



Community Presbyterian Church

Sixth Sunday of Easter
22 May 2022

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

*Call to Worship

(One) The Lord is Risen!

(All) He is Risen, indeed, Alleluia!

(One) Give thanks to the Risen Lord, who is holy.

(All) God's steadfast love endures forever!

(One) Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

(All) This is the gate of the Lord; let us come and worship God together.

Opening Prayer

*Hymn (405)

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

(1) My hope is built on nothing less
than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain:

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand:
all other ground is sinking sand;
all other ground is sinking sand.

(2) When darkness veils his lovely face,
I rest on his unchanging grace;
in every high and stormy gale,
my anchor holds within the veil. [Refrain]

(3) His oath, his covenant, his blood,
support me in the whelming flood;
when all around my soul gives way,
he then is all my hope and stay. [Refrain]

(4) When he shall come with trumpet sound,
O may I then in him be found:
dressed in his righteousness alone,
faultless to stand before the throne. [Refrain]

Responsive Psalm

Psalm 67

(One) May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us, that your way may be known upon earth, your saving power among all nations.

(All) Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

(One) Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth.

(All) Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

(One) The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, has blessed us.

(All) May God continue to bless us; let all the ends of the earth revere him.

Prayer of Confession

(All) God of mercy, You sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen

Assurance of Pardon Response

Hear Our Prayer O'Lord

*Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord;
incline thine ear to us, and grant us thy peace. Amen.*

PROCLAMATION

First Reading

Acts 16:9-15

Second Reading

Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

Gospel Reading

John 14:23-29

Sermon

Passing of the Peace

***Hymn (496)**

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

(1) What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
what a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain:

Leaning, leaning,
safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

(2) O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
leaning on the everlasting arms. [Refrain]

(3) What have I to dread, what have I to fear,
leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
leaning on the everlasting arms. [Refrain]

RESPONSE

***Affirmation of Faith**

*BSF 1983**

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"

With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen

**Adapted from the Brief Statement of Faith*

Offertory

***Doxology & Prayer of Dedication**

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (sins/trespass)

SENDING

Charge

Benediction

Postlude

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Games Up Here

No games tomorrow night, as Jason will be in working with the church in Montrose.

Wednesday Bible Study

No Bible Study this week. And, this week is also *really* the last week to complete the CPC Summer Series Survey.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Join the men of Lake City this **Thursday, May 26th at 7:00am** for good food, prayer, and Bible study.

CPC Spring Cleaning Work Day

Join us this coming **Saturday, May 28th from 9:00am until 12:00pm** to clean up the church property for the summer season.

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Community Presbyterian Church Summer Series Survey

This survey will help shape our common life this summer in terms of three areas. Please choose your top five favorite hymns. Twenty-five of the most popular hymns have been listed in this survey, but feel free to add a hymn not offered by selecting "other" and writing in your selection.

- At the Cross (Isaac Watts)
- Crown Him with Many Crowns (Matthew Bridges)
- A Mighty Fortress is Our God (Martin Luther)
- Jesus Paid it All (Elvia Hall)
- Fairest Lord Jesus (Anonymous)
- Christ the Lord is Risen Today (Charles Wesley)
- Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing (Robert Robison)
- Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus (Helen Lemmel)
- For the Beauty of the Earth (Folliott S. Pierpoint)
- How Firm A Foundation (John Rippon)
- Praise To the Lord The Almighty (Joachim Neander)
- When I Survey The Wondrous Cross (Isaac Watts)
- To God Be The Glory (Fanny Crosby)
- Be Thou My Vision (Dallán Forgaill)
- In Christ Alone (Keith Getty and Stuart Townend)
- All Hail the Power of Jesus Name (Edward Perronet)
- Blessed Assurance (Fanny Crosby)
- Great Is Thy Faithfulness (Thomas Chisholm)
- All Creatures of Our God and King (St. Francis of Assisi)
- It is Well (Horacio Spafford)
- Amazing Grace (John Newton)
- Doxology (Thomas Ken)
- How Great Thou Art (Carl Gustav Boberg)
- What a Friend We Have in Jesus (Joseph M. Scriven)
- Holy, Holy Holy (Reginald Heiber)
- Other (please write in):

What Biblical or theological question would you like addressed in a Bible study or special Christian education gathering?

What fellowship gathering would you like to see this summer?

Email: _____

SCRIPTURES

Acts 16:9-15

16:9 During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us."

16:10 When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them.

16:11 We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis,

16:12 and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days.

16:13 On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there.

16:14 A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul.

16:15 When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home." And she prevailed upon us.

Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

21:10 And in the spirit he carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God.

21:22 I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb.

21:23 And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb.

21:24 The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it.

21:25 Its gates will never be shut by day--and there will be no night there.

21:26 People will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations.

21:27 But nothing unclean will enter it, nor anyone who practices abomination or falsehood, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life.

22:1 Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb

22:2 through the middle of the street of the city. On either side of the river is the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, producing its fruit each month; and the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations.

22:3 Nothing accursed will be found there any more. But the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him;

22:4 they will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads.

22:5 And there will be no more night; they need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever.

John 14:23-29

14:23 Jesus answered him, "Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them.

14:24 Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

14:25 "I have said these things to you while I am still with you.

14:26 But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you.

14:27 Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.

14:28 You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I am coming to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I.

14:29 And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe.