PRAYER REQUESTS: Please use the blue prayer request cards in the pews for your prayer requests. Place them in the offering plate so Pastor can include them in the Pastoral Prayer.

LAY READER for today is Sharon Laverdure.

CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY this week is Kathy Mattern.

THE FLOWERS this week are given by Mano Miller in memory of loved ones.

DEACON of the month is MaryAnne Gilbert.

GREETER for today is Sharon Laverdure.

Church Elders

Sharon Laverdure Rick Sanker Ellie Buff Sandra Rydell Judy Schreck Jim Hall Phil Lawrence Debbie Prince Lisa Swanson

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THIS WEEK AT E.S.P.C.

Today ~ Worship, 10:00 a.m.

~ Fellowship Hour, following worship

Monday ~ 5-7 Year Planning Commission, 4:15 p.m.

~ Nexus deadline.

Wednesday ~ Walk & Talk, 1:00 p.m.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH East Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania

55 Smith Street East Stroudsburg, PA 18301 (*Indicates to stand, in body or spirit)

July 24, 2022 Service for the Lord's Day

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name"

ARR. BY SANDRA EITHUN

570-421-5821

GATHERING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Shout joyfully to God, all the earth!

P: Sing praises to the glory of God's name! Make glorious His praise.

L: Say to God:

P: "How awesome are Your works! All the earth worships You,

L: Sing praises to You,

P: Sings praises to Your name!"

ALL: Come and see God's deeds. God's blessing on humans is awesome!

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

We come together today, led by Your Holy Spirit, to worship You: to sing Your praise, to confess our mistakes, and to receive Your love and mercy, made possible through the sacrifice of Your Son, Jesus Christ. May we feel Your presence among us as we worship You, and as we open ourselves to Your Word. Amen

CHILDREN'S SERMON

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord our God, we have sometimes not listened for Your summons to praise You; we have not acknowledged that this good news we proclaim is for the whole world; and we have too often been silent to the summons that the created world should join us in praise; we have lamented the inequities of our world, and rightly so, but frequently failed to celebrate Your righteous and equitable judgment, that You will make all things right. Forgive us for our impatience; pardon our lamentation when it should have been celebration; Turn our silence into singing the joyful news of Your presence with us. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

№ Moment for Silent Reflection **%**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

(Pg. 581 in red hymnal)

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.

*THE PEACE

L: The peace of Christ be with you!

P: And also with you!

HYMN NO. 385

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

THE WORD

SECOND LESSON Leviticus 25:10 (Pg. 12)

L: Word of God for the people of God

P: Thanks be to God

SERMON Rev. Ed Freeborn

HYMN NO. 35 "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

APOSTLES' CREED (Pg. 35 in red hymnal)

SENDING

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

PASTORAL 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.

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

HYMN NO. 667 "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

POSTLUDE "Cry of My Heart" ARR. TERRY BUTLER