



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF KINGWOOD

TODAY'S READINGS: *1 Chron 16, 2 Tim, Rom. 8:26-31*

PREPARING TO RECEIVE THE WORD

Prayer of Confession

All: Loving Lord, you gave us the good news of Jesus Christ and poured out your Spirit to guide us. Yet we confess turning away from you when we cling to old habits. We resist the changes you seek to make in us. We hear your Truth without allowing it to shape our lives. Forgive us, Lord. Give us willing hearts that return to you and follow your lead. Fill us with your Spirit and strengthen our faith. Grant us courage to join in your work and share the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Assurance of Pardon

L: God saved us and called us to live a holy life.

P: Not because we deserved it.

L: Because that was his plan from before the beginning of time.

All: He showed us his grace through Christ Jesus. Amen!

RECEIVING THE WORD

God's Story for all God's Children

Hymn #378: His Eye Is on the Sparrow

Scripture and Commentary

Rev. Roland Zavala

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

First Pres Gospel Catechism (words on screen)

Responsive Reading and Words of Institution

Communion Anthem: The Blessing

Total Praise Band

Singing of The Lord's Prayer

SENDING OUT WITH THE WORD

Benediction

You go nowhere by accident.
As you go, God is sending you.
Wherever you go, God is with you there.
God has a purpose in your being there.
Christ lives in you and has something
He wants to do through you where you are.
So believe this and go in the grace and love
and power of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Song: Graves in Gardens