

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PENDLETON, OREGON – AUGUST 8, 2021
ELEVENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST



PASTOR: REV. JONATHAN MITCHELL
MUSIC: DENISE OWEN
AV SUPPORT: ALISON MOSES
LITURGIST: LISA MARIE PATTERSON

- **Bold words are spoken together.**
- * Indicates to stand (if you can) during the hymns and Gloria Patri as a sign of worship.
- You are welcome to sing softly with us
- **We recommend everyone wear a mask.**

PRELUDE

In the Wind

Jim Brickman

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING PRAYER

*HYMN #35 *Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty*

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 103

Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless God's holy name.

**Bless the LORD, O my soul,
and do not forget all God's benefits--**
who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases,
who redeems your life from the Pit,
who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy,
**who satisfies you with good as long as you live
so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.**

The LORD works vindication and justice
for all who are oppressed.

**The LORD made known God's ways to Moses,
God's acts to the people of Israel.**

The LORD is merciful and gracious,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Come, let us worship the LORD!

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we humbly confess our sins
and ask for your mercy.

We have not loved you with a pure heart.
We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
**We have not done justice,
loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God.**

Have mercy on us, O God in your loving-kindness.
In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin.

**Do not cast us away from your presence,
or take your Holy Spirit from us.**

Restore to us the joy of your salvation
and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit.

(time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

From Psalm 103

God does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our guilt.
For as the heavens are high above the earth,
so great is God's steadfast love toward those who fear God;
as far as the east is from the west,
so far God removes our transgressions from us.
Join me in these words of grace:
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

The steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting.
Let's us share the Spirit's peace with one another.

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

ANTHEM

Satisfied

Jordon Feliz

GOSPEL LESSON
HEBREW LESSON

Matthew 12:38-42
Jonah 1:17-2:10

SERMON

Out of the Depths

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF ELDERS AND DEACONS

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 #435

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

He is Exalted

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IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, August 8

10:00 AM Worship in the Sanctuary
Followed by Sermon Discussion

Monday, August 9

5:00 PM Mission Commission Meeting - Zoom

Tuesday, August 10

10:30 AM Stewardship Meeting
3:00 PM Wired Word

Wednesday, August 11

6:00 PM Session Meeting

Saturday, August 14

11:00 AM Service for Kervyn Harned in the Sanctuary.
Followed by reception in the Rogers Room.

Sunday, August 13-15

Let us know if you would like to camp for free at Westminster Woods. The 13-15 is “Family Camp Weekend” and we encourage any of our church family to reserve a place at the camp. Call Alison at 541-276-7681 or go to www.westminsterintheblues.com

Sunday, August 15

10:30 AM Worship in the Woods – Bring a lunch and Worship with us at Westminster Woods!

Every Wednesday this month from 11:00 - 3:00 at St. Anthony's Hospital: COVID testing free for anyone. Look for the drive through testing area. Just follow the signs.