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We are so excited to share that we are now streaming our 10:45AM service in multiple locations of the church. For those of you with little ones, you can always catch the service LIVE on the television in the nursery located on the first floor. Also, the service is LIVE in the fellowship hall downstairs on the big screen. Also, our youth leaders have access to the service on a television in our Christian Education wing upstairs.

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10:45AM Rev. Jason Elliott January 18, 2026

PRELUDE

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Philippians 4:6-7

HYMN

“It Is Well with My Soul”

See insert

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Loving God, we humbly ask for your forgiveness. Open our eyes and soften our hearts that we may faithfully serve you as we should. Fill us with the gift of love that we may love others.

MOMENT FOR SILENT MEDITATION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON: Friends, believe the Good News
RESPONSE: in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

THE APOSTLES’ CREED (Traditional) 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 on 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.

PASTORAL PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LORD’S PRAYER (Traditional)

Our Father, 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.

SCRIPTURE: John 1:29-42

²⁹ The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, “Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! ³⁰ This is he of whom I said, ‘After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.’ ³¹ I myself did not know him, but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel.” ³² And John testified, “I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. ³³ I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, ‘He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.’ ³⁴ And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Chosen One.”

³⁵ The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, ³⁶ and as he watched Jesus walk by he exclaimed, “Look, here is the Lamb of God!” ³⁷ The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. ³⁸ When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, “What are you looking for?” They said to him, “Rabbi” (which translated means Teacher), “where are you staying?”

³⁹ He said to them, “Come and see.” They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o’clock in the afternoon.

⁴⁰ One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother. ⁴¹ He first found his brother Simon and said to him, “We have found the Messiah” (which is translated Anointed). ⁴² He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, “You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas” (which is translated Peter).

SERMON “Through It All and through it all...” Rev. Elliott

SPECIAL MUSIC Glory Dami

***BENEDICTION/DISMISSAL**

Greeters this morning Pete and Jona Parikakis and The Sutherin Family

Chancel Flowers Today Our vases this morning are given to the Glory of God.

Mission Cans- This week our mission cans will go to Church Youth Groups. Recent mission donations received: 12/7 Pastor’s Discretionary \$70, 12/14 Emergency Mission \$631, 12/21 Church Youth Groups \$230.50, 12/28 Soles4Christ \$144, and 1/4 Pastor’s Discretionary \$211. Thank you!

Wednesday Morning Men’s Bible Study begins at 10 am in the Church Café.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study Bible Study for men and women is from 7:00 – 8:00 pm in the Church Café.

Annual Congregation Meeting will be held immediately after worship service next Sunday, January 25, 2026.

Yarn Group Our group of knitters and crocheters meet here the last Monday of the month to work on their projects. We hope you can join us Monday, Jan. 26th from 10:00 am – Noon in the Fireside Room.

Valley Hospice Grief Meetings are held here in the Fireside Room the first Monday of each month at 2:00 pm. We’ll meet Monday, February 2nd.

Birthdays and Anniversaries this week ***Birthdays:*** Jack Billham (1/19), David Meyer (1/19), Betty Lou Tarr (1/19), Norma West (1/19), Kimberly Hargett (1/20), Terry Minto (1/20), Brock Bauman (1/21), Penny Brettell (1/21), Nancy Lelless (1/21), Rob Herrington (1/23), Nevaeh Todd (1/23), Shana Cunningham (1/24), Lucas Johns (1/24) and Michele Wood (1/24).

Love God. Love Others.