

Plymouth Congregational Church
August 9, 2026 – 11th Sunday after Pentecost

**An asterisk invites you to stand as you are able, in body or spirit.*

~ We Gather ~

Prelude

Chiming the Trinity

Pastor Charles

Moment of Reflection

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Charles

Invitation to Worship *adapted from Psalm 85:8-13* Rosana Skelton

***Gathering Hymn**

NCH 577

God the Omnipotent (Truth, Righteousness, Psalm 85)

~ We Prepare ~

Unison Prayer

Pastor Charles

Compassionate Creator, Spirit of Justice, Living Christ, be with us in our hour of need. Let your healing light shelter and protect us, and move in us so that we might be advocates of peace and justice in the world. And, give us the courage to bring your message of hope and love to all who need to hear it. *[We invite you to rest in this brief moment of silence to listen for God's loving message for you this day.] (30 seconds)*

Amen.

Assurance of Grace

Rosana Skelton

Congregational Response

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O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

~ *We Engage* ~

Prayer of Illumination

Rosana Skelton

Reading from the Epistles

2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

Musical Interlude

2nd Reading from the Epistles

Pastor Charles

2 Timothy 4:3-8 & 4:16-18

Reflection

Musical Reflection

Prayers of the People

Pastor Charles

Special Prayers: Maxine Ferguson, Art Gilreath, Loraine Hopgood, Doris Powell, Marlyce Taylor, and Giles Walker. All those who are experiencing the horrors of war and natural disasters.

Medical Treatment: Karen Senne Hayes, Lynda Hayes, Marcia Lauer, Betty Louise, Kelly Murphy, Maureen Nordahl, Suzanne Nybo, Phyllis Weaver.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Creator, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
On Earth, as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors,
And lead us not into temptation,
But, deliver us from evil,
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.

~ We Respond ~

Tithes and Offerings

Pastor Charles

We recognize that there are many ways to give. If you give in ways other than monetarily during the worship service, we invite you to press your thumb into the bowl of the offering plate, so that you may participate in the ritual of offering with the rest of the congregation.

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Offertory

***Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all blessing flow,
Praise God, all creatures here below,
Praise God above, ye heavenly host,
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen

***Prayer of Dedication**

Pastor Charles

~ We Go out in Peace ~

***Departing Hymn** *How Can I Say Thanks (My Tribute) - Andre Crouch*
(2 Timothy 4: 17-18)

***Invitation to Fellowship**

Pastor Charles

~ How do you decide what is true and what is not?

***Charge & Benediction**

***Congregational Blessing** *Let There Be Peace on Earth* screen

Postlude

“Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God.”

~ Corrie ten Boom