

Take courage, all you people of the land, says the LORD. **Haggai 1:4**

One generation shall laud your works to another. **Psalms 145:4**

We must always give thanks to God for you, siblings beloved by the Lord.

2 Thessalonians 2:13

“To God all of them are alive.” **Luke 20:38**

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To Our Guests

We are glad you are with us. Please sign the guest book by the front door and fill in a visitor’s card from the pew pocket. After the service enjoy a cup of fair trade coffee with friends in the Fellowship Hall.

THE FONT OF IDENTITY

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+Introit 411 (2x)

*God is here today;
as certain as the air I breathe,
as certain as the morning sun that rises,
as certain when I sing you’ll hear my song.*

Proclamation

In life and death we belong to God.
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit,
we trust in the one triune God,
whom alone we worship and serve.

Prayer for All Saints

***Hymn 463, v. 1-3**
“How Firm a Foundation”

Prayer for Our Times

Christ has no body but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth but yours,
Yours are the eyes with which He looks
Compassion on this world,
Yours are the feet with which He walks to do good,
Yours are the hands with which He blesses all the world.
Yours are the hands, yours are the feet,
Yours are the eyes, you are His body.

+Response 21

“Many and Great, O God, Are Thy Works”

Declaration of Grace and Gratitude

***+Response 20 refrain (2x)**
*All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.*

Blessing the World

Liberia, Sierra Leone

First Pew

+Response 188, v.1
“Jesus Loves Me”

Welcome and Parish Life

THE WORD OF HOPE

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Reading

Interlude

Lesson

Acts 1:6-14, selected verses

Sermon

“Now Is the Time”

***Hymn 463, v. 4-5**

“How Firm a Foundation”

THE BREAD OF LIFE

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Memorial Moment

Eucharistic Prayer

Communion

*Let us be bread blessed by the Lord,
broken and shared, life for the world.
Let us be wine, love freely poured,
let us be one in the Lord.*

Offering Our Gifts

Offertory – Than and Mary Anne

“Light of a Clear Blue Morning”

***Children’s Blessing**

***Acclamation**

With believers in every time and place
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of God
in Christ Jesus, our Lord

***+Sending 539, v. 1 (2x)**

*We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.
We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.
Alleluia! We will go out with joy. Alleluia! Alleluia!*

***Postlude**

The purpose of our lives is to add value to the people of this generation and those that follow.

R. Buckminster Fuller

Even death is not to be feared by one who has lived wisely. **Buddha**

Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken-winged bird that cannot fly.

Langston Hughes

Nothing is a matter of life and death except life and death. **Angela Carter**

**Please rise in body and spirit.*

Prayer for All Saints

Janet Morley, adapted

Prayer for Our Times

Teresa of Ávila

Lesson Translation

The Message

Eugene Peterson

Flowers

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Shepherdstown Presbyterian Church: An Inclusive Spiritual Community. We welcome all who long for meaning, hope, and belonging. Our faith & practice are rooted in the way of Jesus and enriched by wisdom from all sources. We are committed to being and becoming people of radical compassion, working for justice and wholeness in ourselves and the world.



Ordinary Time
Thirty-second Sunday

November 6, 2022
11:00 a.m.

Sunday, November 6 • Thirty-second Sunday of Ordinary Time

- 8:30 a.m. Early Service Worship with Communion - Sanctuary
- 9:30 a.m. Sunday Seminar - Fellowship Hall/Zoom (Hybrid)
- 11:00 a.m. Service of Worship with Communion - Sanctuary and Facebook Live!
Sunday Studio - Children K-5th Grade (Classroom and Recorded)
- 12:15 p.m. Youth Group - Kitchen
- 12:30 p.m. New Member Class - Pastor Gusti's Office (Hybrid)
- 4:00 p.m. Monthly Hymn Sing - Sanctuary
- 5:00 p.m. Community Dinner - Zion Episcopal Church Social Center,
215 E. Washington St., Charles Town, WV 25414

Tuesday, November 8

- 7:00 p.m. Teach the Peacher via Zoom
- 7:30 p.m. Choir Women's Rehearsal - Choir Room

Saturday, November 12

- 10:00 a.m. Deacon Shepherds Meeting - Fellowship Hall
- 5:00 p.m. More Light Thanksgiving Meal - Fellowship Hall

Sunday, November 13 • Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

- 8:30 a.m. Early Service Worship - Sanctuary
- 9:30 a.m. Sunday Seminar - Fellowship Hall/Zoom (Hybrid)
- 11:00 a.m. Service of Worship - Sanctuary and Facebook Live!
Sunday Studio - Children K-5th Grade (Classroom and Recorded)
- 12:15 p.m. New Member Reception - Fellowship Hall

A Pilgrim's Companion Psalm

The road home, O God, seems long
and at times is difficult and painful.
Grant me a holy communion,
a companionship with others,
as I journey homeward to you.

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May this awareness of my companion journey
with all the saints
deepen my life of prayer
and fertilize my faith in you, my Beloved.
By this communion of holy ones
may I be daily challenged
to greater compassion and charity
as I walk the way of the pilgrim.

Edward Hays

MUSIC IN WORSHIP: The Introit is a traditional Argentinian chant. The Opening Hymn is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi. The Response to the Prayer of Gratitude is a translation of a Dakota chant. The Response to the Declaration was written to teach the Apostles' Creed to children. The Sermon Hymn was written by an Irish-born immigrant to Canada to comfort his mother in Ireland. The Sending Hymn is a traditional liturgical text.

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