

Offertory – *Thy Word*

Doxology

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

Prayer of Dedication

Gracious God, our gifts are small next to all that you have given us. Take our gifts, LORD, and make them holy, so that they may help to feed the hungry, grow the church, and share your Light with a world lost in darkness. Amen.

Closing Hymn

O Sing to The LORD
v. 1-3 #472 Presbyterian Hymnal

Benediction

Song of Sending

LORD, Dismiss us with thy Blessing
v. 1 #237 Celebration Hymnal

Pastor: Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

The Postlude

The People of God Gathered to Worship As
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF WEST SALEM

June 21, 2026
4th Sunday After Pentecost

Prelude – *Faith Of Our Fathers*

Welcome

Prayer Requests

Call to Worship

LEADER: People of God, Our God has Called Us!

PEOPLE: **God Calls us to be a voice to the World!**

LEADER: God calls to speak with kindness and hope,

PEOPLE: **God calls us to listen with patience and grace!**

LEADER: Worship our God, who made our voices and ears!

PEOPLE: **LET US WORSHIP THE LORD!**

Opening Hymn

For the Beauty of the Earth
v. 1,3,5 #473 Presbyterian Hymnal

Prayers of the People and 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.

Passing of the Peace

Let us greet one another as forgiven sinners
with the peace of Christ:

*“May the Peace of our LORD Jesus Christ be with you!
And also, with you.”*

Hymn of Illumination

Open My Eyes, That I May See
v. 1 #563 Celebration Hymnal

First Scripture Reading

Jeremiah 20:7-13 - See Insert

A Moment with the Children - We Fight, God Wins

Confirmation – Elsa Wolbrink, Brynn Logging, Carter Hill

Second Scripture Reading

Romans 6:1-11 - See Insert

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon - Newly Alive Pastor Dan McCurdy

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we are sinful people living in a sinful world. All around us, everyday we see more and more signs of how the world requires your love, your power, and your beauty. We have not done all that you call us to do, and we do many things you tell us not to do. We have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, and might, nor have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. We allow our mistakes to sideline us, rather than continuing to try. Forgive us, LORD, hear our cry for you to come and set all that is wrong right, and listen to the silent confessions of our hearts.

Moment of Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Gloria Patri

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son
And to the Holy Ghost.**

**As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be.
World without end. Amen, Amen.**

Affirmation of Faith

(The Apostles Creed)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Presentation of Tithes, Offerings, and Gifts

The Gifts of God are all around us, our lives and our homes, our talents and our joys, our family and friends, and the greatest gift of all was the Salvation promised, the life of Christ seeking to end our division from God and each other. When we give, we do not do so to purchase anything... for the gifts of God were already given. Instead, we give in imitation of our LORD, offering what we have to support others, and to be ourselves the gift that God gives the World, so let us worship God with our Giving.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Jeremiah 20:7-13

⁷ O Lord, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all day long; everyone mocks me. ⁸ For whenever I speak, I must cry out; I must shout, "Violence and destruction!" For the word of the Lord has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. ⁹ If I say, "I will not mention him or speak any more in his name," then within me there is something like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot. ¹⁰ For I hear many whispering: "Terror is all around! Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" All my close friends are watching for me to stumble. "Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him and take our revenge on him." ¹¹ But the Lord is with me like a terrifying warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble, and they will not prevail. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonor will never be forgotten. ¹² O Lord of hosts, you test the righteous; you see the heart and the mind; let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause. ¹³ Sing to the Lord; praise the Lord! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 6:1-11

¹What then are we to say? Should we continue in sin in order that grace may increase? ² By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? ³ Do you not know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴ Therefore we were buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we also might walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶ We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, so we might no longer be enslaved to sin. ⁷ For whoever has died is freed from sin. ⁸ But if we died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. ⁹ We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. ¹⁰ The death he died, he died to sin once for all, but the life he lives, he lives to God. ¹¹ So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

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**The Sanctuary is equipped with a Telecoil hearing loop system
for those with hearing aid devices**

June 21, 2026 Worship Team	
Pastor	Dan McCurdy
Liturgist	Lily Oldenburg
Musicians	Caroline Sells
Sound Room	Brynn Loging
Usher	Kristjan Sells

Tithes and Offerings

Donations can be mailed to:

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Exercise Group - Tuesdays and Fridays

9:00 to 10:00 am - Fellowship Hall

***The ongoing mission of The Presbyterian Women is to support
the Salvation Army and WINN (What I Need Now) collecting
needed items (lists are on tables and Lamplighter). All items
can be placed in the purple tote at the back of the sanctuary.
Money donations are accepted as well.***

**Support the West Salem Food Pantry - Please bring food and home donations
and place them in the shopping carts between the entryway doors.**

Community Dinner

June 24th - 5-6 pm

Blood Drive

July 30th

11:30-4:30

Fellowship Hall

Name tags are available for everyone.

**Name tags are on back table
in the Sanctuary before service.**

Women's Bible Study

June 10th through August 19th

Wednesdays at 7 pm

Contact Jenni Loging or Sara Oldenburg

Coffee will be served TODAY to celebrate Father's Day

PCOWS Annual Pool Party - West Salem Swarthout Pool

Sunday, July 26th – 6-8pm – Free Admission

Snacks, drinks and prizes provided! Bring a friend

Confirmation Sunday – TODAY

Congratulations to Elsa Wolbrink, Brynn Loging, Carter Hill

Church September Rummage Sale

**Items can now be dropped Wednesday evenings from 6 to 7 or the last Sunday
of the month – 6/28, 7/26 and 8/30, a ½ hour before & after church service
(8:30 & 10:00). Please be sure all donated items are clean and ready to sell.**

We are not accepting any large electronics or appliances.

**If you have furniture to donate or are unable to make the times above, call
Sharon at 608-797-1732 or Sara at 608-304-9926 to set up a time.**

**This is an important mission for PW. Please consider volunteering before or
during the sale. Any time you can give is of great help!**

Thank you!

**As many of you know, Carolyn Lindeman is moving the first part of July to be
closer to her family in California. Carolyn has been a part of this church and
PW for many years and we know many of you would like the opportunity to
say good-bye and wish her well. PW is hosting treats, coffee and lemonade
after church on Sunday, June 28th. We hope you are able to take a moment to
give a hug, share a memory and wish her all the best!**

National Night Out

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

5:00 – 7:30 PM - Village Park of West Salem

PCOWS will have a table at this fun, free community event. Come join the fun!