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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PENDLETON, OREGON MARCH 7TH 2021
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
GIFTS OF WOMEN SUNDAY



PASTOR – Rev. Jonathan Mitchell
LITURGIST – Michele Madril
VOCALS – Theresa Ulrich
ORGAN – Sue Nelson
AV SUPPORT – Alison Moses

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

PRELUDE

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy
(Restoration)

Janet Linker

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION: ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN #727

Will You Let Me Be Your Servant?

1. Will you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you?
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.
2. We are pilgrims on a journey; we're together on the road.
We are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.
3. I will hold the Christlight for you in the nighttime of your fear.
I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.
4. I will weep when you are weeping; when you laugh I'll laugh with you.
I will share your joy and sorrow till we've seen this journey through.

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 146

I will praise the Lord as long as I live.

I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

Happy are they whose hope is in the Lord their God,
who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them,
who keeps promises forever;

Who gives justice to those who are oppressed

and food to those who hunger. The Lord sets the captive free.

The Lord cares for the stranger;
the Lord sustains the orphan and the widow,
but frustrates the way of the wicked.

**The Lord shall reign forever, your God O Zion,
through all generations!**

Come, let us worship the Lord.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of glory and righteousness,
we confess that we do not live as citizens of your kingdom.

We give allegiance to worldly thrones.

We ignore the neediest in our midst.

We discount our own worth.

We forsake your just rule and your ways.

**Take from us the spirit of isolation, greed,
lust for power, and false pride.**

Gives us instead the spirit of interdependency, generosity,
humility and love.

**In all things, grant us time for amendment of life
that we may serve you all the length of our days.**

(time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Beloved in Christ, know this: By the power of the Holy Spirit we are refashioned every day to live according to God's reign in the freedom of Christ Jesus.

Join me in these words of forgiveness:

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. Amen

PASSING OF THE PEACE

From Phil. 4

As forgiven followers of Christ, we have received the peace of God which transcends all understanding and guards our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Let us share that peace with one another.

May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you!**

ANTHEM

I Need Thee Every Hour

HEBREW LESSON

Hannah's Song

1 Samuel 2:1-10

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 8:1-8

SERMON

More Holy Disruptions

PRESENTATION OF PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN
LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

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 #510

We Gather Here in Jesus' Name

1. We gather here in Jesus name,
His love is burning in our hearts like living flame,
For through the loving son the father makes us one,
Come take the bread, come drink the wine, come share the Lord.

2. No one is a stranger here, everyone belongs,
Finding our forgiveness here, we in turn forgive all wrongs,
He joins us here, He breaks the bread,
The Lord who pours the cup is risen from the dead,
The one we love the most is now our gracious host,
Come take the bread, come drink the wine, come share the Lord.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Invitation to the Lord's Table**Prayer of Thanksgiving****Words of Institution****Communion of the People**

HYMN #510

We Gather Here in Jesus' Name

3. We are now a family of which the Lord is head,
Though unseen He meets us here in the breaking of the bread,
We'll gather soon where angels sing,
We'll see the glory of our Lord and coming King,
Now we anticipate the feast for which we wait,
Come take the bread, come drink the wine, come share the Lord.

BENEDICTION

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