Welcome to The Presbyterian Church of Saint David 24th Sunday after Pentecost - November 4, 2018

Opening Responses

- L> The world belongs to the Lord,.
- ALL> the earth and its people are his.
- L> How good and lovely it is
- ALL> to live together in unity.
- L> Love and faith come together,
- ALL> justice and peace join hands.
- L> Lord, open our lips
- ALL> and our mouths shall proclaim your praise.

Hymn: When morning gilds the skies <u>438</u>

Prayer: (said together)

We will praise you, O Lord, as long as we live; we will sing praises to you, our God, all our life long. You made the heaven and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them. You keep faith forever, bringing justice for the oppressed and food for the hungry. You call us to love you and to love our neighbour. So we offer our praise and our lives to you in the name of Jesus our Saviour and Lord. Amen.

RESPONSE in Preparation for the Readings:

- L> Let us prepare ourselves for the Word of God as it comes to us in the reading of Holy Scripture.
- ALL> Our hearts and minds are open.

The Word of God: Psalm 146

Mark 12:28-34

One> This is the word of the Lord. ALL> Thanks be to God.

Reflection

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Blessing, Prayers for Others

Communion

Prayer: (*said together*)

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hymn: For the fruits of all creation <u>802</u>

Blessing:

 L> God sends us into the world, to accept the cost and discover the joy of discipleship.
Therefore go--- carrying with you the peace of Christ, the love of God, and the encouragement of the Holy Spirit, in trial and rejoicing.

All> Amen