PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Order of Worship

November 1, 2026 ~ 9:45 am

All Saints Day, Consecration and Remembrance Sunday

Welcome

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning.
Hymnals and Bibles may be found under the pew in front of you.
The asterisk (*) in the order of worship indicates
when the congregation may stand.

Mission

Pilgrim Congregational Church is an independent community
of Christian faith, which glorifies God through worship and service to others,
respects individual spiritual growth, and inspires compassionate fellowship.

Vision

Pilgrim is the spiritual home of our community
where all people are welcomed, known, and loved.

Rev. Dr. Patrick Horn, Senior Minister
Rev. Heather Miner, Associate Minister

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Need a Confidential Prayer?
Send your prayer request to the Band of Prayer
saintshedd@roadrunner.com
"All prayer requests are kept confidential"

Prelude "In the Morning Light" YANNI
Susan Winckler, organist

Hymn #711* "For All the Saints" SINE NOMINE
(verses 1,2,3 and 6)

Welcome Rev. Heather Miner

Parish Concerns Rev. Miner

Call to Worship Rev. Dr. Patrick Horn

Introit "Walk in the Ways of the Lord" Denis Drobinski
Olivia Howe, soloist

Walk in the ways of the Lord,
Walk in the ways and rejoice!

Invocation* Mrs. Sue Selters

Your steadfast love endures from age to age, O living God, for in Christ You tenderly care for Your people. Instruct us in Your way of humble service, that we may imitate His saving deeds who humbled Himself for our salvation and is now exalted with You in splendor for ever and ever. Amen.

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.

Lesson One Joshua 3:7-17 Mrs. Selters

7 The LORD said to Joshua, "This day I will begin to exalt you in the sight of all Israel, so
that they may know that I will be with you as I was with Moses. 8 You are the one who
shall command the priests who bear the ark of the covenant, 'When you come to the edge
of the waters of the Jordan, you shall stand still in the Jordan.' " 9 Joshua then said to the
Israelites, "Draw near and hear the words of the LORD your God." 10 Joshua said, "By
this you shall know that among you is the living God who without fail will drive out from
before you the Canaanites, Hittites, Hivites, Perizzites, Girgashites, Amorites, and
Jebusites: 11 the ark of the covenant of the Lord of all the earth is going to pass before you
into the Jordan. 12 So now select twelve men from the tribes of Israel, one from each tribe.
13 When the soles of the feet of the priests who bear the ark of the LORD, the Lord of all
the earth, come to rest in the waters of the Jordan, the waters of the Jordan flowing from
above shall be cut off; they shall stand in a single heap."

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Lesson One (continued)

[14]When the people set out from their tents to cross over the Jordan, the priests bearing the ark of the covenant were in front of the people. [15]Now the Jordan overflows all its banks throughout the time of harvest. So when those who bore the ark had come to the Jordan and the feet of the priests bearing the ark were dipped in the edge of the water, [16]the waters flowing from above stood still, rising up in a single heap far off at Adam, the city that is beside Zarethan, while those flowing toward the sea of the Arabah, the Dead Sea, were wholly cut off. Then the people crossed over opposite Jericho. [17]While all Israel were crossing over on dry ground, the priests who bore the ark of the covenant of the LORD stood firmly on dry ground in the middle of the Jordan, until the entire nation finished crossing over the Jordan. (*New Revised Standard Version*)

Youth Message Rev. Miner

(The youth are invited to attend Sunday School following the Lord's Prayer.)

The Lord's Prayer Rev. Miner

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.

Anthem "We Shall Walk through the Valley of Peace" Moses Hogan

We shall walk through the valley in peace;
we shall walk through the valley in peace;
if Jesus himself shall be our leader,
we shall walk through the valley in peace.

There will be no sorrow there;
there will be no sorrow there;
if Jesus himself shall be our leader,
we shall walk through the valley in peace.

There will be no trials there;
there will be no trials there;
if Jesus himself shall be our leader,
we shall walk through the valley in peace.

We shall meet our loved ones there;
we shall meet our loved ones there;
if Jesus himself shall be our leader,
we shall walk through the valley in peace.

Pastoral Prayer and Silent Prayer Dr. Horn

Prayer Response "Vine of Heaven" Denis Drobinski

Vine of heaven, O let us be rooted, grafted, built on Thee.
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Ceremony of Remembrance Dr. Horn

Barbara Parkson	October 17, 2025
Robert Sanders	November 6, 2025
James Lane	March 24, 2026
Cedric Rogers	July 23, 2026

Offering Dr. Horn

Offertory Solo "Ave Maria" Franz Schubert
Olivia Howe, soprano

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women,
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners,
now and in the hour of our death. Amen.

Doxology Hymn and Dedicatory Prayer *
Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below,
Praise God above ye heavenly host,
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Hymn #709* "Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above" FOREST GREEN

Lesson Two 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13 Mrs. Selters

[9]You remember our labor and toil, brothers and sisters; we worked night and day so that we might not burden any of you while we proclaimed to you the gospel of God. [10]You are witnesses, and God also, how pure, upright, and blameless our conduct was toward you believers. [11]As you know, we dealt with each one of you like a father with his children, [12]urging and encouraging you and pleading that you lead a life worthy of God, who calls you into his own kingdom and glory.

[13]We also constantly give thanks to God for this, that when you received the word of God that you heard from us you accepted it not as a human word but as what it really is, God's word, which is also at work in you believers. (*New Revised Standard Version*)

Sermon "Walking" Dr. Horn

Hymn #102* "Now Thank We all Our God" NUN DANKET

Benediction* Dr. Horn

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Consecration Moment (collection of pledges in silence)

Congregational Response* "God Be with You" Hymn #672

God be with you till we meet again, By His counsels guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you, God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude "Walk With Me" Bruce Jones

Bruce Jones, organist

A WAY TO GIVE

Luke 6:38 - "Give, and it will be given to you; a good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over."

Thank you for joining us today for worship service!
Please join us for fellowship following the service.

Theme: Pleasing God with our way of living

Color: Green

Organists: Bruce Jones and Susan Winckler

Videographers: Dane Vose,William Parnell, and Andrew Olson

Flower Dedication: REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY: "From heaven falls a mercy sweet; the time for weeping now is gone; God hears our signs and gives us His eternal song."
This morning's flowers are lovingly provided by Bonnie Seath: "In joyful celebration of my nephew's wife Rebecca's birthday; my sister Betsy's birthday; cousin Judy's birthday; brother Barry's birthday. Special thoughts and prayers that each of you will enjoy a happy and healthy year ahead."

Boutonnieres: Our Boutonnieres for November are provided by Sue Selters: "Thanksgiving – a time for God in our lives."

Liturgical Notes by Rev. Dr. Patrick Horn: **Green** symbolizes growth and life, hope and anticipation. Green is used in Ordinary time, the period of the Church calendar which gives attention to the Lord's life and ministry; it reminds us that the mission of the Church is to love the world and share the hope of Christ.

Meeting & Event Reminders

9:00 am, Morning Devotional (online M-F)

Today

Day Light Saving Time Ends-Clocks Fall Back

9:00 am, Gather and Greet
11:00 am, Fellowship
11:00am – 1:00 pm Consecration and Remembrance Sunday
All Church Luncheon
11:30 am, Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, November 3rd

10:00 am, Pilgrim Auxiliary Meeting
11:30 am, Pilgrim Auxiliary Program and Lunch
5:45 pm to 6:45 pm, Twilight Bible Study
(online and Minister's office)

Wednesday, November 4th

9:00 am, Rummage Sorting Resumes
7:00 pm, Church Council Meeting

Thursday, November 5th

10:00 am, Joyful Endeavors

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