

Order of Worship, First Presbyterian Church
Sunday, May 17, 2020
6th Sunday of Easter

Announcements

Rev. Bradley Longfield

Prelude

“Come, Breath of God”

Giamanco

For Prayer and Reflection:

"The promise of the Holy Spirit, the hope of eternal life, the love of Jesus, the treasuring of his words, the keeping of his commandment, the assurance that God never lies—these are the things that, however indirectly or fragmentarily expressed, sustain us for the life of faith and impel us toward a most happy and blessed end."

Call to Worship

Do not be afraid, for we shall never be orphaned.

The Holy Spirit of truth and love is with us!

Let us tell what the Lord has done for us.

We are, in Christ, not driven by the flesh, but alive in the Spirit.

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

“Still”

Morgan

Hide me now under your wings

Cover me within your mighty hand

Chorus: When the oceans rise and thunders roar
I will soar with you above the storm
Father you are king over the flood
I will be still and know you are God

Find rest my soul in Christ alone

Know his power in quietness and trust (Chorus)

Prayer for Illumination

First Scripture Reading

Psalm 68:1-6

Second Scripture Reading

John 14:15-21

Sermon

“Father of Orphans, Protector of Widows”

Special Music

“And Jesus Said”

Hustad/Murray

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Sending Hymn #630

“Healer of Our Every Ill”

Haugen

Refrain: Healer of our every ill, light of each tomorrow,
Give us peace beyond our fear, and hope beyond our sorrow.

You who know our fears and sadness, grace us with your peace and gladness.
Spirit of all comfort, fill our hearts. (Refrain)

In the pain and joy beholding, how your grace is still unfolding.
Give us all your vision, God of love. (Refrain)

Give us strength to love each other, every sister, every brother.
Spirit of all kindness, be our guide. (Refrain)

You who know each thought and feeling, teach us all your way of healing.
Spirit of compassion, fill each heart. (Refrain)

Benediction

Postlude

“Spirit of the Living God!”

Jordan

Leaders in worship:

Liturgist: Beth Foxen

Preacher: Rev. Timothy Slemmons

Music Director: Kristen Eby

Vocalist: Jill Klinebriel

Musicians: Alex Eby, Hannah Eby, Linda Longfield

“Come, Breath of God”

Music: Giamanco

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