

*Chancel flowers are given by
Connie Combs in loving memory of Betty Rambo
and by Dianne Dean in loving memory of her son, Nathan Scott*

Worship Celebration
October 9, 2016 — 9:30 am

Clergy and Worship Leaders

Rev. Dr. Dave Summers, Senior Pastor
Rev. Eve Williams, Associate Pastor
Rev. Andrea Andress, Associate Pastor for Spiritual Formation of Children and Families
Rev. Brenda Smith, Director, Children's Ministry and Young Adult Ministry
Christopher Wurpts, Youth Ministries Director
Dr. Ashley Snavley, Music and Arts Ministries Director and Organist
Dr. Andria Fennig, Worship Accompanist/Director of Contemporary Worship Arts
Thomas Strawser, Assistant Music Director and Youth Choir Director

A complete staff listing can be found at pvumc.org/contact/staff-directory/

Acolytes: Gage Samaddar, Jeffrey Takeuchi

Ushers: Wayne Allcott, Lee Bisbee, Mike Fisher, Russ Mosser,
Rich Nowak, Tom Rugen, John Stallings, Lee Steers

Audio: Jim DeBusk Visuals: Craig McGaughey



Monsters Under the Bed
“Being Alone”

Meditation

*Let there be an opening into the quiet that lies beneath the chaos,
where you find the peace you did not think possible and see
what shimmers within the storm. ~Jan Richardson*



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Words of Welcome

Rev. Eve Williams

*(please fill out and pass the fellowship pads)***Prelude***Prayer*
Wesley Skinner, cello

Bloch

Anthem*Nearer, My God, to Thee*
Chancel Choir; Wesley Skinner, cello

arr. Forrest

Choral Introit*** Call to Worship**

Rev. Andrea Address

Leader: When we feel down-hearted...

People: Jesus says: "Rise!"

Leader: When we wonder if we can continue on our journey...

People: Jesus says: "I am with you. You have nothing to fear."

Leader: When we hunger and thirst in our souls for relief...

People: Jesus says: "Come, follow me."

Leader: Lord of hope and possibilities, be with us today.

People: Open our hearts and spirits to feed upon
your healing word.*** Hymn of Praise** *Lord of All Hopefulness**The Faith We Sing (TFWS) 2197**** Opening Prayer** (in unison)Lord of hope and light, shine into our darkness and
bring hope to our souls.Remind us again of the wonderful ways you
have cared for us when we were lost.

Open our hearts to receive your loving spirit.

Refresh our minds with knowledge of your
everlasting power and compassion.

We offer this prayer in Christ's name. Amen.

*** Moments of Christian Fellowship***** Hymn of Fellowship** *Gather Us In vs. 1 & 4**TFWS 2236*

*When you see an * in the order of worship, please stand as you are able.
Large-print bulletins, Bibles and hymnals, as well as assistive listening devices
and wheelchairs, are available from the ushers.*

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**Financial Update and Sharing of God's Tithes and Our Offerings****Monica Stern, Finance Ministry Team Chair****Offertory***Caprice No. 7*
Wesley Skinner, cello

Piatti

*** Doxology** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*

Hymnal 95

*** Offertory Prayer***** Hymn of Preparation** *I Need Thee Every Hour* vs. 1, 2, 4 Hymnal 397**Scripture** Psalm 25:1-3, 11-22 (Pew Bible page 502)

Dr. Jan Elsea

Leader: God's Word for God's people.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon*Monsters Under the Bed: Being Alone*
Rev. Eve Williams*** Hymn of Commitment** *Lead On, O King Eternal*

Hymnal 580

*** Benediction***** Postlude***Toccata in D Minor*
Dr. Ashley Snavley, organ

Nevin

Communion is available at the rail following the service.
Our prayer team is available during the serving of communion for a time
of healing and anointing prayer. You may share a prayer concern with
the prayer team, or simply ask them to pray for your unvoiced concern.