# **PROVIDENCE FORGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

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#### **CHURCH STAFF**

Covenant Pastor Rev. Dr. Cindy Kissel-Ito

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## **THE SESSION 2024**

### **Clerk of Session**

Ruth Hopke 2024-2026

# **Administration**

 Pete Adamson
 2024-2026

 Jamie Gray
 2022-2024

 Ayars Lore
 2022-2024

 Nathan Richards
 2023-2025

### **Christian Life**

Paul Davis 2023-2025
Patricia Robinson 2021-2023
Mary-Catherine Sheridan 2024-2026

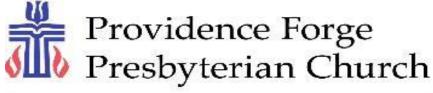
# **Community & Mission**

Davis Gammon 2021-2023

Jo White 2022-2024







To further God's Kingdom on Earth, one soul at a time.

# PROVIDENCE FORGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

# Second Sunday of Easter April 7, 2021

\*Please stand if you are able.

PRELUDE Melody Raef

WELCOME Martha Martin-Daugherty

INTROIT Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling

\*CALL TO WORSHIP from the Presbyterian Outlook

Leader: O give thanks to the LORD, for God is good; **People: The LORD's steadfast love endures forever!** 

Leader: Let the people say,

People: God's steadfast love endures forever.

\*SONG OF PRAISE #122 Thine is the Glory

#### \*CALL TO CONFESSION

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION from the Book of Common Worship Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed, and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak, and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.

\*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

\*RESPONSE TO GOD'S FORGIVING LOVE

#579 Gloria Patri

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you... **And also with you.** 

TIME FOR CHILDREN Rev. Crystal Varner Parker

**SECONDS FOR STEWARDSHIP** 

FIRST LESSON John 20:19-31; Pew Bible p. 883

SECOND LESSON Acts 4:32-35; Pew Bible p. 888

ANTHEM Leaning on the Rock of Ages

SERMON "Seeing is Not Believing" Rev. Crystal Varner Parker

\*SONG OF RESPONSE #440 In Christ There is No East or West

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' 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.

**SONG OF PREPARATION** 

#319 Spirit

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer H

Hymnal p. 16

Words of Institution Sharing the Elements

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WE OFFER OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD

**OFFERTORY** 

\*RESPONSE OF PRAISE

#592 Doxology

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\*SONG OF SENDING #142 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Melody Raef