

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

June 20, 2021

10:00 a.m.

*The beginning of the opening voluntary is a call to silent, personal meditation.
Please silence all electronic devices as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship God.*

Thank you for continuing to wear a face mask to support our children and those with health concerns.

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Aria

Flor Peeters
(1903-1986)

INTROIT

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God;
come let us adore him.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever.
Amen.

Iain Quinn
(b. 1973)

CALL TO WORSHIP *(adapted from Psalm 107)*

Leader: God is good; let us give thanks.
God's steadfast love endures forever.
People: **Let the redeemed of the Lord say so.**
Leader: Let us be thankful for God's steadfast love,
for God's wonderful works to humankind.
People: **Let us extol God in the congregation of the people,
and praise God in the great assembly.**

***HYMN**

When Morning Gilds the Skies

LAUDES DOMINI

German hymn, c. 1800

Trans. Edward Caswall, 1853, 1858; alt.

Joseph Barnby, 1868

1. When morn - ing gilds the skies, My heart a - wak - ing cries:
2. Does sad - ness fill my mind? A sol - ace here I find:
3. Let earth's wide cir - cle round In joy - ful notes re - sound:
4. Be this, while life is mine, My can - ti - cle di - vine:

May Je - sus Christ be praised! A - like at work and prayer
May Je - sus Christ be praised! Or fades my earth - ly bliss?
May Je - sus Christ be praised! Let air and sea and sky
May Je - sus Christ be praised! Be this the e - ter - nal song

To Je - sus I re - pair: May Je - sus Christ be praised!
My com - fort still is this: May Je - sus Christ be praised!
From depth to height re - ply: May Je - sus Christ be praised!
Through all the a - ges long: May Je - sus Christ be praised!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(unison)*

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and soul and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

KYRIE ELEISON

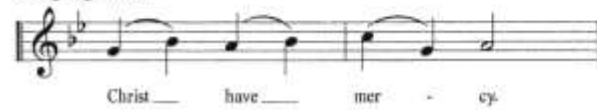
Thomas Juneau
(b. 1977)

Congregation



Choir Lord, have mercy.

Congregation



Choir Christ, have mercy.

Choir and Congregation



Choir Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

All repeat Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

*GLORIA PATRI

Juneau

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the
Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er
shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *(unison)*

Gracious God, your word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path. Give us grace to receive your truth in faith and love, and strength to follow on the path you set before us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

EPISTLE LESSON

II Corinthians 6:1-13

As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says, “At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you.” See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone’s way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything. We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy Word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALTER

Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22

Ray Francis Brown
(1897-1964)

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,
and his mercy endures for ever.

Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed proclaim
that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.

He gathered them out of the lands;
from the east and from the west,
from the north and from the south.

Some were fools and took to rebellious ways;
they were afflicted because of their sins.

They abhorred all manner of food
and drew near to death’s door.

Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble,
and he delivered them from their distress.

He sent forth his word and healed them
and saved them from the grave.

Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy
and the wonders he does for his children.

Let them offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving
and tell of his acts with shouts of joy.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT AND DISMISSAL

Children through fifth grade may process to the Chapel to meet for the Gathering.

HYMN (*seated*)

TALLIS’ CANON

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way,
Through this and every coming day,
That in your Spirit strong and true,
Our lives may be our gift to you.

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 4:35-41

On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, “Let us go across to the other side.” And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, “Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?” He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, “Peace! Be still!” Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, “Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?” And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, “Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?”

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy Word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

“Faith and Troubled Waters”

John Wilkinson

***HYMN**

Give to the Winds Thy Fears

ST. BRIDE

Paul Gerhardt, 1656
Trans. John Wesley, 1739; alt.

Samuel Howard, 1762; alt.

1. Give to the winds thy fears; Hope and be un - dis - mayed:
 2. Through waves and clouds and storms God gent - ly clears thy way;
 3. Leave to God's sov - ereign sway To choose and to com - mand;
 4. On God the Lord re - ly, And safe shalt thou go on;

God hears thy sighs and counts thy tears, God shall lift up thy head.
 Wait pa - tient - ly; so shall this night Soon end in joy - ous day.
 So shalt thou, won - dering, own God's way, How wise, how strong God's hand!
 ' Fix on God's work thy stead - fast eye, So shall thy work be done.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (*unison*)

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING

Offering plates are available at each sanctuary door, where you may share your offering, as you enter or depart. You may continue to send pledges and other gifts to the church office, or give online.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Andrew Carter
(b. 1939)

Holy Spirit, truth divine,
dawn upon this soul of mine;
voice of God and inward light,
wake my spirit, clear my sight.

Holy Spirit, love divine,
glow within this heart of mine.
Kindle every high desire,
purify me with your fire.

Holy Spirit, power divine,
fill and nerve this will of mine.
Boldly may I always live,
bravely serve, and gladly give.

Holy Spirit, peace divine,
still this restless heart of mine.
Speak to calm this tossing sea,
grant me your tranquility.

Holy Spirit, joy divine,
gladden now this heart of mine.
In the desert ways I sing—
spring, O Living Water, spring!

***DOXOLOGY**

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.

OLD HUNDREDTH

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

All: **Eternal God, receive the gifts we share, that they may be used to strengthen our service in your name. Bless us in all ways, and keep us faithful in our call. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.**

***HYMN**

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

HANOVER

Charles Wesley, 1744 Attr. William Croft, 1708
A Supplement to the New Version of the Psalms, 1708

1. Ye ser - vants of God, your Mas - ter pro - claim,
2. God rul - eth on high, al - might - y to save;
3. "Sal - va - tion to God, who sits on the throne,"
4. Then let us a - dore, and give Him His right,

And pub - lish a - broad His won - der - ful name;
And still He is nigh— His pres - ence we have;
Let all cry a - loud, and hon - or the Son;
All glo - ry and power, all wis - dom and might,

The name all - vic - to - rious of Je - sus ex - tol;
The great con - gre - ga - tion His tri - umph shall sing,
The prais - es of Je - sus the an - gels pro - claim,
All hon - or and bless - ing, with an - gels a - bove,

His king - dom is glo - rious, He rules o - ver all.
As - crib - ing sal - va - tion to Je - sus our King.
Fall down on their fac - es, and wor - ship the Lamb.
And thanks nev - er ceas - ing, and in - fi - nite love.

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL RESPONSE**

Amen

Richard Farrant
(1530-1580)

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Festival Voluntary

Peeters

**Congregation standing*

LEADING WORSHIP: Austin Crenshaw Shelley, Associate Pastor; John Wilkinson, Pastor

LITURGIST: Debby and Jack Evans

MUSIC: Gallery Choir, Daniel Spratlan, Conductor; Ken Lovett, Organist

GREETERS: Elder: Linda Amsterdam; Deacon: Karen Asper

USHERS: Narthex: Joan Demme; Front Sanctuary Door: Michael Baughman

FLOWER GUILD: Katherine Connelly and Sandra Connelly

*Flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of
Jane Conti
by her son, Mark Conti.*

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