

+All may stand as able.

9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

CALL TO WORSHIP BELL PEAL

WELCOME

PRELUDE "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

+HYMN 117 "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" vss. 1-5

**O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home!**

**Under the shadow of thy throne, still may we dwell secure;
sufficient is thine arm alone, and our defense is sure.**

**Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame,
from everlasting, thou art God, to endless years the same.**

**A thousand ages, in thy sight, are like an evening gone;
short as the watch that ends the night, before the rising sun.**

**Time, like an ever rolling stream, bears all who breathe away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the opening day.**

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations,
**Before the mountains were brought forth,
or ever you had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting you are God.**

You turn us back to the dust, and say,
"Turn back, O mortal ones!"

**For a thousand years in your sight are but as
yesterday when it is past, or as a watch in the night.**

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us,
and establish the work of our hands;
yes, establish the work of our hands.

+SUNG RESPONSE 117 vs. 6

**O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come;
be thou our guide while life shall last, and our eternal home.**

SOLO "Simple Gifts"

Beverly Israel, Soprano

LESSON FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

HYMN 92 vss1 and 4

**For the beauty of the earth,
for the glory of the skies,
for the love which from our birth
over and around us lies;**

**Refrain: Lord of all, to thee we raise
this our hymn of grateful praise.**

Dr. Jeffery Hampton

Johann G. Walther

ST. ANNE

Ellen Rowland

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arr. Mark Hayes

Cindy Burns

**For the joy of human love,
brother, sister, parent, child,
friends on earth and friends above,
for all gentle thoughts and mild;
(Refrain)**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

OFFERTORY PRAYER

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9:00 "It Is Well with My Soul"

Chancel Choir Ensemble

11:00 "We Pray Now to the Holy Spirit"

arr. Eric Nelson

Dietrich Buxtehude

+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 the God who made and owns the world, and in
the Servant God sent to redeem the world, and in the
Holy Spirit who is God's presence in the world today.
I believe that everything I have is really God's, given into
my keeping for the good of the world.**

**I believe that I am expected to live spiritually in the world,
dealing justly with all persons and contributing to the
care of the poor and needy.**

**I believe that my own life and the lives of those I love will
be blessed by my faithfulness in stewardship and my
devotion to spiritual matters, for God rewards those
who seek the welfare of others and a greater sense of the
heavenly kingdom. Amen.**

Ellen Rowland

+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.**

MEINEKE

+SCRIPTURE Job 42:1-6, 10-13, 16-17

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

Dr. Hampton

+GREETING

MESSAGE

"A Closer Relationship with God"
Sermon Series: Our Journey with Job

Dr. Hampton

+INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

+HYMN 733 "Marching to Zion"

*Come, we that love the Lord, and let our joys be known;
join in a song with sweet accord, join in a song with sweet accord
and thus surround the throne, and thus surround the throne.*

*Refrain: We're marching to Zion, beautiful, beautiful Zion;
we're marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God.*

*Let those refuse to sing who never knew our God;
but children of the heavenly King, but children of the heavenly King
may speak their joys abroad, may speak their joys abroad.
(Refrain)*

*The hill of Zion yields a thousand sacred sweets
before we reach the heavenly fields, before we reach the heavenly fields,
or walk the golden streets, or walk the golden streets.
(Refrain)*

*Then let our songs abound, and every tear be dry;
we're marching through Emmanuel's ground, we're marching through Emmanuel's ground,
to fairer worlds on high, to fairer worlds on high.
(Refrain)*

MARCHING TO ZION

WELCOME

*Thank you for joining
us in worship.*



WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Ellen Rowland

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 671 vs. 2

*Thanks we give and adoration for thy gospel's joyful sound.
May the fruits of thy salvation in our hearts and lives abound;
ever faithful, ever faithful to the truth may we be found.*

SICILIAN MARINERS

POSTLUDE "If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee" BWV 642

Johann Sebastian Bach

Assisting in Worship:

Dr. Jeffery Hampton, Pastor, Caring & Families
Ellen Rowland, Minister to Youth & Families
Cindy Burns, Minister to Children & Families
James Maase, Minister of Music, Arts & Worship
Stanley Cox, Associate Minister of Music & Arts/Organist
Chancel Choir Ensemble

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in celebration of the birth of Elizabeth Spencer "Libby" Jennings, baby girl of Mary and Clark Jennings and granddaughter of Nancy and Boo Jennings and Billie and Skip Rutherford.

The flowers placed in the Columbarium are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dan Keeley and Mary Wetzel.



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