

Order of Worship, First Presbyterian Church

Sunday, June 28, 2020
4th Sunday after Pentecost

Announcements

Rev. Bradley Longfield

Prelude

“Great is Thy Faithfulness”

arr. F. Bock

For Prayer and Reflection:

“All the promises of God rest upon Christ alone.” -John Calvin

Call to Worship

Psalm 100:1, 2, 5

Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness.
Come into God’s presence with singing!

**For the Lord is a gracious God, whose mercy is everlasting;
and whose faithfulness endures to all generations.**

Opening Prayer

***Songs of Praise**

“He Who Began a Good Work in You”

Mohr

He who began a good work in you, He who began a good work in you;
Will be faithful to complete it. He’ll be faithful to complete it.
He who started the work will be faithful to complete it in you.

He who began a good work in me, He who began a good work in me;
Will be faithful to complete it. He’ll be faithful to complete it.
He who started the work will be faithful to complete it in me.

“I Will Change Your Name”

Eden’s Bridge

I will change your name
You shall no longer be called
Wounded, outcast, lonely or afraid

I will change your name
Your new name shall be
Confidence, joyfulness, overcoming one
Faithfulness, friend of God
One who seeks My face

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

Silent Confession (*Here let each worshiper offer silent, personal prayers of confession*)

Declaration of Forgiveness

Gloria Patri #734

“Glory Be to the Father”

Greatorex

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 22:1-18

Special Music

“Psalm 84”

Hopson

New Testament Reading

Hebrews 11:8-19

Sermon

“The Promises We Have”

Hymn of Response #430

“Be Not Afraid”

Dufford, S.J.

You shall cross the barren desert, but you shall not die of thirst.
You shall wander far in safety though you do not know the way.
You shall speak your words in foreign lands and all will understand.
You shall see the face of God and live.

Refrain: Be not afraid. I go before you always.
Come follow me, and I will give you rest.

If you pass through raging waters in the sea, you shall not drown.
If you walk amid the burning flames, you shall not be harmed.
If you stand before the power of hell and death is at your side, know that
I am with you through it all. (Refrain)

Blessed are your poor, for the kingdom shall be theirs.
Blest are you that weep and mourn, for one day you shall laugh.
And if wicked tongues insult and hate you all because of me, blessed, blessed are you! (Refrain)

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen

Sending Hymn #422

“Amazing Grace!”

New Britain

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.

‘Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fear relieved;
How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come;
’Tis grace that brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first begun.

Benediction

Postlude

“I Am Bound for the Promised Land ”

arr. Livingston

Leaders in worship:

Liturgist: Joe Klinebriel
Preacher: Rev. Bradley Longfield
Music Director: Kristen Eby
Vocalist: Jill Klinebriel
Musicians: John Eby, Linda Longfield
Technical Directors: Bryan and Sara Blair

Lectionary Reading for July 5

Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67
Psalm 45:10-17 or Song of Solomon 2:8-13
Romans 7:15-25a
Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

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