



Holly Presbyterian Church  
Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost  
September 27, 2026

## Welcome and Announcements

**Pennies from Heaven** A voluntary small change offering for building projects.

### Prelude

**Julia Hull**

### \*Call to Worship

**Based on Psalm 29:1-4**

Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings,

**Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.**

Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name;

**Worship the Lord in holy splendor.**

The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Lord, over mighty waters.

**The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.**

Let us worship the Lord together.

**\*Opening Hymn #41** "O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!"

### Call to Confession

**Based on Psalm 145**

### Prayer of Confession

Lord, you made everything, and everything depends on you. We forget this sometimes and believe the world depends on us. We use your creation to glorify ourselves and treat each other as tools to use for our productivity. We can only ask for forgiveness for what we have done and trust in your mercy and grace. Give us new hearts. Restore us to the rest we need in you and make us to be your image in the world.

(please take time for silent personal confession)

### Assurance of Pardon

**Based on Isaiah 43:18-19**

*Amen.*

### Prayer for Illumination

Lord, lead us by the light of your Word. Illumine our way and make our feet sure on your path. Amen.

### Scriptures

Old Testament

Genesis 41:1-45

Pew Bible (OT) Pg. 36-37

This is the Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon "Rise to Power"**

**Rev. Chris Thomas**

**\*Hymn #815 "Give to the Winds Thy Fears"**

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

**Apostle's Creed**

**I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.  
Amen!**

**Prayers of the People**  
**The Lord's Prayer**

**Offertory**

**\*Doxology Hymn #609 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**Lord, we give our offering to you this morning, not knowing how you will use it. Take this offering and our hearts, and fulfill your will with them in your perfect timing. We will wait to see your goodness unfold. Prepare us to participate in that goodness when you call us. Amen.**

**\*Closing Hymn #634 "To God Be the Glory"**

**Charge and Benediction**

**Postlude**

**Julia Hull**

**Assisting with worship today: Worship-Leader-Dessalee Cook; Usher-Desalee Cook; AV Setup-Jim Lyles; Sound-Randy Cook.**

**Announcements**

**Fall Workday**



Saturday October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00am will be our Fall Workday. Please see the list of things to be done. Also, an alternative date is Saturday October 10<sup>th</sup>. Please bring your tools and gloves. Also, please

bring a lunch.

### **Coming soon**

Signup sheet for Poinsettias and Wreaths

### **Mark your calendar**

Fri Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 10:00am Baby Pantry

Sat Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:00am Fall Workday (alternative date is Oct 10<sup>th</sup>)

Sun Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 10:00am Coffee

11:00am Outreach Team

Sun Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 11:15am Worship

Mon Oct 5<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm IT Team

### **Congregational Care Team**

If you have prayer requests, please submit them to Karen Haneline - haneline526@gmail.com or 248-894-3489.

### **Prayer Concerns**

(For a more complete prayer list visit <https://www.hollypc.org/>)



Prayers of Peace and Comfort for the families of **Mike Pelton** who recently passed away (brother of Fran and Margaret) and **John Hull** who passed away last Sunday 09-20 (husband of Julia, our pianist);

**Zach Williams** (grandson of Cathie Killewald) who injured his leg and will require surgery with a long recovery; **Rick Perry** (Margaret's husband).



Ongoing prayers: **Brinley** age 3 with an autoimmune disorder;  
**Richard**

**Mikulak** (Karen Haneline's brother); **Vicky** (Tom Schettling's sister-in-law);  
**Elizabeth Kici; Jennie and the Cook Family; Lori Vallance; Glynna Parker; Dale Huffman; James Teddy and Charly.**

Prayers for those suffering: for all those affected by war, severe weather, hunger, gun violence, abuse, health issues, and/or addiction.

### **Volunteers needed**

We appreciate all you do to help this church. Please check the sign-up sheets at the back of the sanctuary for coffee hour, worship, and the baby pantry to see where you could help.

