

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PENDLETON, OREGON – AUGUST 22, 2021
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST



PASTOR: REV. JONATHAN MITCHELL
MUSIC: STEVE MULLER AND EMILY MULLER-CARY
AV SUPPORT: ALISON MOSES
LITURGIST: MARY DAVIS

- **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 are required to wear a mask.

PRELUDE

Amazing Grace

Brent Edstrom

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING PRAYER

*HYMN #41 *O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!*

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 84

How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts!

**My soul longs, indeed it faints for the courts of the LORD;
my heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.**

Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself,
where she may lay her young, at your altars,
O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.

**Happy are those who live in your house,
ever singing your praise.**

Happy are those whose strength is in you,
in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

**As they go through the valley, they make it a place of springs;
the early rain also covers it with pools.**

They go from strength to strength; the God of gods will be seen in Zion.

O LORD God of hosts, hear my prayer; give ear, O God of Jacob!
Behold our shield, O God; look on the face of your anointed.

For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God
than live in the tents of wickedness.

**For the LORD God is a sun and shield;
God bestows favor and honor.**

O LORD of hosts, happy is everyone who trusts in you.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face
is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the
blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us
from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble
hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your
grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ
your Son.**

(time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

From Psalm 103; 2 Cor. 5:17

The Mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting.

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The old life has gone. a new life has begun.

Join me in these words of newness:

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

In forgiveness, we find peace. Peace is meant to be shared with one another.

Look to your neighbor, wave to your neighbor and share God's wholeness with one another. May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you!**

ANTHEM

I want to Walk as a Child of the Light

FIRST LESSON

Acts 2:37-42

HEBREW LESSON

Jonah 3:1-10

SERMON

Five Words

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 #8 SOH

Bind Us Together

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

In the Garden

Brent Edstrom

IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, August 22

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

Tuesday, August 24

3:00 PM Wired Word

Sunday, August 29

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

Monday, August 30

Preschool Soft Start

Tuesday, August 31

Preschool Soft Start
3:00 PM Wired Word

Sunday, September 5

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

Tuesday, September 7

3:00 PM Wired Word

There is free drive through Covid testing, open to everyone, each Wednesday this month from 11:00 - 3:00 in the St. Anthony's Hospital parking lot.