



We are so glad you could join us today.
Are you new to our church?
Would you like to find out more about us?
If so, please complete the **Welcome Card** located
in the pew bookrack or on the table in the main
entryway as you enter the Sanctuary.
Drop the completed card into the box provided,
so that we can connect with you!

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

9:00 am—Sunday School

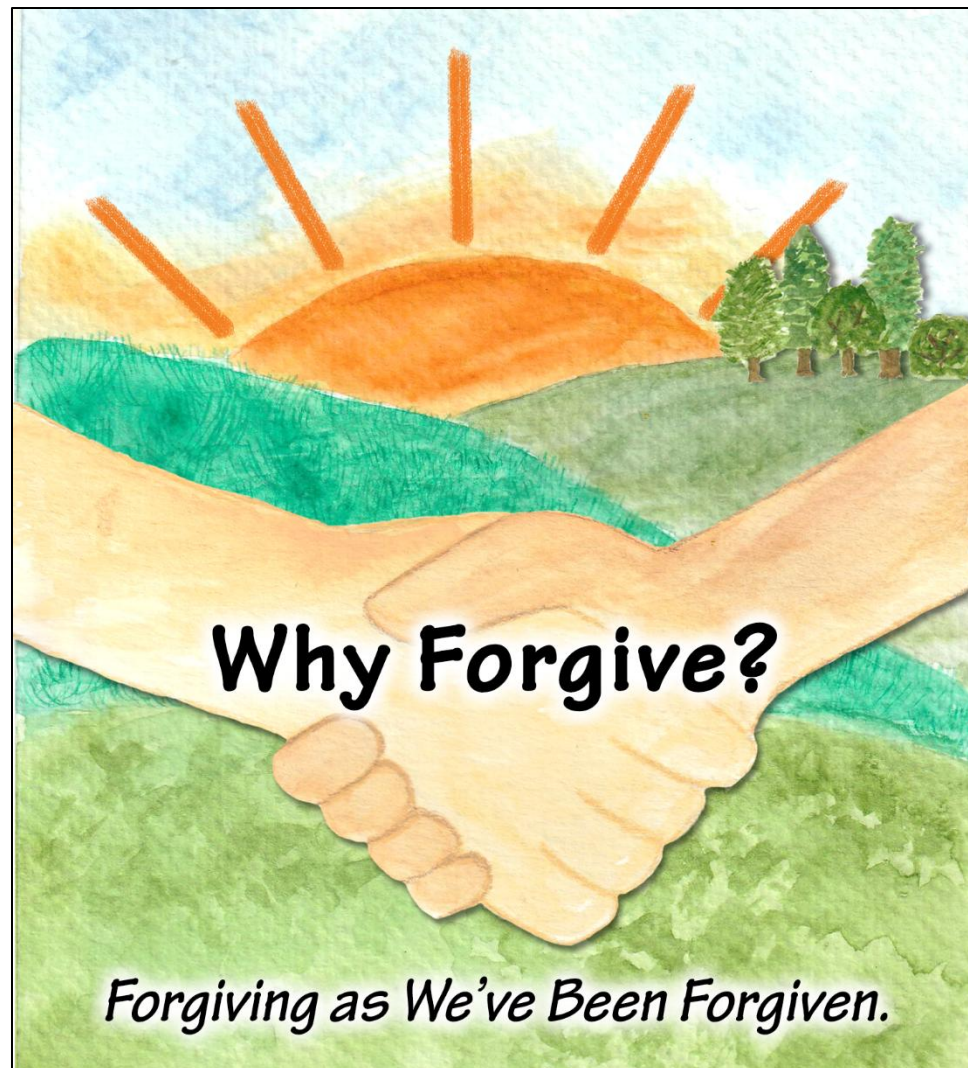
10:00 am—Morning Worship

Worship Services are streamed
live on Facebook and added to
our YouTube channel.



Our Vision Statement

“Equip followers of Jesus Christ through the power
of the Holy Spirit to whole-heartedly worship the Lord,
intentionally develop relationships, and boldly share
the gospel with our surrounding community.”



November 16, 2025 – Worship Service

Venice Presbyterian Church (EPC)

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Our Purpose Statement

**We exist to: Glorify God.
Grow as disciples of Jesus Christ.**



Go into the community to serve and guide others toward salvation.

Venice Presbyterian Church
Worship to the Glory of God

November 16, 2025

**If you are able, please stand.*

Welcome and Announcements

Christmas Shoebox Dedication.....*Rainey Ostrowski*

***Call to Worship**

***Music** *“Christ Be Magnified”*
*“Still Waters”*words on screen

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, we confess that we often forget we represent You to the world. Our words and actions don't always reflect Your heart. We fail to act justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with You.

Forgive us, Lord. Fill us with Your Spirit so that we may be the aroma of Christ— bringing the love of the Father, the hope of salvation, and the extension of Your grace to everyone we meet.

May others experience Your heart through the way we care for them. We boldly ask for Your power and strength to live this faithful life. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Choral Anthem *“In the Palm of His Hand”*

Children in Preschool - 6th grade are now invited to continue worshipping in the Youth Room with our Kids' Church.

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Jonah 4:1 – 11.....Pg. 921
New Testament Matthew 18:21 – 35..... Pg. 979

Sermon *“The Test for Forgiveness Received”*

Scripture Memory Verse

All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. - 2 Corinthians 5:18, 19

Morning Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Worship of God with Our Tithes and Offerings

*** Doxology and Offertory Prayer**

***Hymn** *“God, How Can We Forgive”*
.....words on screen

***Benediction**

***Responsive Benediction**

“God Be With You” (vs. 1).....#602

Leading us in this morning's worship:
Pastor: Patrick Keeley & Elder: Aaron Ostrowski
Music Director: Erin Connors & Choir
Accompanist: Stefanie Patterson
Greeters: Bonnie Charlier & Marlene Cole
Kids' Church: Sharon Wright & Bev Browett