

My whole being waits for my Lord –
more than the night watch
waits for the morning;
yes, more than the night watch
waits for the morning!

Psalm 130:6

Welcome to Sardis Presbyterian Church.

We are honored that you chose to worship God with us this morning.

If you are looking for a church home, we would love to help you explore the possibility that Sardis is the place God is calling you to worship and serve. Just give us information when the Register is passed for how you prefer to be contacted.

You are welcome here.

*Please remember to silence cell
phones during Worship.*



THE CORPORATE WORSHIP OF GOD

August 12, 2018

† *Those who are able, please stand.*

† SONG

† WELCOME

Steven Pappas

Both members and visitors are asked to sign as the register is passed.

† SONG

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*unison*)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† SUNG RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 130
(Common English Bible)

SERMON

The Night Watch

Joe B. Martin

† SONG

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Jane Fobel

OFFERING

SONG

† DOXOLOGY

† PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

† SONG

† BENEDICTION

† PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.



**Join us after the service
under the Weekday School porte cochere.**

WELCOME VISITORS! Drop by the Welcome Table near the main door to speak to someone about Sardis Presbyterian Church and receive more information about all of our ministries.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BAGS are available on the rack by the Fellowship Hall doors. Please return the bags to the designated basket by the rack.

CHILDCARE for infants through age 5 is available during worship in the Weekday School building. Children 2nd grade and older are encouraged to worship with their families.

COPIES OF THE Sardis Church newsletter, The Communicator, are available in the Gathering Place and on the website, sardis.org.

PASTORAL EMERGENCIES: On weekends or holidays please call the church office to be directed to the Pastoral Care Voicemail. Please leave a message, including a call-back number, and a Pastor will be in touch with you shortly.

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happening at sardis

Next Sunday, August 19: Please join us at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary for worship. We will celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion during worship.

Sermon Talk Back: Following our 10:00 a.m. worship services through September 2, we invite the **adults and youth** to join us for Sermon Talk Backs—conversations with our Sardis pastors.

Elementary Faith Exploration: After the 10:00 services this summer, all elementary youth (rising Kindergarten through rising 5th grade) are invited to join us for Faith Exploration! We will gather at the Lemonade Socials and spend time together exploring our faith in active ways that are different each week.

Mark your calender...

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community PICNIC

September 8
4:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Francis Property

YOU
ARE
INVITED...

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