WOODLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Worship Service 10 a.m.

January 9, 2022

Worship Book

Join us online by going to www.woodlandpresbyterian.org

"Ancient Words" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ouTgX9hcwk4

"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)" https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KKo3T0j9qqo

(Tune in early to see the scrolling church announcements)

WELCOME

VIDEO: "Knit Together"

CALL TO WORSHIP AND PRAYER

Karen Wilson

HYMN

"Ancient Words"

Verse 1

Holy words long preserved For our walk in this world; They resound with God's own heart, O, let the ancient words impart;

Verse 2

Words of life, words of hope, Give us strength, help us cope; In this world where'er we roam, Ancient words will guide us home.

<u>Chorus</u>

Ancient words, ever true, Changing me, changing you; We have come with open hearts, O let the ancient words impart.

Verse 3

Holy words of our faith Handed down to this age, Came to us through sacrifice; O, heed the faithful words of Christ.

Verse 4

Martyr's blood stains each page, They have died for this faith; Hear them cry through the years; Heed these words and hold them dear.

Chorus (2X)

Ending

We have come with open hearts, O let the ancient words impart. O let the ancient words impart.

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SCRIPTURE READING: 2 Corinthians 2:12-17

12 When I came to Troas to preach the gospel of Christ, even though a door was opened for me in the Lord, ¹³ my spirit was not at rest because I did not find my brother Titus there. So I took leave of them and went on to Macedonia. ¹⁴ But thanks be to God, who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession, and through us spreads the fragrance of the knowledge of him everywhere. ¹⁵ For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing, ¹⁶ to one a fragrance from death to death, to the other a fragrance from life to life. Who is sufficient for these things? ¹⁷ For we are not, like so many, peddlers of God's word, but as men of sincerity, as commissioned by God, in the sight of God we speak in Christ.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION/ASSURANCE OF PARDON

OFFERING

Chancel Choir: "Snow on Snow"

DOXOLOGY

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

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SCRIPTURE: 2 Peter 1-3

SERMON: *"Themes of 2 Peter"*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

THE 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

CLOSING SONG "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"

Verse 1

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me. I once was lost, but now I'm found, Was blind but now I see.

Verse 2

'Twas grace that taught My heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved. How precious did that grace appear, The hour I first believed.

<u>Chorus</u>

My chains are gone. I've been set free, My God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood His mercy rains, Unending love, amazing grace.

Verse 3

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be, As long as life endures.

Chorus (2X)

Verse 4

The earth shall soon Dissolve like snow, The sun forbear to shine. But God, who called me here below, Will be forever mine. Will be forever mine. You are forever mine.

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BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thursday - 10 a.m., Acts

<u>The Encouraging Word</u> – If you would like to receive the weekly email of the prayers from the Sunday service, please call or email Claralee Williams. <u>Annual Meeting</u> – Sunday, January 30, following Worship

PRAYER FAMILIES

Week of January 2: Myrtle Adams Sandy WyzanowskiWeek of January 9: Yvonne Barker Carollynn Woodward