

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
PUBLIC WORSHIP
11:00 A.M.
Rev. Jessica MacMillan

LARGE PRINT hymnals available
NURSERY is available upon request during the Worship Service
*All who are able may stand

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE with SILENT PRAYERS “Allein Gott in der Hoh sei Her” (All Glory Be to God On High)
CHIMING OF THE HOUR
GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS
MISSION MOMENT:

Our mission is to provide a church home that serves our congregation and our community through praise, worship, and Christian outreach with a determination to live by God’s Word and for God’s glory.

AUGUST MISSION: Donations to Puerto Rico after last year’s hurricane; also Guatemala after a volcano erupted

CALL TO WORSHIP (Leader/People)

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Jesus said: I am the bread of life.

Give us this bread always.

Let us worship God.

*HYMN: #462 (PRESBYTERIAN Hymnal) “Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies”

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your way. You show us the wrong we have done, yet we point fingers at others. You offer us the bread of heaven, yet we hunger for the things of earth. Forgive us, God of grace. Speak your truth to us in love, so that we may return to you in peace, and grow more and more in grace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Moment of Silence)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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*SONG OF PRAISE: *God’s kingdom cannot fail, Christ rules o’er earth and heaven; the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus given: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!*

CONCERNS and JOYS

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE LORD’S PRAYER: (Traditional) Inside back cover of Hymnals

*WORDS & GESTURES OF PEACE:

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

THE PROCLAIMING

SCRIPTURE READING: Exodus 34:29-35 (Pew Bible Page 81)

Liturgist

The Shining Face of Moses.

SCRIPTURE READING: Mark 9:1-3 (Pew Bible Page 44)

Liturgist

The Transfiguration.

SERMON: “Shine”

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*HYMN: #306 (PRESBYTERIAN Hymnal) “Fairest Lord Jesus”

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: “The Apostles’ Creed” (Traditional) inside back cover of Hymnals

THE RESPONDING

OFFERTORY

*SONG OF DEDICATION: “Doxology”

“Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.”

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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THE SENDING

*HYMN: #474 (PRESBYTERIAN Hymnal) “O Splendor of God’s Glory Bright”

*CHARGE and BLESSING

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*CLOSING SONG:

Go now in peace. Never be afraid God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen. Amen. Amen.

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

* POSTLUDE

Director of Music – Matthew Gillis

Notes: Today’s prelude is a setting of the Gloria as it would have been sung in the early German church. The German title (rather than Latin) indicates that this would have been used after the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. Utilizing some of the features available on the organ, it will be played in a more accurate tuning and pitch setting than what is used on modern organs. Since the majority of congregants in the early church were illiterate, learning the music could only be done by rote. Therefore, early music was often sung very slowly, as reflected in this morning’s prelude.