

# 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church  
Classic Worship, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.  
October 27, 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

*Andantino*  
Sungyun Kim, organ

*Theodore Salome*

## \* CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 100, NIV)

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;  
All: his faithfulness continues through all generations.**

## \* PROCESSIONAL HYMN 60

*I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath*

OLD 113th

## \* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (The Apostles' Creed)

Rev. Daniel Curry

**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

*How Firm a Foundation*  
Adult Handbell Ensemble

*arr. Sandra Eithun*

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

Rev. Katy Chambers

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

God of light, we have been so blind when the truth has been so clear.  
When we could have sensed the Spirit leading, we missed the way.  
Lord, give us the kind of faith that trusts when we cannot see, through the bright  
Morning Star of our faith, Jesus Christ, the Savior, and in whose name 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.

## CHORAL AMEN

**BECAUSE YOU GIVE** Rev. Daniel Curry, Associate Pastor of Caring & Older Adult Ministries Rev. Curry

## GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERING

## OFFERTORY

*The Gift of Love*  
Dr. Frode Gundersen, piano

*arr. J. Bert Carlson*

## \* 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 87

*What Gift Can We Bring*

ANNIVERSARY SONG

## \* SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mark 12:41-44

Dr. Robbins

This is the Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## \* GREETING

## SERMON

Bible Stories We Think We Know  
*Nothing But the Best*

## \* HYMN

*Give Us a New Song, Alleluia!*

*music by John Yarrington*

## \* 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*  
Sungyun Kim, organ

*Léon Boëllmann*

*Communion is available immediately following this service in the Chapel.*



**WORSHIP LEADERS**

Dr. John Robbins, *Senior Pastor*  
Rev. Daniel Curry, *Associate Pastor of Caring & Older Adult Ministries*  
Rev. Katie Chambers, *Pastor of Missions, Justice, & Emerging Ministries*  
Dr. Frode Gundersen, *Director of Music, Worship & Arts*  
Sungyun Kim, *Associate Music Director & Organist*

**USHERS**

(9:00) Ryan Eppinette (*Lead*), Lee Archer, Nancy Archer, Dickie Lunsford  
(11:00) Boo Jennings (*Lead*), Jim Moody, Marilyn Micheletti, Jill Spradlin

**ACOLYTES**

(9:00) Ella Jennings & George Jennings  
(11:00) Elizabeth Kilgroe & Caroline Kilgroe

**ALTAR GUILD**

Bitsi Bonner

**SOUND**

Bob Worthington

**COLUMBARIUM FLOWERS**

The Columbarium Garden flowers are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Russell Allen Moore (3/19/1971 – 10/31/2007), dearest son of Dot and Tom Moore and loving brother of Jennifer Moore.

**SANCTUARY FLOWERS**

The Sanctuary flowers are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mark S. O'Brien by Lauren-Blair and Lambert Marshall, and his granddaughters Virginia, Caroline, and Mary Catherine Marshall.

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*All Saints*  
SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

COLUMBARIUM | SUNDAY, NOV. 3 | 5:30-6:00PM

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DONATE SOCKS TO OUR NEIGHBORS IN PRISON AND OUR UNHOUSED NEIGHBORS! Bring them to Entrance 9 or the Welcome Desk

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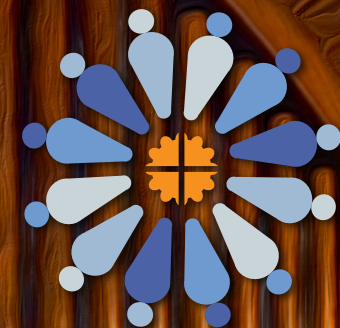
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