

Abbe Reformed Church

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
October 1, 2017 – 10:15 AM

GATHERING IN WORSHIP

*Gathering Hymn *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* #350
 I Exalt Thee

*Prayer of Confession
 **Triune God,
 You are God of love and life.
 You give us life in Christ
 through your Holy Spirit.**

**But even though Jesus prayed that we would be one,
the truth is that we resist unity with each other and with you.**

**We break our communion
 by refusing to forgive;
 by justifying divisions;
 by willingly living in brokenness.**

**Heal us, God.
Help us experience communion
with you and with each other
as we gather around your Word.**

**With our eyes on Jesus, we commit ourselves
to live more fully in the unity you desire.
Through Christ, our Lord, Amen.**

*Assurance of God's Grace

*Sharing in the Peace of Christ

Children's Time

Song of Preparation *In My Life Lord, Be Glorified* #394

THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Readings *Jonah 3:1-4:11*

Message *Big Stories: Jonah* Pastor Noah

Celebration of the Lord's Supper see insert

OUR GRATEFUL RESPONSE

Offering
Offertory *The New Doxology* choir
*Doxology

Greeting and Announcements
Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Sending Song *Be Thou My Vision* #382

*Benediction

Pastors Noah & Kristen Livingston
Jennifer Schruers, Music Director

**Congregation please stand as able*

2017 Consistory

Elders

Trudy Williams (2018) - Vice President
Eleanor Aikens (2017) - Clerk
Reneé TeCulver (2019) - Assistant Clerk
Roger Dunnewold (2017)
Laurie Holthouse (2018)
Nelson TeCrony (2019)

Deacons

Head Deacon - (2017) Laurie TeWinkle
Benevolent Treasurer - (2019) Judy Willink
(2018) Mark Honey
(2017) Scott Neckers
(2018) Esther Nickerson
(2019) Kelly White

In the name of Christ, we welcome you to the fellowship of Abbe Church, its work and worship, its instruction and service, and to its comfort and blessing.

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