

We pray for them now

So many have been abused and displaced just because we are afraid of powerlessness;

We pray for them now

So many have been turned away from Your life just because we are afraid of being judged ourselves;

We pray for them now

**Forgive us for giving our fear such power;
teach us the faith of the sparrow.
Teach us the love that drives out fear,
and teach us to stop clinging to our lives, but to find life by
giving ourselves up for Your kingdom.**

(Silent Prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

Response **Thanks be to God.**

***Sung Response**

We Are the Body of Christ

***Passing of the Peace**

Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for Illumination (unison) Elder Carl Kantner
**In the world, where we often feel like we are swimming
upstream, fighting off chaos and just trying to survive, may
Your word bring order, meaning, and peace to our spirits, O
God. Amen.**

Sung

Dying You Destroyed Our Death

**Dying, You destroyed our death;
rising, You restored our life.
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

Holy God, life-giving Spirit, breathe afresh through Your church . . .

. . . Through the power of Jesus Christ, our brother and Savior, the One who taught us to pray in one voice this prayer:

The Lord's Prayer (The Ecumenical version – see page 16 in the front of the Presbyterian Hymnal)

Words of Institution

Sharing the Meal

*** Closing Song** ***Lord, You Give the Great Commission***

***Blessing**

Congregational Annual Meeting (see annual reports)

Opening Song ***For All the Saints***

Closing Song ***Lord, You Give the Great Commission***

Postlude ***Sound the Trumpet*** W. Bay
Derek Banach, Trumpet

*Please stand if you're comfortable doing so.
BOLD signifies congregational participation.

