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Being a community of devoted believers, we are:
Gathered by the Holy Spirit

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL to WORSHIP

Leader: Open our ears	ALL: to hear your word.
Leader: Open our eyes	ALL: to see your presence.
Leader: Open our arms	ALL: to the embrace of community.
Leader: Open our minds	ALL: to the beauty of truth.
Leader: Open our hearts	ALL: to the joy of new life.

***OPENING HYMN † Open Our Eyes, Lord**

Open our eyes Lord
We want to see Jesus
To reach out and touch Him
And say that we love Him

Open our ears Lord
And Help us to listen
Open our eyes Lord
We want to see Jesus

CALL to CONFESSION

PRAYER of CONFESSION

God of grace, together we turn to you in prayer, for it is you who unite us: you are the one God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit – in whom we believe, you alone empower us for good, you send us out across the earth in mission and service in the name of Christ.

We confess before you and all people: We have been unworthy servants. We have misused and abused the creation. We have wounded one another by divisions everywhere. We have often failed to take decisive action against environmental destruction, poverty, racism, caste-ism, war and genocide. We are not only victims but also perpetrators of violence.

In all this, we have fallen short as disciples of Jesus Christ who in his incarnation came to save us and teach us how to love. Forgive us, God, and teach us to forgive one another.

By the power and guidance of your Holy Spirit, O God, may our prayers never be empty words but an urgent response to your living Word – in non-violent direct action for positive change, in bold, clear, specific acts of solidarity, liberation, healing and compassion, readily sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.

In His name we pray, Amen.

PROCLAMATION of GRACE

***GLORIA PATRI**

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.

***SHARING the PEACE of CHRIST**

***PRAISE RESPONSE ~ Amen, Amen, Amen**

Growing in faith

***PRAISE SONG † Lord I Need You**

Lord I come, I confess
Bowing here, I find my rest
Without You, I fall apart
You're the one that guides my heart

CHORUS

***Lord, I need You, oh I need You
Every hour, I need You
My one defense, my righteousness
Oh God, how I need You***

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more
Where grace is found is where You are
And where You are, Lord I am free
Holiness is Christ in me **[CHORUS]**

So teach my song to rise to You
When temptation comes my way
And when I cannot stand, I'll fall on You
Jesus, You're my hope and stay **[CHORUS]**

My one defense, my righteousness
Oh God, how I need You

PRAYER of ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE † John 17:5-11

SERMON

Thoughts and Prayers

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***HYMN † The Lord's Prayer**

sung by Pat Ambrose & Cathy Columbus

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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.

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE with LORD'S PRAYER

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Going to share the good news of God's love.

OFFERING of OUR LIVES & GIFTS

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above the heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

***PRAYER of DEDICATION**

***CLOSING HYMN † Leaning on the Everlasting Arms**

What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
what a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

REFRAIN

***Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.***

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
leaning on the everlasting arms. **[Refrain]**

What have I to dread, what have I to fear,
leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
leaning on the everlasting arms. **[Refrain]**

***CHARGE & BLESSING**

***SENDING HYMN † May the God of Hope Go with Us**

May the God of hope go with us every day,
Filling all our lives with love and joy and peace.
May the God of justice speed us on our way,
Bringing light and hope to every land and race.

***Praying, let us work for peace, singing, share our joy with all,
Working for a world that's new, faithful when we hear Christ's call. (REPEAT)***

Carnegie Presbyterian Church is a caring and serving community of devoted believers in Jesus Christ called to inspire and nurture the spiritual health and physical well-being of our neighboring communities.

Reminder

**Be Careful
Be Aware
Be Safe**