#### FALKLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

15<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost/22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time/Proper 17 September 2, 2018

# **APPROACH TO GOD**

**PRELUDE** Mr. Roy Lewis

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONCERNS

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has lavished us with every perfect gift from above.

People: and called us to living intimacy through the beloved one,

Jesus Christ our Lord.

## **CELEBRATION MUSIC**

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Shine Jesus Shine Thy Word How Great is Our God

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Loving righteous God, our hearts are defiled with the wickedness you hate. You have called us to yourself, but we have gone away. Forgetting your living Word, we cling to dead traditions. Deceiving ourselves, we abandom your commandments. Hypocrites, we honor you with our lips while our hearts are far from you. Cleanse our hearts from evil intentions; cleanse our tongues from evil words so that our worship may be pure and undefiled and we may live with you in love for others.

(SILENT REFLECTION)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## THE WORD OF GOD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Rev. Kelly Lindsay

**ANTHEM** You Say

Roy & Alison Lewis

#### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE: James 1: 17-27;

Mark 7: 1-8; 14-15, 21-23

Leader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God!** 

**SERMON:** Rev. Lindsay

## PROFESSION OF FAITH (Apostle's Creed)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sittith on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

# **THE RESPONSE TO GOD**

**THE OFFERING OF GIFTS TO GOD** - by the People of God

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PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE LORD'S SUPPER

\*HYMN I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

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\*BENEDICTION POSTLUDE

\*SENDING SONG They Will Know We Are Christians By Our Love

# **CELEBRATION MUSIC**

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## **Shine Jesus Shine**

#### **Chorus:**

Shine, Jesus, shine
Fill this land with the Father's glory
Blaze, Spirit, blaze
Set our hearts on fire
Flow, river, flow
Flood the nations with grace and mercy
Send forth your word
Lord, and let there be light

Lord, the light of your love is shining In the midst of the darkness, shining Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us Set us free by the truth you now bring us Shine on me, shine on me

### [Chorus]

Lord, I come to your awesome presence From the shadows into your radiance By the blood I may enter your brightness Search me, try me, consume all my darkness Shine on me, shine on me

# [Chorus]

# Thy Word

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

When I feel afraid, Think I've lost my way, Still you're there right beside me. And nothing will I fear, As long as you are near. Please be near me to the end.

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. I will not forget, Your love for me and yet My heart forever is wandering. Jesus be my guide, And hold me to your side, I will love you to the end.

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## **How Great Is Our God**

The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty Let all the earth rejoice All the earth rejoice

He wraps himself in Light, and darkness tries to hide And trembles at His voice Trembles at His voice

How great is our God, sing with me How great is our God, and all will see How great, how great is our God

Age to age He stands And time is in His hands Beginning and the end Beginning and the end

The Godhead Three in One Father Spirit Son The Lion and the Lamb The Lion and the Lamb

How great is our God, sing with me How great is our God, and all will see How great, how great is our God

## I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

Over the mountains and the sea, Your river runs with love for me, And I will open up my heart and let the Healer set me free, I'm happy to be in the truth, and I will daily lift my hands, For I will always sing of when Your love come down,

#### Chorus

I could sing of Your love forever
I could sing of Your love forever
I could sing of Your love forever,
I could sing of Your love forever (repeat)

# They Will Know We Are Christians By Our Love

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord And we pray that our unity will one day be restored And they'll know we are Christians by our love Yeah they'll know we are Christians by our love