

Sunday Worship

October 10, 2021

9:30 a.m.

Welcome friends in Christ! We are glad you have come to worship today and to celebrate the love of God in Jesus Christ. We extend a warm greeting of Christian Fellowship to you.

Our Approach to God

Prelude

Moment by Moment
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The Call to Worship

Psalm 124

O Lord, satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love,
So that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.
Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us,
and prosper for us the work of our hands.
God you are Holy. **All praise to you, now and forever! Amen.**

*The Hymn of Praise

Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing
(Congregation singing vs.3)

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The Call to Confession

Psalm 22:11

God is not far from us. When trouble is near, God us our help and our refuge.
Let us confess our sins to God, that we might receive mercy.

*The Prayer of Confession

O Lord, you are the maker of justice **and the source of righteousness, the one who hears the cries of the suffering and who fills the hunger of the poor. Forgive us, O God, when we fail to reflect your just love: when we have food and food leftover, yet we do not share with any in need; when we have power for good and power for change, yet we use it only for our own self-preservation; when we have the words of the prophets before us, yet we cover our ears lest they make us uncomfortable.**
O Lord, hear us now as we approach you in the silence of our hearts with our individual intentions (Silence)
Merciful Lord, forgive us, and teach us to follow in your way. In the name our Teacher, Jesus Christ, who gave his whole life for the sake of the gospel. Amen.

*The Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 103:8, 11-12)

The Lord is compassionate and merciful, very patient, and full of faithful love. **As high as heaven is above the earth, that's how large God's faithful love is for God's children.**
As far as east is from west— that's how far God has removed our sin from us. In Jesus Christ, we are all forgiven. Thanks be to God. Amen!

*The Gloria Patri

Glory Be to the Father

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.

The Special Music

It is Well with My Soul
Permission granted by Rhett Barnwell
Ruth Estell

The Word of God

The Time with the Children

The Epistle Reading

Hebrews 4:12-16

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The Old Testament Reading

Job 23:1-9, 16-17

574OT

The Sermon

"A Day in Court with God"

Pastor Philomena

Our Response to Serve

*The Affirmation of Faith (The Heidelberg Catechism, Question 1)

What is your only comfort in life and in death? **That I am not my own, but belong— body and soul, in life and in death— to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him. Amen.**

*The Hymn

O Jesus, I Have Promised

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(Congregation Singing Vs. 1, 3 & 4)

The Morning Prayers and the Lord's Prayer (using sins)

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 sins as we forgive those who sin 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.

The Offering of our Tithes and Gifts

The Offertory *Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus*
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*The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*The Prayer of Dedication

*The Charge and Benediction

Postlude *To God be the Glory*
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Our Guest Musician today is Ruth Estell at the Piano

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Seeking and Serving Christ. We are a Place for Growing Christians.

Announcements and Upcoming Events

2nd at Second

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Live Stream

Live-Stream ministry is looking for volunteers who are interested in assisting and helping with our Livestream. This would be assisting with the camera recording of the service on Sunday mornings. No formal education required, and your help is greatly appreciated. Anyone interested can contact the church office or Kristin Fowler at 989-301-0133.

Crop Walk

The Crop Walk for Hunger is Sunday, October 10th @ 1:00pm. There are sign-up forms in the front hallway. We can either walk downtown, meeting at the YMCA like in year prior OR you can walk with your own groups somewhere else—your choice. Here's the link if you would like to register online.

<http://events.crophungerwalk.org/2021/team/second-presbyterian-church>.

Fish Fry

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We still need many hands to make the fish fry a success. Sign-up sheets will be in the gathering area soon. Proceeds from the sale go to the Presbyterian Men's Group, which performs many of the maintenance jobs around the church.

Please let one of the following individuals know if you are willing the help:

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