

FALKLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

16th Sunday After Pentecost/23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time/Proper 18
September 9, 2018

APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE

Mr. Roy Lewis

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CONCERNS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Our merciful God, maker of us all

People: pleads the cause of the poor and afflicted

Leader: Open our hearts to demonstrate God's grace

People: through Jesus Christ our Lord.

CELEBRATION MUSIC

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Tis So Sweet to Trust In Jesus

Your Grace is Enough

Amazing Love

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of favor, we have not been true to you. You have chosen the poor in the world, but we have dishonored them.

You plead the cause of the afflicted, but we crush them. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have favored the rich and despised the poor. We have dismissed the needy with empty words. Soften our hearts and make straight our ways. Heal our unbelief and turn us back to you.

(SILENT REFLECTION)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

THE WORD OF GOD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Rev. Kelly Lindsay

ANTHEM

You Say

Roy Lewis

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE: James 2: 1-10(11-13), 14-17
Mark 7: 24-37

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 sitteth 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 WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

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

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*HYMN *There Is None Like You with Surely the Presence* INSERT

*BENEDICTION POSTLUDE

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

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, by our love

Yeah they'll know we are Christians by our love

Tis So Sweet To Trust in Jesus

Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just to take Him at His Word
Just to rest upon His promise,
Just to know, "Thus saith the Lord!"
Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him!
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus!
Oh, for grace to trust Him more!

I'm so glad I learned to trust Him,
Precious Jesus, Savior, Friend
And I know that He is with me,
Will be with me to the end.

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him!
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus!
Oh, for grace to trust Him more!

Your Grace is Enough

Great is your faithfulness oh God of Jacob
You wrestle with the sinner's heart
You lead us by still waters into mercy
When nothing can keep us apart

So remember your people
Remember your children
Remember your promise, oh God

Chorus

Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough for me

Great is your love and justice God of Jacob
You use the weak to lead the strong
You lead us in the song of heaven's victory
And all your people sing along

So remember your people
Remember your children
Remember your promise, oh God

Chorus

Amazing Love

I'm forgiven, because You were forsaken
I'm accepted, You were condemned
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me
Because You died and rose again.
I'm forgiven, because You were forsaken

I'm accepted, You were condemned
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me
Because You died and rose again

Amazing love, how can it be
That You my King would die for me
Amazing love, I know it's true
It's my joy to honor You
Amazing love, how can it be
That You my King would die for me
Amazing love, I know it's true
It's my joy to honor You
In all I do I honor You

I'm forgiven, because You were forsaken
I'm accepted, You were condemned
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me
Because You died and rose again

There Is None Like You *with* Surely the Presence

There is none like You;
No one else can touch my heart like You do.
I could search for all eternity long
and find there is none like You.

(Repeat above)

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place,
I can feel His mighty power and His grace.
I can hear the brush of angel's wings, I see glory on each face;
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.