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Nathan Long, Assistant Student Pastor
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Being a community of devoted believers, we are:
Gathered by the Holy Spirit

Leading the service today will be Nathan Long, Assistant Student Pastor

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

CALL to WORSHIP

Leader: If it had not been for God, who was on our side, we would have fallen prey to those who want to harm us; we would have been swept away by sadness and fear.

ALL: Bless be the Lord, our protector!

Leader: God has broken the snare that took away our freedom. Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth.

ALL: Blessed be God's holy name!

***OPENING PRAISE SONG † Blessed Be Your Name**
SEE back page of bulletin for lyrics

CALL to CONFESSION † PRAYER of CONFESSION

God of unity, we live in a world where our lives move between inclusivity and exclusivity. We often move toward the latter, trying to oust from our circles those who do not think like us, act like us, or look like us. Forgive our need to reject and to always be on the lookout for those things that make us different. Give us the eyes of our teacher, who knows unconditional love and compassion and sees us all as one, for it is in his name that 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.

Growing in faith

***PRAISE SONG † Sweet Hour of Prayer**

1 Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer!
 that calls me from a world of care,
 and bids me at my Father's throne
 make all my wants and wishes known.
 In seasons of distress and grief,
 my soul has often found relief,
 and oft escaped the tempter's snare
 by thy return, sweet hour of prayer!

2 Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer!
 the joys I feel, the bliss I share
 of those whose anxious spirits burn
 with strong desires for thy return!
 With such I hasten to the place
 where God my Savior shows his face,
 and gladly take my station there,
 and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!

PRAYER of ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE † James 5:13-20

SERMON

“Our Church”

Nathan Long, Assistant Student Pastor

AFFIRMATION of FAITH

Psalm 124:2-8

²If it had not been the Lord who was on our side, when our enemies attacked us, ³then they would have swallowed us up alive, when their anger was kindled against us; ⁴then the flood would have swept us away, the torrent would have gone over us; ⁵then over us would have gone the raging waters. ⁶Blessed be the Lord, who has not given us as prey to their teeth. ⁷We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowlers; the snare is broken, and we have escaped. ⁸Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

***PRAISE SONG † O Church Arise**

O church arise and put your armor on
Hear the call of Christ our captain
For now the weak can say that they are strong
In the strength that God has given

With shield of faith and belt of truth
We'll stand against the devil's lies
An army bold whose battle cry is love
Reaching out to those in darkness

So Spirit come, put strength in every stride
Give grace for every hurdle
That we may run with faith to win the prize
Of a servant good and faithful

As saints of old still line the way
Retelling triumphs of His grace
We hear their calls and hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE with 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.

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 PRAISE SONG † Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak**

Lord, speak to me, that I may speak
in living echoes of your tone;
as you have sought, so let me seek
your erring children lost and lone.

O teach me, Lord, that I may teach
the precious things you do impart;
and wing my words, that they may reach
the hidden depths of many a heart.

Oh, fill me with your fullness, Lord,
Until my very hearts o'erflows
In kindling thought and glowing word,
Your love to tell, your praise to show.

***CHARGE & BLESSING**

***SENDING HYMN † Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelujah**

Halle, halle, halle-lujah.
Halle, halle, halle-lujah.
Halle, halle, halle-lujah.
Hallelujah, hallelujah.



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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.

Opening Praise Song Lyrics

BLESSED BE YOUR NAME

Blessed Be Your Name
in the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

Blessed Be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness
Blessed Be Your name

***Every blessing You pour out,
I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord
Still I will say***

***Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name***

Blessed be Your name
When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's 'all as it should be'
Blessed be Your name

Blessed be Your name
On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be Your name

***Every blessing You pour out,
I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord
Still I will say***

***Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name***

You give and take away
You give and take away
My heart will choose to say
Lord blessed be Your name
You give and take away
You give and take away
My heart will choose to say
Lord blessed be Your name

***Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord
Blessed be Your glorious name***



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Do you have questions or would like to schedule time
to talk with Pastor Colleen? If so, let us know!*

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Online & In-person**

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