

Bedford Presbyterian Church

November 11, 2025 - Presbytery Meeting



Rev. Dr. Jack Miller, Pastor

Beth Hull, Music Director

welcome

Notes About our Worship Service:

- An asterisk (*) denotes standing - in body or spirit.
 - Bold text means the congregation is invited to speak aloud together.
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Prelude

*Call to Worship

from Psalm 27

L: The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

P: When evildoers assail me to devour my flesh— my adversaries and foes— they shall stumble and fall. For the Lord is with me, protecting me. I can lift up my head and sing to God.

L: Wait for the Lord; be strong and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!

P: I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.

Gathering Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations. Preserve the works of your mercy, that your church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Hymn #342

Rejoice, the Lord Is King!

Call to Confession

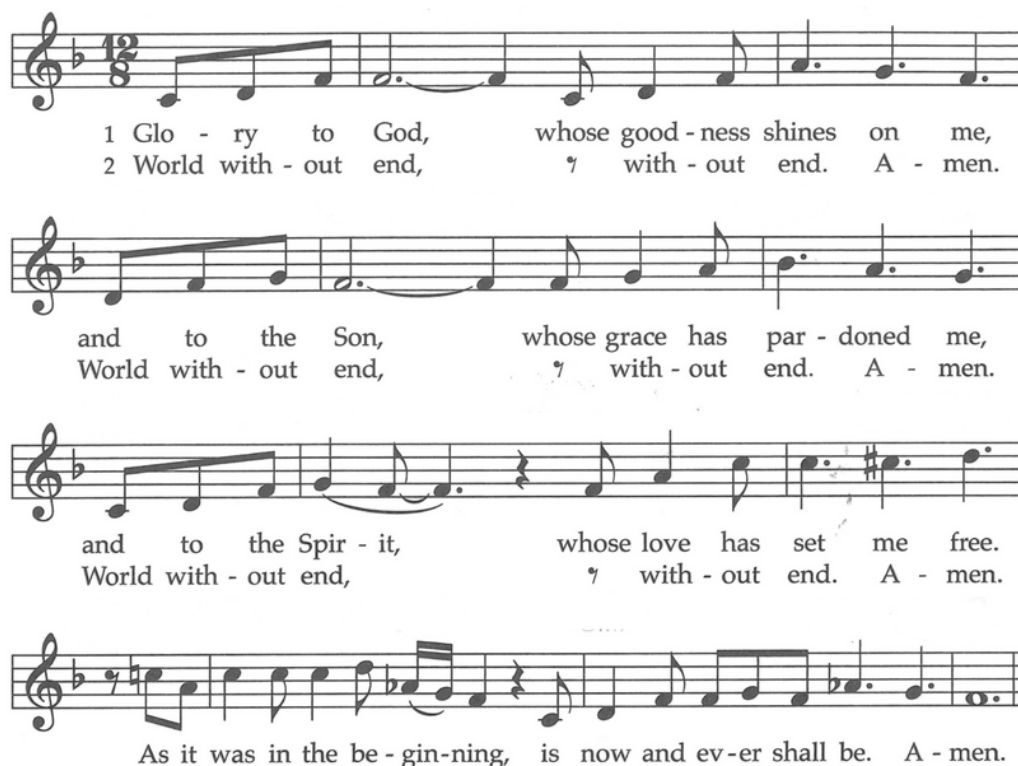
Prayer of Confession

O God, we are not eager to face the sin in our lives. We like to believe that we are basically decent, respectable people, and certainly better than the worst among us. Yet we confess that we have bent your commandments to our own convenience. We listen only for the word we want to hear. We participate in the greed that diminishes lives and destroys the good earth you have entrusted to our care. We tolerate evil through our neglect. Forgive us. Wake us up to an awareness that brings transformation, and support us, we pray, as we walk the path of greater faithfulness. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Choral Response

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me



1 Glo - ry to God, whose good - ness shines on me,
2 World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me,
World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free.
World with - out end, 7 with - out end. A - men.

As it was in the be - gin-ning, is now and ev - er shall be. A - men.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

New Testament, pg 230(Pew Bible)

Special Music

Order My Steps

Chancel Ensemble

Sermon

Commissioned

***Affirmation of Faith**

from The Heidelberg Catechism

L: Why are you called a Christian?

P: Because by faith I am a member of Christ and so share in his anointing. I am anointed to confess his name, to present myself to him as a living sacrifice of thanks, to strive with a free conscience against sin and the devil in this life, and afterward to reign with Christ over all creation for eternity. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

***Choral Response #34**

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Great Thanksgiving

Breaking of the Bread

Communion

***Hymn #592**

Lord, You Give the Great Commission

***Benediction**