

**Order Of Worship**  
**First Church in**  
**Pembroke**  
**Sunday Service**  
**October 27, 2024, 10:00 AM**

**PRELUDE:** Silent Meditation

**MEDITATION:** (2 Chronicles 7:13-14, NIV)

<sup>13</sup> "When I shut up the heavens so that there is no rain, or command locusts to devour the land or send a plague among my people, <sup>14</sup> if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Greet your Church Family:**

**CALL TO WORSHIP:** Congregation in BOLD

P: It is good to praise the Lord

C: And make music to your name, O Most High,

P: To proclaim your love in the morning

C: And your faithfulness at night,

P: For you make me glad by your deeds, O Lord;

C: I sing for joy at the works of your hands.

ALL: You, O Lord, are exalted forever.

**HYMN:** R#8 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

**PRAYER OF INVOCATION:**

We glorify your name this morning because you are worthy of praise, O Lord. You have done great and wondrous things on our behalf. Almighty God, you have given us the breath of life. You loved us even in our rebellion. You draw us to yourself by your Holy Spirit that we might have a relationship with you. You walk with us each and every moment of every day; we fear no evil, for you are with us. May we, your beloved people, bring honor and glory to you, we pray, in the precious name of Jesus, our Savior. Amen.

**CALL TO PRAISE** (*Congregation in BOLD*)

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up unto the Lord.

O Lord, open Thou our lips.

And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.

**GLORIA PATRI** (*Sung in Unison*)

Glory be to the Father and to the Son,

And to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning,

Is now and ever shall be,

World without end. Amen. Amen.

**READING:** Matthew 5:13-16 (NIV)

<sup>13</sup> "You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men. <sup>14</sup> "You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. <sup>15</sup> Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead, they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. <sup>16</sup> In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven."

**SERMON:**

**"Salt and Light"**

Pastor Joy Matos

**HYMN:** R# 372 "How Firm a Foundation"

**OFFERTORY** (2 Corinthians 9:7-8)

"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work." (Ushers Will Pass The Collection Plates)

**OUR CHOIR WILL SING FOR US.**

**DOXOLOGY:** "Praise God Whom Blessing Flow"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**OFFERTORY PRAYER:** (Pastor)

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:** (Pastor)

**SILENT PRAYER:**

**PASTORAL PRAYER:**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER:**

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, deliver us from evil, for the Thine is the Kingdom and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

**MUSICAL RESPONSE:** (Musical Interlude)

**HYMN:** R# 233 Breathe on Me, Breath of God

**BENEDICTION:** (In Unison & Hold Hands)

May the Lord watch between me and thee while we are absent one from the other. Amen.

**POSTLUDE:** (Contemplative Music)