope.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

All are invited to exchange signs of reconciliation and peace with others.

SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 2:1-13 (NT, pg. 197)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Freedom of Not Being the Center

Rev. Cheryl Khylllep

OFFERING

Please complete a Connect Card and place it in the offering plate.

*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE 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.

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*HYMN 288

Spirit of the Living God

LIVING GOD

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

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** Please stand as you are able.*

Participants Today

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