

16th Sunday after Pentecost

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. September 8, 2024

*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 The Spent and Suffering Soul Claude Debussy

Sungyun Kim, organ

* CALL TO WORSHIP (Revelation 15:3-4, NIV)

Pastor: Great and marvelous are your deeds,

Lord God Almighty.

People: Just and true are your ways,

King of the nations.

Pastor: Who will not fear you, Lord,

and bring glory to your name?

People: For you alone are holy.

All: All nations will come and worship before you.

* **PROCESSIONAL HYMN 100** God, Whose Love Is Reigning o'er Us

LAUDA ANIMA

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (The Apostles' Creed)

Rev. Katye Chambers

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.

(9:00) PRESENTATION OF THIRD GRADE BIBLES

Pam Lentz

Pastor: As you receive the Word of God, learn its stories and study its words.

These stories belong to us and their words speak to us all. They tell us who we are.

They tell us that we belong to one another, for we are the people of God.

People: We rejoice in this step in your journey with God. We pray God will guide you,

your family, and us as you use this Holy Bible in your home, in worship, and church

ministries. Together we will learn and grow in our love for God's word.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Dr. Jeffery Hampton

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

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

God of healing and reconciliation, you free us from our burdens and promise us safety and refuge. Help us to trust in your power, that we may praise you without qualification and rejoice in the power of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, 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. Chambers

OFFERTORY ANTHEMDraw Us in the Spirit's Tether

Harold Friedell

Chancel Choir

* **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.

* **(11:00) HYMN 430** O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee MARYTON

* SCRIPTURE LESSON Acts 6:1-7 Dr. Robbins

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

Thanks be to God.

* GREETING

SERMON Working for God

* **HYMN 571** Go Make of All Disciples LANCASHIRE

* 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

Chosen as the Sun

Sungyun Kim, organ

Henri Dallier

WORSHIP LEADERS

Dr. John Robbins, Senior Pastor
Dr. Jeffery Hampton, Associate Pastor
Rev. Katye Chambers, Associate Pastor
Dr. Frode Gundersen, Director of Music, Worship & Arts
Sungyun Kim, Associate Music Director & Organist

USHERS

(9:00) Grant Cox (*Lead*), Lee Archer, Nancy Archer, Ann Bortz, George Cox (11:00) David Ezell (*Lead*), Pat Crane, Boo Jennings, Walker Lampley

ACOLYTES

(9:00) Clark Stewart (11:00) Lucy Ford & Gibson Lampley

ALTAR GUILD

SOUND

Cathy Bozynski

Bob Worthington

COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS

The flowers in the Columbarium Garden are placed to the glory of God and in memory of Lewis Dillahunty by the Dillahunty family.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The Sanctuary flowers are placed to the glory of God and in honor of Deanna Storey Land on her birthday by her sister LaJuana Whyte.

THIRD GRADE BIBLE RECIPIENTS

Barrett Blankenship Grace Ivy Bridges Jane Charlotte Bright Camren Tate Brooks Gracie L. Chavez Elliott M. D'Achille Charlotte Ellen Davis Hannah Joy Doherty Adam Bennett Duke Taylor D. Humphries Grayson A. Humphries
George Wilson Jennings
Caroline Jane Kilgroe
Kennedy Jane King
Kaiden Michael Simoneaux
Howard Paul Marks
Ada Ruth McBroom
Brayden Thomas Mitchell
Addison James Morrissey
Brady Paul Noland

Brooks McFerran Norton
Arya Oakley
Mary Caroline Painter
Caroline Reckert
Alex Rush
David Everett Schildknecht
Hendrix Edward Shively
Evie Slabaugh
Anderson James Stotts
Gwen Swaty

INSPIRE LOVE. EMBRACE CHRIST. ENGAGE THE WORLD.







