

*Welcome Families!*



Infant to preschool. Opens 15 min before service



K—5th dismissed during service



6—8th dismissed during service



VOYAGERS is hosting  
**VELVET NOSES HORSE MINISTRY**  
**Wed., SEPTEMBER 3**  
Lunch @11:30 Butler Hall \$10/person  
ALL ARE WELCOME!

**RSVP by Aug. 28 to Jane (559/967-4584) or Richann (805/712-3564).**

Quarterly  
**DEACON.**  
*Offering*

The DEACONS FUND helps people in our congregation and community and contributes to other service organizations worldwide.

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How can we pray for you?  
**PRAYER MINISTRY**  
Pray with us after worship

*Celebrating God's Faithfulness*

AT THE  
**INSTALLATION SERVICE**  
FOR  
**REV. JOY SCARPUZZI**

SUNDAY, SEPT. 14, 2025 | 4 PM

light reception to follow

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But seek first the kingdom  
of God and His righteousness,  
and all these things shall  
be added to you.

**Matthew 6:33**

**AUGUST 24, 2025**

**10:00AM**

in each  
amen

## Order of Worship

### Ringling of the Bell

**Opening Song**    *He Has Made Me Glad*

### Welcome and Announcements

### Time for Young Disciples

#### \*Songs of Praise

*Hallelujah*  
*Abide*

### Call to Confession of Sin

#### Prayer of Confession

God of grace, generosity, and abundance, we come today confessing our need for forgiveness. We have too often taken for granted the many ways You provide for our needs and bless us beyond measure. You place callings on our lives, and You gift us with abilities and gifts, and yet we misuse and misjudge ourselves and one another. Help us to be more grateful for what we have and to be thankful for the many opportunities You give us to serve You. We thank You and love You, Father in heaven.

*(Please take this time to offer your own silent prayers and petitions)*

Leader: Let the people of God say together.

**People: In the name Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

### Assurance of Pardon

#### Offertory

#### Instrumental

#### \*Doxology

### Prayers of the People

**Scripture Reading**        *Matthew 20:1-16 (p. 825)*

**Message**                    "Kingdom Work"

Pastor Roger Patton

### Invitation to Discipleship

**\*Closing Song**        *I'd Rather Have Jesus*

#### \*Benediction

*\*Indicates congregation standing*

### "Kingdom Work"

*Matthew 20:1-16*

We are called to belong to the kingdom of God. In God's kingdom we are called to participate in kingdom work.

What is it like to work in the kingdom?

I. There is lots of \_\_\_\_\_ to do, and everyone has a \_\_\_\_\_.

II. Workers are treated \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

III. God's \_\_\_\_\_ should be met with \_\_\_\_\_.

<https://cepreaching.org/commentary/2020-09-14/matthew-201-16-2/>

Our prayer partners today are Laura Fletcher and Frank Bush.  
You're invited to share your prayer needs with them after the service.  
Written prayer requests can be placed in the Offering box on back wall.

*The mission of Templeton Presbyterian Church is "to cultivate a community of people who know they **Belong** to Jesus Christ to help them **Believe** in who He is and **Become** who He is calling them to be!"*

### **HE HAS MADE ME GLAD**

I will enter His gates  
With thanksgiving in my heart  
I will enter His courts with praise  
I will say this is the day  
That the Lord has made  
I will rejoice  
For He has made me glad

He has made me glad  
He has made me glad  
I will rejoice for  
He has made me glad  
He has made me glad  
He has made me glad  
I will rejoice for  
He has made me glad

### **HALLELUJAH**

Your love is amazing  
Steady and unchanging  
Your love is a mountain  
Firm beneath my feet  
Your love is a myst'ry  
How You gently lift me  
When I am surrounded  
Your love carries me

Hallelujah hallelujah hallelujah  
Your love makes me sing  
Hallelujah hallelujah hallelujah  
Your love makes me sing

Your love is surprising  
I can feel it rising  
All the joy that's growing  
Deep inside of me  
Ev'ry time I see You  
All Your goodness shines through  
I can feel this God song  
Rising up in me

Yes You make me sing  
Lord You make me sing sing sing  
How You make me sing

### **ABIDE**

For my waking breath / For my daily bread  
I depend on You / I depend on You  
For the sun to rise / For my sleep at night  
I depend on You / I depend on You

You're the way the truth and the life / You're the well that never runs dry  
I'm the branch and You are the vine / Draw me close and teach me to abide

Where the Spirit leads / As I'm following  
I depend on You / I depend on You  
For the victories / Still in front of me  
I depend on You / I depend on You

You're the way the truth and the life / You're the well that never runs dry  
I'm the branch and You are the vine / Draw me close and teach me to abide  
Be my strength my song in the night / Be my all my treasure my prize  
I am Yours forever You're mine / Draw me close and teach me to abide

When I pass through death / As I enter rest  
I depend on You / I depend on You  
For eternal life / To be raised with Christ  
I depend on You / I depend on You

Oh would you teach me / Would You teach me to abide

### **I'D RATHER HAVE JESUS**

I'd rather have Jesus than silver or gold  
I'd rather be His than have riches untold  
I'd rather have Jesus than houses or lands  
I'd rather be led by His nail-pierced hand

Than to be the king of a vast domain  
And be held in sin's dread sway  
I'd rather have Jesus than anything  
This world affords today

I'd rather have Jesus than men's applause  
I'd rather be faithful to His dear cause  
I'd rather have Jesus than worldwide fame  
I'd rather be true to His holy name

He's fairer than lilies of rarest bloom  
He's sweeter than honey from out the comb  
He's all that my hungering spirit needs  
I'd rather have Jesus and let Him lead