

# 10th Sunday after Pentecost

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. August 17, 2025

\*The asterisk indicates to stand, as you are able.

Magnifying readers are available in the narthex. Hearing devices are available at the Welcome Desk.

**BELL TOLL** 

WELCOME (9:00) Dr. John Robbins (11:00) Rev. Jay Clark

OPENING VOLUNTARY Trumpet Tune Christopher Tambling

Sungyun Kim, organ

\* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 98:1-6)

Pastor: Joyful is the sound we make this morning!

People: For this day liberates us from doubt and fear.

Pastor: Thankful is the song we sing!

People: For this day moves us past darkness and despair.

Pastor: Hopeful is the prayer upon our lips!

People: For this day awakens in us long-awaited new life.

Pastor: Jesus said, "Where two or more are gathered in my name,

I am there among them."

People: Christ lives here and now.

All: He is among us at this and every moment.

\* **PROCESSIONAL HYMN 89** Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee HYMN TO JOY

\* 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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

\* GLORIA PATRI 70 MEINEKE

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. Amen.

**ANTHEM** Be Thou My Vision arr. Keith Christopher

**Chancel Choir** 

THIS PLACE MATTERS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (9:00) Rev. Clark (11:00) Rev. Daniel Curry

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** 

# **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

Holy God, you alone are worthy of honor and praise. Open our eyes to see the world as you see it. Give us the wisdom to witness your presence in all people. Transform us in love, grow us in our faith, call us to love with a full heart and to share your promises with all people. We pray these things through Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray:

# 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 trespasses

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

# **CHORAL AMEN**

# **GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERING**

Rev. Curry

**OFFERTORY** Lord, Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor arr. Larry Shackley

Dr. Frode Gundersen, piano

\* DOXOLOGY 95 OLD 100th

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\* **HYMN 500** Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart MORECAMBE

(Stanzas 1-3)

\* SCRIPTURE LESSON 1 Timothy 2:1-6 (9:00) Dr. Robbins

(11:00) Rev. Clark

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

\* GREETING

**SERMON** Prayers for Everyone

# INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

\* CLOSING HYMN 127 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah CWM RHONDDA

# \* WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

We rejoice to recognize you as a member of Christ's holy church, and we welcome you to Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness.

\* BENEDICTION

\* CLOSING VOLUNTARY Marche Solennelle Felix Borowski

Sungyun Kim, organ

# **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Dr. John Robbins, Senior Pastor
Rev. Jay Clark, Chief of Staff
Rev. Daniel Curry, Pastor of Caring Ministries
Dr. Frode Gundersen, Director of Music, Worship & Arts
Sungyun Kim, Associate Music Director & Organist

#### **USHERS**

(9:00) Brandon Mazander (Lead), Lee Archer, Nancy Archer, Will Green (11:00) John Jones (Lead), Andy Agar, Richard Bright, Amy Ezell, David Ezell

#### **ACOLYTES**

(9:00) George Jennings & Ella Jennings (11:00) Will Daugherty & Jane Bright

# **ALTAR GUILD**

Deborah Jackson

# **SOUND**

Ryan Eppinette

#### **SANCTUARY FLOWERS**

The Sanctuary Flowers are placed in loving memory of Jim Monk and in honor of Lynn Monk for their anniversary by Barrett, Andrew, Tucker, and Brooks Norton.

# **COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS**

The flowers in the Columbarium Garden are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dot Allen Moore, dearest wife of Tom and loving mother of Jennifer and Russell.

# INSPIRE LOVE. EMBRACE CHRIST. ENGAGE THE WORLD.











