

Woody Nook CRC – September 11, 2022

We come to Worship Our God

*Gathering Song Alleluia

*Welcome - Sherry or Chad

*Call to Worship - Psalm 95:1-7 - Mahlia

Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord;
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.
Let us come before him with thanksgiving
and extol him with music and song.

For the Lord is the great God, the great King above all gods.

In his hand are the depths of the earth,
and the mountain peaks belong to him.

The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

Come, let us bow down in worship,
let us kneel before the Lord our Maker;
**for he is our God and we are the people of his pasture,
the flock under his care.**

*God's Greeting

* **Song of Praise** I Will Sing Praise

God Reconciles Us To Himself

We come, confessing our sins - Sherry

Gracious God, we are called to be a joyful people, giving thanks for You and Your good gifts. There are times, however, when sin and sorrow grow, pushing joy to the side. We lose sight of Your grace, and instead fall into despair. We are consumed by loss, distracted by stuff, and crippled with fear. We focus on our lack, rather than Your love. Lift our eyes, Lord Jesus, and renew our joy in You. Remind us that in Your sacrifice is our forgiveness, in Your death is our resurrection, in Your coming is our joy! Through Christ we pray, Amen.

Our Prayer in Song Blessings

God Assures Us Of Forgiveness - from Eph. 3:14-21 - Sherry

Through the power of the Holy Spirit within us, God is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine. So, hear and believe the good news that in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

**Grounded in Christ, rooted in grace,
we offer ourselves in service to others,
recognizing the limitless grace which
is ours to share in Christ. Thanks be to
God. Amen.**

Song by & for Children

It's A Miracle

God Comes To Us In His Word

We pray for the Holy Spirit's Presence and Help

Children Leave for Sunday School

Choir will exit with Sunday School

Scripture Reading Eph 3:14-4:6

Message Rooted in Christ and Growing in Grace

Song of Response Light of The World

God's People Respond with Gratitude

Congregational Prayer

Offerings 1. Woody Nook Ministries

2. BroomTree Foundation

* Song Psalm 150 (Praise the Lord)

We Leave To Serve

*God's Blessing

*Parting Song Waymaker

Choral Postlude I've Got The Joy!