Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. June 25, 2023

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

WELCOME Dr. John Robbins

OPENING VOLUNTARYI Need Thee Every Hour arr. Roy M.Darley

Sungyun Kim, organ

* CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 100, NIV) Rev. Abbey Maynard

Pastor: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

People: Worship the Lord with gladness;

come before him with joyful songs.

Pastor: Know that the Lord is God.

It is he who made us and we are his;

People: we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Pastor: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise;

give thanks to him and praise his name.

People: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;

his faithfulness continues through all generations.

* **OPENING HYMN 57** O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing AZMON

* 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 With a Voice of Singing Martin Shaw

Chancel Choir

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Daniel Curry

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 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. Maynard

OFFERTORY Come, Christians, Join to Sing 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 128** He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought HE LEADETH ME

* SCRIPTURE LESSON

Ephesians 2:1-10

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

Thanks be to God.

* GREETING

SERMON Guided by Grace

* CLOSING HYMN 98 To God Be the Glory TO GOD BE THE GLORY

* 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

Toccata in Seven
Sungyun Kim, organ

John Rutter

Dr. Robbins

Communion is available immediately following this service in Shamblin Chapel.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Dr. John Robbins, Senior Pastor
Rev. Abbey Maynard, Pastor, Community Ministries
Rev. Daniel Curry, Caring Ministries Associate
Dr. Frode Gundersen, Director of Music, Arts & Worship
Sungyun Kim, Associate Music Director & Organist

USHERS

(9:00) Rick Fleetwood *(Lead)*, Caroline Beauchamp, Christian Harris, Arline Jackson, Mark Mathison (11:00) Jan Sullivan *(Lead)*, Pat Crane, Daniel Hines, Nancy Leonhardt

ACOLYTE

(9:00) Lampton Jeffus, Charlotte Stotts

ALTAR GUILD

Renetta Hinkle

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Rev. Victor H. Nixon by Frances O. "Freddie" and Aubrey K. Nixon.

COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS

The flowers in the Columbarium Garden are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Wayne Jackson by Patti, Mike, Mark, Jennie, Julie, Greg, Grace, Mary Kate, Caleb and Sarah.

SOUND TECH

Robert Powers



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