

POINT PLEASANT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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COMMUNION SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 2020

Sermon: “Renewing Your Mind” Part III Transformation through Renewing our Being

*In person outdoor lawn and in vehicle options will not be offered this week.
We expect to return to offering them next Sunday.*

Welcome & Announcements

Entry of the Light of Christ

Song: “Meet With Me”

Paul Baloche

I'm here to meet with you
Come and meet with me
I'm here to find you
Reveal yourself to me

As I wait, you make me strong
As I long, draw me to your arms
As I stand and sing your praise
You come, you come and you fill this place
Won't you come, Won't you come and fill this place

I'm here to meet with you
Come and meet with me
I'm here to find you,
Reveal yourself to me

As I wait, you make me strong
As I long, draw me to...

***Call to Worship:** *{Romans 12:1-2 based on the New Living Translation}*

One: We are to offer our lives to God as a living and holy sacrifice

Many: This is what God asks of us.

One: We are not to conform to the behaviors and customs of this world,

Many: But instead, allowing God to transform us into new persons

One: by renewing of our mind.

All: This will allow us to become the persons God would have us be.

Song:

“Here I Am To Worship”

Chris Tomlin

Light of the world
You stepped down into darkness
Opened my eyes, let me see
Beauty that made this heart adore You
Hope of a life spent with You

**Chorus: Here I am to worship
Here I am to bow down
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely
Altogether worthy
Altogether wonderful to me**

King of all days
Oh so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above
Humbly You came to the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor

Chorus: Here I am to worship . . .

I'll never know how much it cost; to see my sin upon that cross (repeats)

Call upon the name of the Lord and be saved (repeats)

Chorus: Here I am to worship . . .

Children's Time & Introduction of Children's Craft & Activities **Sonia & Thi Samelson**
*{Please pick up your Children's Activity Pack in the box on the Turquoise Table
in front of the Ministry Center}*

Scriptures:

Acts 9:1-8

Paul's First Revelation on the Road to Damascus

Meanwhile Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" He asked, "Who are you, Lord?" The reply came, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do." The men who were traveling with him stood speechless because they heard the voice but saw no one. Saul got up from the ground, and though his eyes were open, he could see nothing; so they led him by the hand and brought him into Damascus.

II Corinthians 12:1-7

Another of Paul's Revelations

It is necessary to boast; nothing is to be gained by it, but I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. 2 I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven— whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. 3 And I know that such a person— whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— 4 was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. 5 On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. 6 But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, 7 even considering the exceptional character of the revelations.

Sermon:

"The Renewing of Your Mind" Part III

Transformation through Renewing our Being

Renewing of Your Mind Part I

Transformation through Renewing our Thinking

Renewing of Your Mind Part II

Transformation through Renewing our Doing

Renewing of Your Mind Part III

Transformation through Renewing our Being

Holy Communion: {We have available self-contained Communion Fellowship

Cups they are located in the box on the Turquoise Table.

At home you are welcome to use bread of any kind and juice or water}

Closing Hymn “Let Us Break Bread Together on Our Knees” *Hymnal #618*

1 Let us break bread together on our knees, (on our knees)
let us break bread together on our knees. (on our knees)
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)

2 Let us drink wine together on our knees, (on our knees)
let us drink wine together on our knees. (on our knees)
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)

3 Let us praise God together on our knees, (on our knees)
let us praise God together on our knees. (on our knees)
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)

4 Let us praise God together on our knees, (on our knees)
let us praise God together on our knees, (on our knees)
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy if you please. (if you please)

***Benediction**

**Giving receptacles are located near the front door of the
ministry center or near the entrance to the parking lot.
Online giving can be done through the church website:
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