

**JOHN McMILLAN  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
10:00 AM WORSHIP & FACEBOOK LIVE  
TO KNOW, TO GLORIFY AND TO SERVE GOD  
JUNE 19, 2022**

**THE PRELUDE** - *"Blessed be the Tie that Binds"* - by Mansfield

**THE WELCOME**

Rev. Samantha Coggins

**THE INTROIT** - *"Alleluja"* by Mozart

**\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

We assemble here to worship God, our creator and sovereign.

*We put aside thoughts of recreation and vacation to attune to God's call on us.*

Let us seek God's presence in the ordinary and routine.

*Let us listen for God's word in this time of worship.*

**\*THE HYMN OF ADORATION** - *"Jesus, Light of Joy"* - #673

Jesus, light of joy, surround us;  
let your splendid glory shine:  
source of every earthly blessing,  
heaven's everlasting sign.  
Alleluia, alleluia,  
we adore you, light divine.

Now the shadows fall around us;  
now the evening has begun:  
still your gracious light is with us,  
brighter than the morning sun.  
Alleluia, alleluia,  
God of glory, Three-in-One.

With the saints we lift our voices,  
God of power, God of might.  
All creation shines with glory,

singing praises day and night:  
alleluia, alleluia,  
holy, holy, holy light.

### **THE CALL TO CONFESSION** *(please be seated)*

#### **THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

God of Grace,  
we have harmed your children whom you love.  
Because we do not understand them,  
we segregate them,  
we reject them,  
we demonize them,  
and we hurt them.  
Forgive us, in your infinite love,  
and teach us to welcome all of your children  
until our hospitality is as wide as your mercy.  
Help us to understand others  
as we wish to be understood.  
Guide us to love one another as you love us.

#### **THE SILENT CONFESSION**

#### **THE ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**

This is the truth:  
You are not the labels others place on you.  
You are more than the boxes you check.  
You are not the side of the aisle on which you stand,  
for all of you are one in Christ Jesus.  
You belong to Christ, and Christ alone.  
Believe the good news of the gospel:  
*In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.*

#### **\*THE GLORIA PATRI #581**

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 COMMISSIONING OF YOUTH MISSION TEAM & VBS TEAM**

**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER** (*please be seated*)

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.

**THE SPECIAL MUSIC** "*Offertoire*" - by DonJon

Marielle Brown, Flute

**THE SCRIPTURE AND MESSAGE**

Rev. Jeff Tindall

Mark 10: 13-16

Keeping a Promise

**\*THE HYMN OF REFLECTION-** "*Standing on the Promises*" #838

Standing on the promises of Christ my king,  
through eternal ages let his praises ring;  
glory in the highest, I will shout and sing,  
standing on the promises of God.

*Refrain:*

Standing, standing,  
standing on the promises of God my Savior;  
standing, standing,  
I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,  
when the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,  
by the living Word of God I shall prevail,  
standing on the promises of God. (*Refrain*)

Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord,  
bound to him eternally by love's strong cord,  
overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword,  
standing on the promises of God. (*Refrain*)

Standing on the promises I cannot fall,  
listening every moment to the Spirit's call,  
resting in my Savior as my all in all,  
standing on the promises of God. (*Refrain*)

## **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore, the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

## **THE INVITATION TO OFFERING** *(please be seated)*

### **THE OFFERTORY**

#### **\*THE DOXOLOGY #609**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures high and low.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise God in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, and Spirit one.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

#### **\*THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

#### **\*THE PARTING HYMN - "LEAD ME, GUIDE ME" #740**

*Refrain:*

Lead me, guide me, along the way,

for if you lead me, I cannot stray.

Lord, let me walk each day with thee.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

I am weak and I need your strength and power  
to help me over my weakest hour.

Help me through the darkness your face to see.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me. *(Refrain)*

#### **\*THE BENEDICTION**

**THE POSTLUDE** - "*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*" - by Smith