



Welcome to Wilton Presbyterian Church

August 11, 2024 ~ 10:00 AM

We are glad that you found us and that you are here. We are a progressive, welcoming and inclusive congregation seeking both to know Christ and to make Christ known to people from all walks of life. We pray that we will become better acquainted with you.

**When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit as you are able*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer in the Balcony!

This summer, we're inviting children of all ages to worship with us in the balcony, where an adult will lead them in crafts and they can enjoy the service together.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Lift up your voice and call out to God.

All: We cry out, believing that God hears us.

One: Come together and wait for God.

All: We come together, trusting that God is still speaking.

One: Surely God's presence is here with us now.

All: We wait in hope, for God's steadfast love lifts our hearts.

One: Come, worship the Lord.

All: We celebrate the power of God that restores us.

*WELCOMING HYMN

Here on Jesus Christ I Will Stand

#832

CALL TO CONFESSION

O Healing One, we cry to you for help. We choose to listen for your voice above all others. Be gracious to us for we have made mistakes. We have made choices that have harmed our relationships with your children and your created world. Hear us, Healing God, as we come before you in silent prayer.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*THE GLORIA

#582

Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
And to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
And to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

World without end, without end. Amen. (3x)
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen

CALL FOR OFFERING



We invite you to support the mission and ministry of WPC. For financial gifts, scan the QR Code to the left, visit our website www.wiltonpresbyterian.org or mail a check to:
Wilton Presbyterian Church, 48 New Canaan Rd., Wilton, CT 06897.

Contact Mark Bohrer to arrange an EFT at stewardship.wpc@gmail.com

To share your gifts of time and talent as a volunteer, please contact the church office or send us an email.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God all creatures high and low;
Give thanks to God in love made known;
Creator, Word and Spirit One. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 130

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING 2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33

SERMON

HYMN OF REFLECTION

For You, My God, I Wait

#791

v 1, 3, 6

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen!

*SENDING HYMN

Standing on the Promises

#838

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

The congregation may quietly leave the Sanctuary during the Postlude. Many worshippers choose to remain in the Sanctuary and listen to the Postlude in its entirety.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

The Reverend Jessica Jones, Preacher

The Reverend Tommy Watson, Liturgist

Alison Wood, Greeter & Videographer

Tony Bellomy, Musician

FELLOWSHIP

Please join us following worship for lemonade & cookies in the Narthex.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Saturday, August 17th, 1 pm

Phyllis Blessing

Sunday, August 18th, 2 pm

Philip Richards

CARES AND CONCERNS

Please pray for Brenda, Dixie, Karen, Lisa, Mehlika, and Rick.

We honor your prayer requests and welcome the opportunity to pray for you and your loved ones. For more information regarding the prayer list, or to add or delete names from the prayer list feel free to contact Rev. Jessica Jones, deacon moderator Cathy Thomas, your deacon, or the church office.

For pastoral needs, please contact Jessica Jones at:
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