



Murray Presbyterian Church

*August 24, 2025 10am Worship
Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost*

Welcome and Announcements

Greeting One Another Ringing of the Tower Bell

*Call to Worship:

Leader: The Spirit of God calls to us,

People: With sighs too deep for words.

Leader: The Spirit of God calls to us,

People: Claiming us,

Leader: Summoning us to become more than we now are.

People: Calling us by name: God's children.

*Hymn: "Will You Come and Follow Me"

(see screen)

*Prayer of Confession:

Almighty God,

you love us, but we have not loved you;

you call, but we have not listened.

We walk away from neighbors in need,

wrapped up in our own concerns.

We have gone along with evil,

with pride, quarrelling, and divisiveness.

Holy God, help us to face up to ourselves,

so that, as you move toward us in mercy,

we may repent, turn to you, and receive mercy;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silent Reflection

Assurance of Pardon

*Congregational Response: "Gloria Patri"

Scripture Lesson: Ephesians 1:15-23

Sermon: "Paul: Praying for Others"
(Daring to Draw Near, pt.8)

*Hymn: "Open My Eyes That I May See" (WC 557)

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Offering

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn: "We Are Called to Be God's People" (WC 710)

*Benediction and Benediction Response

*Please Stand if Able

WC: Worshiping Church Hymnal (found on seat) PH: Presbyterian Hymnal (found in pew rack)

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