

A WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

November 9, 2025

10:00 a.m.

WE GATHER IN CHRIST'S NAME

CHIMES (As one body, let us now pause in silence to focus on worship)

PRELUDE "Gather Us In" John A. Behrke

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. Stephen D. Adkison

INTROIT "In The Lord I'll Be Even Thankful" Jacques Bertier (Taize)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: On the road of life, Jesus meets us with mercy and calls us to wholeness.

People: We lift our voices in thanksgiving and praise.

Leader: The grateful are made whole in spirit.

People: Teach us the way of returning, remembering, and rejoicing.

Leader: When we come back to God with grateful hearts, grace overflows.

People: We offer worship with open hearts and thankful lives.

Leader: Come, let us worship the One who heals, restores, and welcomes us home.

All: With grateful hearts, we praise the God who makes us whole.

***HYMN** "What Shall I Render to the Lord" No. 655

CALL TO RENEWAL (Liturgist Only) Heather Reylek

In turning to the Lord with humility, and trusting in his love, we confess our sin and the sins of the world.

PRAYER OF RENEWAL (In Unison) Heather Reylek

Merciful God,

we confess that too often we rush forward without remembering Your grace.

Like the nine, we receive blessings yet forget to return in thanks.

We cling to gifts rather than honoring the Giver.

We overlook everyday mercies and fail to notice Your presence in our lives.

Forgive us when gratitude fades and fear takes its place.

Turn our hearts back to You,

that we might live as thankful people,

walking in wholeness, generosity, and joy.

In the healing name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

SILENT MEDITATION

GOOD NEWS OF FORGIVENESS Heather Reylek

Hear the good news: In Jesus Christ we are healed, forgiven, and made whole.

Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI

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 and Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ, be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us greet each other with the peace of Christ.

OFFERTORY "You Satisfy the Hungry Heart" Charles Callahan

***DOXOLOGY** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

WE LISTEN FOR CHRIST'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 17:11-19

RESPONSE May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart,
be pleasing in your sight, O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer. (Ps. 19:14)
Thanks be to God!

SERMON "The One Who Returned" Rev. Dr. Stephen D. Adkison

ANTHEM "Give Thanks" Henry Smith

WE RESPOND TO CHRIST'S WORD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 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 GO FORTH TO SERVE IN CHRIST'S NAME

***HYMN** "Give Thanks, O Christian People" No. 644

***BENEDICTION** Rev. Dr. Stephen D. Adkison

CHORAL BENEDICTION "Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise" John W. Arthur/
Ronald A. Nelson

POSTLUDE "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name" Donald Busarow

* Please stand, if able

Shelter Island Presbyterian Church

November 9th, 2025

SERVING TODAY

Ushers – Karen Hunkele **Liturgist** – Heather Reylek

Coffee Hour – Heather Reylek & Laurie Fanelli

PRAYER LIST

Please pray for: Those affected by natural disasters and ongoing wars; Peter C. Jackson; Blanca Campbell and Jim Nina; Jill Tuttle Albiani; Jackie Tuttle; Barry and Benetta Taylor; Rev. John Moore; Jim Preston; Kathy Zarchin; Teri Brennan; Carol Taplin; Andrew Ogar; Barbara Preston; Bob and Leah White; For the peace and comfort for the family and friends of Linda Bonaccorso
We will gladly list names of any individuals in need of prayer. You may share names by turning in a note from the pew or by emailing the church office prior to Thursday a.m.

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Session Team - Church Elders
Class of 2025: Laurie Fanelli
Class of 2026: Heather Reylek/ Laura Nelsen/ Pamela Jackson
Class of 2027: Marty Kappauf / Gary Kagawa / Ellen Gove
Deacons Team
Class of 2025: Marianne Baird/ Alison Binder/ Sharon Donno/ Lynn Thomson
Class of 2026: Roswitha Wissemann/ Brenda Bergman
Class of 2027: Dana Hallman / Katherine Roberts / Colleen Smith
Congregational Nominating Team
Class of 2025: Heather Reylek / Lynn Thomson / Cindy Griffin / Lynne Weikart

<u>This Week</u>		
Nov. 10 th	Nutrition Program	7:00-1:00
Nov. 11 th	Food Pantry	4:00-6:00
Nov. 12 th	Meals on Wheels	7:00-11:00
Nov. 13 th	Bible Study	10:00
Nov. 14 th	Nutrition Program	7:00-1:00
	Food Pantry	10:00-1:00

Shelter Island Presbyterian Church Mission Statement:
“We envision the Shelter Island Presbyterian Church as a spiritual heart of our small island community -- a congregation that keeps its doors open to all and offers service and support to friends, neighbors, and visitors from beyond our shores. We will encourage the spiritual growth of our church's people in Jesus Christ through worship, service to others, stewardship, study and fellowship with one another. We will work to increase our spiritOual engagement with youth, young families and our growing senior population. Inspired by God's Word, we look forward to our future with faith and confidence in God's purpose for us. AS WE BELIEVE, SO WE DO.”

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