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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP  
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
PENDLETON, OREGON  
JULY 26<sup>TH</sup> 2020 – 8TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



PASTOR – Rev. Jonathan Mitchell  
MUSIC – Steve Muller  
ORGANIST – Sue Nelson

You are invited to participate with us.  
**Bold words** are spoken together.  
***Bold Italic words*** are sung together.

PRELUDE

*Nun bitten wir den Heiligen Geist*

*We Pray Now to the Holy Spirit*

Dietrich Buxtehude

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN #41 O WORSHIP THE KING, ALL GLORIOUS ABOVE!

1. O worship the King, all glorious above!  
O gratefully sing God's power and God's love:  
our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,  
pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.
2. O tell of God's might; O sing of God's grace,  
whose robe is the light, whose canopy space,  
whose chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form;  
and bright is God's path on the wings of the storm.
3. The earth with its store of wonders untold,  
Almighty, your power has founded of old;  
established it fast by a changeless decree,  
and round it has cast, like a mantle, the sea.

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Ps. 55

Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters;  
and you that have no money, come, buy and eat!  
Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

**Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,  
and your labor for that which does not satisfy?**

**Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good,  
and delight yourselves in rich food.**

Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live.

I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.

**See, I made him a witness to the peoples,  
a leader and commander for the peoples.**

See, you shall call nations that you do not know,  
and nations that do not know you shall run to you,  
because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for God has glorified you.

**Seek the LORD while God may be found,  
call upon the LORD while God is near**

Come, let us worship the Lord!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Come to us, Holy One even in our times of resistance.

**Work within and through us, even when we wrestle  
with doubt and despair.**

Enlighten and guide us, even in our darkest hours.

**Bless us and call us by name,  
even when we reject your presence.**

Hold us and love us, even when we try to run away.

**When we feel beat down by the world  
and are weary with fatigue and sorrow,  
nourish us with the bread of life.**

Fill us with your love, that we may go forth with confidence and faith.

(time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

God's strength is more powerful than what keeps us down.

Christ's forgiveness is sure. Join me in these words of hope:

**By the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

GLORIA PATRI

***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.***

PASSING OF THE PEACE

We have been filled with mercy, grace and peace.

Let us share Christ's peace with one another.

May the peace of God be with you.

**And also with you!**

ANTHEM

*Bless this House*

FIRST GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 14:1-12

SECOND GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 14:13-21

SERMON

Two Banquets

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN AND THE 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.**

HYMN #498 LOAVES WERE BROKEN, WORDS WERE SPOKEN

Refrain:

By your body broken for us, by your wine of life out-poured,  
Jesus, feed again your people. Be our Host, our life, our Lord.

1. Loaves were broken, words were spoken by the Galilean shore.  
Jesus, Bread of Life from heaven, was their food for evermore.
2. Loaves were broken, words were spoken in a quiet room one night.  
In the bread and wine you gave them, Christ, you came as Light from Light.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

**The Invitation to the Lord's Table and Words of Institution**

**Communion of the People**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving After the Supper**

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Jesus, feed again your people. Be our Host, our life, our Lord.

3. Loaves are broken, words are spoken, as in faith we gather here.  
Jesus speaks across the ages; "I am with you; do not fear!"
4. By the loaves you break and give us, send us in your name to share  
bread for which the millions hunger, words that tell your love and care.

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Hilf, Gott, dass Mirs Gelingt*  
*O Help Me, Lord, to Praise Thee*     Johann Sebastian Bach