Leading in Today's Service

Worship Leaders: Pastor Matt, Micah Iriye, Susan Fisher
Pianist/Organist: Anna Nichols
Worship Music Team (varies): Beverly Brown, Jim Buckmaster, Pam Carnahan, Jody Cox, Iantha Frazer
Media Team (varies): Ruth Brown, Wayne Brown, Tim Brye, Dan Cobb, Jody Cox, Bret Curtis, Dona Hair, Michele Haworth, Todd Haworth, Bonnie McCloskey, Bruce McCloskey, Barb Pappas, Bob Pappas, Dorita Reed, Paul Stutesman, Mark Wendt
Slides: Lauren Corder, Cathi Hughes
This week's slideshow: The Wonders of Fall
Last week's attendance: 8:30 47, 11:00 58, online 52

Next Week's Worship, Sunday, November 15, 2026, Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Ecclesiastes 3:9-15, *Matthew 25:31-46; "Joy in Little Things"; Pastor Matt is preaching. In Jesus' parable of the Sheep and the Goats, we learn that even the smallest acts of kindness, mercy, and generosity can have a lasting impact...even eternal consequences. While we often strive for the extraordinary, perhaps we should pay more attention to seeing Christ's presence in the ordinary aspects of daily life, and seek joy in little things.

Announcements

Worship, Sunday, November 8, Worship at 8:30 and 11 am
Pie Time, *this* Sunday, November 8, after both services
Congregational Meeting, *this* Sunday, November 8, 12:15 pm, Fellowship Hall
Naomi Circle, Monday, November 9, 12:30 pm, Fellowship Hall
Tuesday Morning Online Bible Study, Tuesday, November 10, 8 am, Zoom
Personnel Committee, Tuesday, November 10, 12 pm, Fellowship Hall
Worship Team Rehearsal, Tuesday, November 10, 5 pm, Sanctuary
Church Office Closed, Wednesday, November 11, in honor of Veterans Day
Men's Breakfast Group, Wednesday, November 11, 9 am, Fairmount Diner
Women's Bible Study, Wednesday, November 11, 10 am, Upstairs Classroom
Advent Event Casting Call, Wednesday, November 11, 5 pm, Fellowship Hall
Worship, Sunday, November 15, 2026, 8:30 & 11:00 am, ***Sunday School*** 9:45 am
Youth Group Event, Sunday, November 15, 4 pm, First Presbyterian

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First Presbyterian Church of Port Angeles



Stewardship Dedication Sunday
November 8, 2026



Gathering Around the Word

Prelude "It Is Well with my Soul" Williams

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Christ is calling, inviting, urging and wooing: Come and follow me!
Let us set aside our worry and fear, our busyness and competing agendas to respond to Christ's call.
Christ offers us the opportunity to walk with him, to come to know his heart more deeply day by day.
Nothing is more precious than opening our hearts to God, who fills us with love.
Christ grants us the privilege of working alongside him in our Father's business.
There is no higher call and no greater joy than making a difference in the kingdom of God.
Come, let us worship the One who calls us to follow!
We worship in joy, in gratitude, in praise: Jesus Christ is Lord of all!

* *Please rise in body or in spirit.*

*Hymns of Praise

"10,000 Reasons"	#559
"Good Good Father"	Brown, et al.
"In Christ Alone"	#770

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, help us. When we have run away, when we have turned our backs on love, when we have sought immediate satisfaction and not long-term healing, help us. Merciful God, forgive us. When we have been selfish, when we have been mean, when we have closed our ears to the cries of others, forgive us. Powerful God, heal us. When we are so broken we cannot move, when we don't know how to stem the bleeding of our wounds, when we are too ashamed to seek community, heal us. Give us the courage, the strength, and the hope to accept your grace and hear your call in Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!
Thanks be to God!

Passing of the Peace

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

Please greet one another with the peace of Christ.

Proclaiming the Word

Scripture Reading	Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22	Susan Fisher
Time for Young Disciples		Chris Watkins
Scripture Reading	Ephesians 2:1-10	
Sermon	"Walking in Jesus' Footsteps"	Pastor Matt

Responding to the Word

*Hymn of Response	"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"	#730

Minute for Ministry

Offering

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication #965

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Dedicating Our Pledges and Prayers

Hymn	"We Give Thee but Thine Own"	#877

Congregational Prayer/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.

Bearing and Following the Word into the World

*Closing Hymn	"Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"	#590

*Benediction

Postlude	"A Quiet Moment"	Lasky

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