# Fifth Sunday in Lent

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. March 26, 2023

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Please turn off or silence all cell phones prior to the service. The asterisk (\*) indicates to stand, as you are able.

**BELL TOLL** 

**WELCOME** Rev. Kathleen McMurray

**OPENING VOLUNTARY** Chorale Prelude on Martyrdom C. Hubert Parry

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Come to the Lord, who is rich in grace;

approach our God, who is full of mercy.

People: We will praise God with all our heart,

and glorify the name of the Most High forever.

\* PROCESSIONAL HYMN 62 All Creatures of Our God and King LASST UNS ERFREUEN

(Verses 1-5)

\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (The Apostles' Creed)

Dr. Jeffery Hampton

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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.

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.

FIRST LESSON Psalm 130 (9:00) Betty Gene Mann

(11:00) Ann Hoy

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

Thanks be to God.

\* GLORIA PATRI 70

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER Breath on Me, Breath of God Robert Jackson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Jay Clark

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

#### **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

Lord God, we gather in this place not because we are deserving of your love, and not because we have lived faithfully before you. We gather here because you have called us. You loved us before we could love you. You have given your Son for our salvation. For this we join all creation in blessing you, praising you, and thanking you. It's through the power of the Holy Spirit we 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.

**ANTHEM** When I Survey the Wondrous Cross arr. Dan Forrest

Chancel Choir & Andrew Irvin, violin

**GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERING** 

Dr. Hampton

**OFFERTORY** At Twilight Ethel Harraden Glover

Andrew Irvin, violin

\* DOXOLOGY 95 OLD 100<sup>th</sup>

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 126** Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above MIT FREUDEN ZART

\* SCRIPTURE LESSON John 11:1-45 (selected verses)

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

Thanks be to God.

\* GREETING

SERMON When Jesus Weeps Rev. McMurray

\* **HYMN 420** Breathe on Me, Breath of God TRENTHAM

### \* 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

Let us go out and inspire love, embrace Christ, engage the world, and tell somebody about Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church.

\* CLOSING VOLUNTARY Toccata: Aberystwyth David Bednall

Communion is available immediately following this service in the Chapel.

### **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Rev. Jay Clark, Executive Pastor
Dr. Jeffery Hampton, Pastor, Caring Ministries
Rev. Kathleen McMurray, Pastor, Connecting Ministries & Worship
Dr. Frode Gundersen, Director of Music, Arts & Worship
Sungyun Kim, Associate Music Director & Organist

# **ACOLYTES**

(9:00) Isabel Adams

#### USHERS

(9:00) Mark Mathisen (*Lead*), Nancy Bartlett, Dickie Lunsford, Bill Mann (11:00) Ray Porter (*Lead*), Jennie Cole, Jan Sullivan

### SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The Sanctuary flowers are given in honor of PHUMC by the Methodist Foundation of Arkansas. "Thank you for allowing us to be a partner in your ministries."

## **COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS**

The Columbarium Garden flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Floy Jean and Kearney Dietz by Amanda & Joey Scott.