

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Thunder Bay

August 11th, 2019

9th Sunday after Pentecost

*indicates please stand if you are able

Bolded passages are to be spoken in unison by the congregation

Minister: Rev. Joyce Yanishewski

Leading Worship today: Anne MacDonald

We Prepare for Worship

Prelude *Jesus, Refuge of the Weary* David Johnson

Welcome & Announcements

Lighting of Christ Candle

We Worship God

Call to Worship

Come as those Jesus invites to a life of discipleship.

We hear Christ's invitation but are not sure we are up to the task.

Come as those equipped by God's grace and empowered by the Spirit's guiding.

We come united in God's passion.

Come and worship together.

*Hymn *Jesus' hands are kind hands* 631

Opening Prayer

Call to Confession

God of grace and mercy,
we confess that we lose track of you at times in the rush of our lives

Prayer of Confession

On our journey of faith, O God, we often act out of fear, rather than stepping forward in faith.

When we fail to act because we are afraid of ridicule, forgive us.

When we fail to act because we fear the journey will be too hard, forgive us.

Give us courage and strength, assure us that we never journey alone.

Call us once again to live and love in your way. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

We Listen for God's Word

*Hymn *He leadeth me* 650

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 heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen

Children's Time

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

❖ Mark 1:14-20

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The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Message – No Time to Lose

We Respond to God's Word

*Hymn *Will you come and follow me* 634

Offering

Organist's Offering *Prelude on "Rathbun"* Gordon Young

Doxology *Praise God from whom all blessings flow* 79

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

praise him all creatures here below;

praise him above, ye heavenly host;

praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. words: public domain

Prayer of Dedication

God, we bring our gifts to you. We present the work of our hands and our desire to serve.

Let our sharing of our gifts be part of the vision of how your world should be.

This we ask through Christ our Lord

Prayers of the People

We are Sent out as God's People

***Hymn** *Jesus's calls us o'ver the tumult* **672**

Benediction

Postlude *Praising!* Gilbert Martin

