

Classic Worship

Sanctuary

September 28, 2025

A History of Moving Forward



# 16th Sunday after Pentecost

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. September 28, 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 Dr. John Robbins

**OPENING VOLUNTARY** No. 5 Invocation from Ten pieces for organ

Theodore Salome

Sungyun Kim, organ

\* CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 91:2; Romans 10:9, 13)

Pastor: Let us worship God.

People: "He is our refuge and our fortress, our God, in whom we trust."

Pastor: Let us confess with our mouths, "Jesus is Lord,"

and believe in our hearts that God raised him from the dead. **People:** "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Pastor: Let us call upon our true God, believing him in our hearts,

confessing him with our mouths,

All: worshipping him in spirit and in truth.

\* PROCESSIONAL HYMN 103 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

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# \* 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** Sing to the Lord a New Song Craig Courtney

Chancel Choir & Heather Thayer, horn

THIS PLACE MATTERS

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE** Rev. Jay Clark

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

#### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you all that we have and all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior 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. Clark

**OFFERTORY**Brethren, We Have Met to Worship arr. James Curnow
Heather Thayer, horn

\* 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 399** Take My Life, and Let It Be MESSIAH

\* SCRIPTURE LESSON 1 Timothy 6:11-16

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

Thanks be to God.

\* GRFFTING

**SERMON** Fighting the Good Fight Dr. Robbins

\* CLOSING HYMN 413 A Charge to Keep I Have BOYLSTON

# \* 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 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing arr. Albert L. Travis
Sungyun Kim, organ

Communion is available immediately following this service in the Chapel.

#### **WORSHIP LEADERS**

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

#### **USHERS**

(9:00) Jesse Gibson *(Lead)*, Amanda Edwards, Christian Harris, Sid Harris, Arline Jackson (11:00) David Jones *(Lead)*, Nancy Leonhardt, Marilyn Micheletti, Jan Sullivan

# **Altar Guild**

Marsha Allbritton

#### **ACOLYTE**

(11:00) Ann Ramsay Blankenship

## Sound

**Bob Worthington** 

#### **SANCTUARY FLOWERS**

The Sanctuary flowers are placed to the glory of God and in honor of Bev Villines' 75th birthday on September 26th by her daughter Corey Brooks.

#### **COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS**

The Columbarium Garden flowers are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mary-Britton "Boogie" Norton by her family.











