

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

October 12, 2025

10:30 am

Prelude

Choir Introit

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Call to Worship:

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?**

One thing I asked of the Lord:
to live in the house of the Lord all my days,

**to behold the beauty of the Lord,
to inquire in God's temple.**

For the Lord will shelter me in times of trouble,

**and set me high on a stone mountain
in times of celebration.**

Sing praises to the Lord!

** Hymn #17 "Ye Servants of God"*

Invitation to Confession:

Let us confess our sin to God and one another.

**God of all creation: deliver us from sin
and the sinful systems that snare us;
from all spiritual blindness;
from pride, vanity and hypocrisy;
from envy, hatred and wrath;
and from all lack of love.
Bring us together in spirit and in truth.
And then send us out
as ambassadors of love through Jesus Christ.
Amen**

Assurance of Pardon

We are claimed, named and aimed in the baptism of Jesus Christ. The Lord has given us the grace to be made new, to live together in love, and to fulfill the gospel promises in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Believe and share the good news!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

In Jesus Christ, we are a new creation!

***Gloria Patri (#623 Hymnal)**

Welcome and Announcements

Invitational music for JLK (#42 Hymnal)

Choir Anthem: "There Is a Redeemer"

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

* Doxology (625 Hymnal)

* Offertory Prayer

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 12:4-27

Sermon: "The Myth of the Lone Ranger" Dr. Andrew McDonald

** Hymn " Though I May Speak " see insert*

Prayer Requests and Lord's Prayer

** Hymn #21 "Stand Up and Bless the Lord"*

* Benediction

** Choir Benediction:*

* Postlude

* Stand, if comfortably able.

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Organist: Gail Tutt

Custodian: Dave Miller

Deacons: Jan Gustafson

Session: Michelle Kahley

Mission Committee: Carole Taube

Building Committee: Hilde Wray

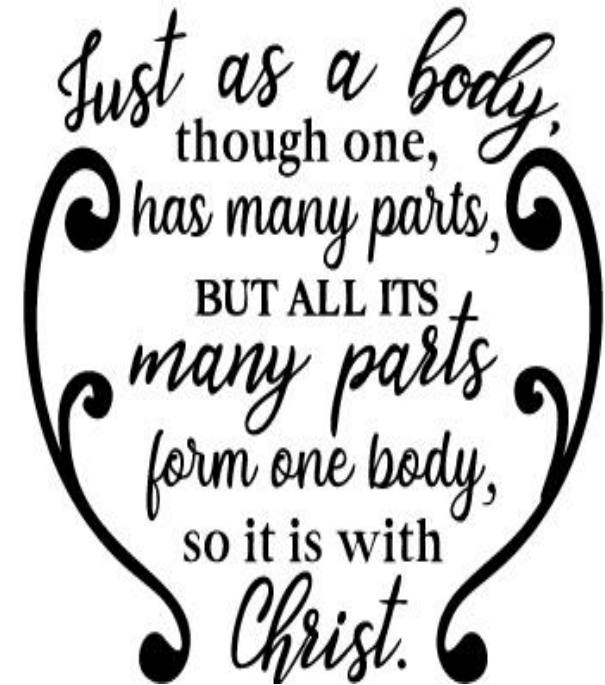
PNC: Michelle Kahley

(Pastor Nominating Committee)

Sunday School Teacher: Terrie Palmer

Prayer Needs: Todd Kahley, Family of Agnes Barnhouse, Shala Mannoochahr, Donna James, Pauline Shroyer, Sam Waldron.

Interested in Membership? If you are visiting Coal Valley Presbyterian Church today, we are glad to have you as our guest! If you are ready to take the next step in your spiritual journey by joining our church family, please see Dr. McDonald after the service or call the church office. We will let you know about our new member orientation class.



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THIS WEEK

Sunday (10-12)	Sunday School Worship	9:15 am 10:30 am
Tuesday (10-14)	Afternoon Circle	1:00 pm
Thursday (10-16)	Choir Practice	7:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE:

Pastor Appreciation Day: Today is Pastor Appreciation Sunday. Baskets are at the back of the church for Pastor and Pastor's assistant cards and well wishes.

Afternoon Circle: Tuesday, October 14th the Afternoon Circle will meet at church at 1:00 pm. Connie is the Leader and Barb Belville is the hostess. We are on Chapter 5 in the book "Experiencing God's Presence". All are welcome to join us!

Free Kitchen: The deacons served 75 meals to people at the Christian Care Men's Shelter on Tuesday.

Daily Bread: The Large print, October/Nov/Dec, issue of the daily bread is at the back of the Church. Please help yourself.

Thankyou: The food Pantry would like to thank you for all the canned fruit and vegetables that were donated last month.

Trunk -r-Treat: Will be October 21st at the municipal Park. **We are needing donations of candy for that event.**

Reformation Sunday: There will be a "Scottish Festival" after Church on Oct 26th. Events include Scottish games for kids, food, bagpipes, face painting, etc. Please bring your lawn chair and invite some friends.

Shoeboxes: It's time to get our shoeboxes ready for Operation Christmas Child. Our drop off date is November 23rd. Let's go!

Are You Scottish? Please let the office know if you are of Scottish ancestry. We would like to know for our Reformation Day Celebration on October 26th.

Looking for Instrumentalists: If you play a musical instrument and would be willing to share your talents for Worship once in a while please let Dr McDonald know.

Happy Birthday: The Deacons would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following people this week:

Nancy Breitenstein	October 15
Phillip Laxton	October 15
Chaz Blankenship	October 17
Kaleb Blankenship	October 19
Allyssa Spoljoric	October 19
Jonathan Bradley	October 19



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