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Love God, Love Neighbor, Change the World

# Sunday Worship Bulletin

August 9, 2020

# Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

CALL TO WORSHIP BELL PEAL

GREETING

PRELUDE "Fantasia"

+HYMN 126 "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"

*Sing praise to God who reigns above, the God of all creation, the God of power, the God of love, the God of our salvation. With healing balm my soul is filled and every faithless murmur stilled: To God all praise and glory.*

*The Lord is never far away, but through all grief distressing, an ever present help and stay, our peace and joy and blessing. As with a mother's tender hand, God gently leads the chosen band: To God all praise and glory.*

*Thus, all my toilsome way along, I sing aloud thy praises, that earth may hear the graceful song my voice unwearied raises. Be joyful in the Lord, my heart, both soul and body bear your part: To God all praise and glory.*

*Let all who name Christ's holy name give God all praise and glory; let all who own his power proclaim aloud the wondrous story! Cast each false idol from its throne, for Christ is Lord, and Christ alone: To God all praise and glory.*

+SHARING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

Holy, mysterious Lover of all you have made, you call us to become your people: to remember ancient stories, to love our neighbors, to sing and praise your name. *In our prayers and in our silence, in our songs and in our laughter, in our tears and in our wonder, help us to know that you are always with us and among us.* As followers of Christ, let us share that love by saying, you are a child of God! **You are a child of God!** Amen! **Amen!**

+SUNG RESPONSE 206 vs. 1

*I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus. God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus. In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike. The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.*

+PSALTER 758 Psalm 27: 1-6, with sung response

For with you is the foun-tain of life;  
in your light do we see light.

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?  
**The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?**  
When evildoers assail me, to devour my flesh,  
my adversaries and foes shall stumble and fall.

Dr. John Robbins

Johann Krebs

MIT FREUDEN ZART

Rev. Jay Clark

HOUSTON

James Maase

*Though a host encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident.*  
One thing I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after:  
*that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to inquire in the Lord's temple. R*

The Lord will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble, will conceal me under the cover of his tent, and will set me high upon a rock.  
**And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies round about me; and I will offer sacrifices in the Lord's tent with shouts of joy; I will sing and make melody of the Lord. R**

SOLO "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Carol Isom, Soprano

Helen Howarth Lemmel

LESSON FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

*HYMN 191 vs. 1 and 3*  
**Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.**

*Jesus loves me still today, walking with me on my way, Wanting as a friend to give light and love to all who live.*

*Refrain: Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*

Dr. Jeffery Hampton

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**  
Let us pray.

Rev. Clark

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.*

+HYMN 340 "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

*Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore; Jesus ready stand to save you, full of pity, love, and power*  
*Refrain: I will arise and go to Jesus; he will embrace me with his arms; In the arms of my dear Savior, O there are ten thousand charms.*

RESTORATION

*Come, ye thirsty, come, and welcome, God's free bounty glorify; true belief and true repentance, every grace that bring you nigh. Refrain*

*Come ye weary, heavy laden, lost and ruined by the fall; if you tarry till you're better, you will never come at all. Refrain*

*Let not conscience make you linger, nor of fitness fondly dream; all the fitness he requireth is to feel your need of him. Refrain*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Dr. Hampton

OFFERTORY "Trumpet Tune in F Major"

Courtney Swindler, Trumpet

David N. Johnson

+PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS WITH DOXOLOGY 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**  
**Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!**  
**Praise God, the source of all our gifts!**  
**Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!**  
**Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "Lost In Wonder, Love, & Praise" by John R. Killinger

**I believe in God, whatever storms may rage about me. I believe God cares for me, as God cares for all people, and that God's love is for all time to come. I believe in Christ, whatever the world may say about him; I believe his death atones for sin, and that he lives forevermore, present to all believers. I believe in the Holy Spirit, however hard it is to understand such things; I believe the Spirit teaches, guides, and comforts me, and that it will lead me into the fullness of God.**

Rev. Clark

*I believe in the Church, whatever others may think about it; I believe it is still the fellowship of the faithful, and that it helps me to be conscious of God in the world. I believe in the forgiveness of sins, even though I often live as if I didn't; I believe that God's forgiveness allows me to relax as myself, and that it helps me to be more generous about the sins of others. I believe in the life everlasting, whatever science may think about it; I believe that this life is but the lower school for another, and that knowing this casts everything in a different light. I believe in saying what I believe, however others may feel about it; I believe that knowing what one believes is important in this age, and that it helps me to keep my thinking in order at all times. Amen.*

+GLORIA PATRI 70

*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.*

+SCRIPTURE Matthew 6:25-34

The Word of God for the people of God.  
*Thanks be to God.*

MESSAGE

“Wait to Worry”

+INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

+HYMN 130 “God Will Take Care of You”

*Be not dismayed whate'er betide, God will take care of you;  
Beneath his wings of love abide, God will take care of you.  
Refrain: God will take care of you, Through every day, o'er all the way;  
He will take care of you, God will take care of you.*

*Through days of toil when heart doth fail, God will take care of you;  
When dangers fierce your path assail, God will take care of you. Refrain*

*All you may need he will provide, God will take care of you;  
Nothing you ask will be denied, God will take care of you. Refrain*

*No matter what may be the test, God will take care of you;  
Lean, weary one, upon his breast, God will take care of you. Refrain*

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

RESPONSE FOR 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

+BENEDICTION RESPONSE 568 vs. 1

*Christ for the world we sing, the world to Christ we bring,  
with loving zeal; the poor, and them that mourn, the faint and overborne,  
sinsick and sorrow-worn, whom Christ doth heal.*

**Assisting in Worship:**

Organist: Stanley Cox

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

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