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**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** The Double Duty SS Class will not be meeting until the class members let Gene Eshleman know that they are ready to come back.

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# Salem at Worship

## Sunday, July 12, 2020



PRELUDE Bob Wambold

**“Let There Be Peace on Earth”**

Sy Miller and Jill Jackson

ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Ron Kite

\*CALL TO WORSHIP 2040 Black Hymnal

**“Awesome God”**

Sing Twice

\*OPENING PRAYER Liturgist

*Faithful God, we gather as your people, longing for your presence. We bring our doubts and fears, trusting that your grace will bring us the peace we lack. May we dwell in your house, delighting in your beauty. Teach us your ways, that we may abide in your grace and count heaven as our home. Amen. (Based on Psalm 27, Philippians 3)*

\*OPENING HYMN 77 Red Hymnal

**“How Great Thou Art”**

Verses 1 and 2, Stuart Heine, 1953

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Unison

**Vine and Branches**

**We believe in God, the Root of all living, Creator of all things. We live in Christ Jesus, God's Son, who loved all people and who makes us one in his love. He suffered and died, and was raised to new life. In his death and resurrection we are also raised to life that is transformed. Christ is our Vine, and we are his branches; and without him we cannot live. We live by the Holy Spirit, flowing through us so that we may bear fruit for God, the fruit of love. In the Spirit we are one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world. We trust in the one holy church, the communing of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the mystery of resurrection, and the grace of eternal life. Amen. *by Steve Garnaas-Holmes***

PRAYER HYMN 136 Red Hymnal

**“The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want”**

Verses 1 and 5, Scottish Psalter, 1650

PRAYER TIME Pastor Ron Kite

LORD'S PRAYER Unison

**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 trespasses; as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO OFFERING Liturgist

*O God, most merciful and gracious, of whose bounty we have all received, accept this offering of your people. Remember in your love those who have brought it and those for whom it is given, and so follow it with your blessing that it may promote peace and goodwill among all peoples, and advance the kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen. (PRESBYTERIAN, U.S.A. 20<sup>TH</sup> CENT.)*

OFFERING PRAYER Pastor Ron Kite

SPECIAL MUSIC Bob Wambold

**“On Eagle's Wings”**

Michael Joncan, 1979

SCRIPTURE Psalm 27:1-4 (TLB)

Liturgist

**Leader:** *This is the Word of God for the People of God.*

**People:** **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 454 Red Hymnal

**“Open My Eyes, That I May See”**

Verses 1, 2, and 3, Clara Scott, 1895

\*SCRIPTURE Psalm 8 (TLB)

Liturgist

**Leader:** *This is the Word of God for the People of God.*

**People:** **Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE Pastor Ron Kite

**“The Beauty of God”**

\*CLOSING HYMN 436 Red Hymnal

**“The Voice of God Is Calling”**

Verses 1 and 4, William Lloyd, 1840

\*BENEDICTION Pastor Ron Kite

POSTLUDE Bob Wambold

**“Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”**

Beethoven

\*Stand as you are able.