



**November 18, 2018 11:15 a.m.**  
**26<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

*Gathering Song #352* “My Lord! What a Morning”

*Welcome and Living Our Faith*

*Call to Worship*

From the shadows of darkness, reach for the light.

**God is our rock and our foundation.**

Reject evil and seek God’s truth.

**The ways of justice and love are the hope of the world.**

*Song #367* “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”  
*Verses 1-2*

*Call To Confession*

*Prayer of Confession*

**Loving God, when trials beset us, it is natural to fear.**

**Called to be courageous, we find our faith lacking.**

**When asked to take risks, we confess our complacency.**

**By ignoring injustice, we hope it will subside.**

**You have shown us that you are trustworthy.**

**You stay by our side through both suffering and celebration.**

**Forgive our reluctance to trust your guidance**

**and to take bold steps in your name. Amen.**

*Assurance of God’s Forgiveness*

*Response #582*

“Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me”

*Passing the Peace*

*Scripture Lesson*

Mark 13:1-8

Gill Timon, Lay Reader

*Response*

Holy Wisdom, Holy Word.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Message*

“Impermanence”

Greg Jones

*Song #750*

“Goodness Is Stronger than Evil”

*Offering*

*Please sign the blue friendship notebook and pass it to the person next to you.*

*Prayers of the People*

*The Lord’s Prayer*

*Song #715*

“The Earth Belongs to God Alone”

*Verses 1 & 4*

*Sending*

*Response #648*

“Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise”

*Following worship, please join us in the Meeting Room  
for coffee, tea, and fellowship.*

*The office will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday on Thursday and  
Friday this week, November 22 –23.*

**Following worship, feel free to make a bouquet to brighten someone's day. The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Charma Welch and Martin Gravely by Barbara Gravely Welch and Chuck Welch.**

**Please remember in your prayers John Bowman and Carla (Susan) Pyle who were recently hospitalized.**

**Children are welcome in worship. You will find yellow worship bags for all children at the chapel entrance.**

**Image:** <http://markcommentary.blogspot.com/2014/08/mark-131-4-tearing-down.html>

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