

## St. Paul's Presbyterian Church

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**Call to worship:** (Ephesians 4:32) Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

**Hymn:** *Through all the changing scenes of life* # 18 Blue

**Prayer of Adoration and Confession:**

**Hymn:** *Praise him, praise him, Jesus our blessed redeemer* # 372 Blue

**The Apostles' Creed** # 539

**Prayer of illumination:** WCF 1.4 The authority of the holy Scripture, for which it ought to be believed and obeyed, dependeth not upon the testimony of any man or church, but wholly upon God (who is truth itself), the Author thereof; and therefore it is to be received, because it is the Word of God.

**Scripture Reading:** Psalm 34 (responsively); Proverbs 23:22-25; and Colossians 4

**Sermon:** Declare the mystery of Christ

**Prayer of Thanksgiving and Supplication**

**Hymn:** *Tell me the old, old story* # 499 Blue

**Offertory Prayer**

**Hymn:** *Fill all my life, O Lord my God* # 653 Blue

**Westminster Shorter Catechism: Q.** 61. What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?

**A.** The fourth commandment forbiddeth the omission, or careless performance, of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words, or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

**Benediction:** (2 Corinthians 13:14) May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**Announcements:** Volunteers are welcome for our church clean up day on the second Saturday of August, August 9<sup>th</sup>.

Members please remember that our AGM will take place today after our coffee hour.