

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, BAYFIELD

General Assembly Sunday 2023 06 04 11 am

WE GATHER

PRELUDE *a time of quiet reflection*

Hymn **Be still and know** **#64**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The grace of Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

HYMN **Praise God** **#306**

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: I am the Alpha and the Omega, says the Lord God,

All: **who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty. Let us worship God.**

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND SHARING THE PEACE

May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

HYMN **God, we praise you for the morning** **#436**

TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

HISTORICAL Jeremiah 29:10-14 **[B#731/W#813]**

PSALM Psalm 8 **[B#492/W#542]**

EPISTLE 1 John 3:11, 16-18 **[B#240/W#260]**

GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20 **[B#34 /W#34]**

May God bless our understanding of this, God's holy word.

The word of the Lord.

MESSAGE **A Future with Hope** **Rev John Bannerman**

HYMN **Holy, holy, holy** **#299**

TO RESPOND IN FAITH

THE OFFERING OF OUR LIFE AND LABOUR TO GOD

QUOTE You received without payment; give without payment. Matthew 10:8

Doxology We give Thee but Thine own, What e'er the gift may be; All that we have is Thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from Thee.

PRAYERS OF PEOPLE, BLESSING OF GIFTS

HYMN **Brother, sister, let me serve you** **#635**

TO GO FORTH IN GOD'S NAME

COMMISSIONING AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE **Amen** [3-part choral]

We extend a very warm welcome and appreciation to our special guest, the Rev. John Bannerman, as he leads the worship service.

Following the worship service you are invited to linger for conversation and fellowship.

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*Tanakh, an acronym derived from the names of the three divisions of the Hebrew Bible: Torah (Instruction, or Law, also called the Pentateuch), Nevi'im (Prophets), and Ketuvim (Writings). Resources: PCC Worship Planner, Feasting on the Word: Preaching the Revised Common Lectionary and Companion, <https://www.workingpreacher.org/>