

WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping God with us!

Please check all that apply:

- New Resident (of the area)
- Would like a call from the Pastor
- Please update my information
- Prayer request on back
- Would like to be added to email list

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Children:

Name _____

Age _____

Name _____

Age _____

**please tear off and drop in offering plate*

THE SESSION

Clerk of Session: Barbara Sodersten

| <u>Class of 2018</u> | <u>Class of 2019</u> | <u>Class of 2020</u> |
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| Carol Kennaday | Dan Broschart | Amy Ambrosini |
| Bernadette Schaffner | Mike Fornataro | Danielle Pacchioni |
| Barbara Sodersten | Bill Heasley | Jeff Wolfe |
| | Ken Richards | |

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Moderator: Alice Sacherich & Nancy Richards

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| Bette Meek | Sue Frenz | |

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 Marlena Priester, *Preschool/C.Ed Director*
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HIGHLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

4 March, 2018

11 o' clock Worship

GATHERING MUSIC

Hiding Place
 The More I Seek You
 Jesus

Highland Praise Team

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Richard Kinney

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Karmin Dando

Leader: All the nations you have made will come and worship before you,
O Lord; they will bring glory to your name.

**People: For you are great and do marvelous deeds;
you alone are God.**

Leader: Teach me your way, O LORD,
and I will walk in your truth;
Give me an undivided heart,
that I may fear your name.

**People: I will praise you, O Lord my God, with all my heart;
I will glorify your name forever.
For great is your love toward me;
you have delivered me from the depths of the grave.**

Leader: The arrogant are attacking me, O God;
a band of ruthless men seeks my life
– men with no regard for you.

**People: But you, O Lord, are a compassionate and gracious God,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**

Leader: Turn to me and have mercy on me;
grant your strength to your servant, and save your faithful son.

**All: Give me a sign of your goodness,
that my enemies may see it and be put to shame,
for you, O LORD, have helped and comforted me.**

Psalm 86:9-17

***WORSHIP SONGS**

I Worship You, Almighty God
Our God Reigns

CALL TO CONFESSION

Leader: Blessed is the man whose transgressions are forgiven,
whose sins are covered.

**People: Blessed is the man whose sin the LORD does not count against
him, in whose spirit there is no deceit.**

Leader: When I kept silent, my body wasted away,
through my groaning all day long.
For day and night your hand was heavy upon me,
my strength was sapped, as in the heat of summer.

**People: Then I acknowledged my sin to you
and did conceal my guilt,
I said, “I shall confess my offence to the LORD,”
and you forgave the guilt of my sin.**

Leader: Then let everyone who is godly pray to you
while you may be found;
surely when the mighty waters rise,
they will not reach him.

Psalm 32:1-6

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**All: You are my hiding place; you will protect me from trouble
and surround me with songs of deliverance.**

Leader: I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go;
I will counsel you and watch over you.

Do not be like the horse or the mule,
which have no understanding
but must be controlled by bit and bridle
or they will not come to you.

Many are the woes of the wicked,
but the LORD’s unfailing love
surrounds the one who trust in Him.

**All: Rejoice in the LORD and be glad, you righteous;
sing, all you who are upright in heart!**

Psalm 32:7-11

SONGS OF RESPONSE

You Are My Hiding Place
Glorious Day

SCRIPTURE

The Book of Exodus 24:12-18; 32:1-14

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SERMON

Substituting God

*“Come, make us gods who will go before us ...”
Exodus 32:1*

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***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Leader: The LORD descended in the cloud and stood there with him,
and proclaimed the name of the LORD.

The LORD passed before him and proclaimed:

**All: The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious,
slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness,
maintaining steadfast love for thousands,
forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin.**

Exodus 34:5-7

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Danielle Pacchioni

OFFERTORY

Forever Grateful/Old Rugged Cross

Highland Praise Team

***CONCLUDING SONG**

One God

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Richard Kinney

**Prayer Request(s)
&**



Notes for the Office:

**RSVP For Highland’s
Seder Meal
\$5.00 per person
March 29th, 6:00 pm**

Family Name: _____

Number Attending: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____