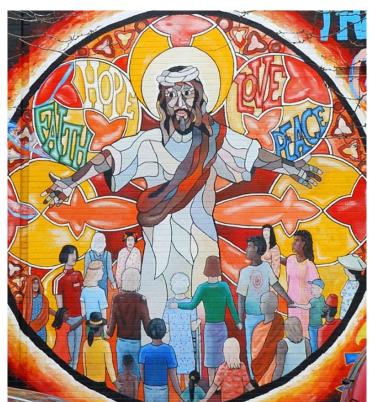
# THE ORDER OF WORSHIP FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



PENDLETON, OREGON – MAY 29, 2022 SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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PASTOR: REV. JONATHAN MITCHELL MUSIC LED BY: CARLY ELDER AND STEVE MULLER LITURGIST: CAROL BLANC

- Masks are optional.
- Bold words are spoken together.
- The nursery is open for children aged 0-5.
- Ushers can provide Children's Activity Bags.

### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## GATHERING PRAYER

\*HYMN #435 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy
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 has established God's throne in the heavens, and the LORD's kingdom rules over all.

Bless the LORD, O you God's angels, you mighty ones who do God's bidding, obedient to God's spoken word.

Bless the LORD, all the hosts, the ministers that do God's will.

Bless the LORD, all God's works, in all places of the LORD's dominion.

Bless the LORD, O my soul.

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, you have shown yourself to us in Jesus, perfect in every way, compassionate and kind, faithful and loving, gracious and hospitable.

We stumble and fall as we seek to follow Jesus, struggling to make his ways our ways.

Our sins are real, and they are many.

Forgive our failings and encourage us to start again.

# (time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON From Psalm 103

The LORD blesses us with forgiveness and grace.

The LORD forgives all our trespasses

and redeems our lives from places where there is no light.

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 Psalm 103

Through forgiveness, the LORD blesses us with peace.

Let us share that peace with one another.

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

\*HYMN #772 Live into Hope

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON NT p.128 Acts 16:16-34

GOSPEL LESSON NT p. 105 John 17:20-26

SERMON Unity

\*HYMN #757 Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples

OFFERING We Wait the Peaceful Kingdom

\*Doxology GTG #607

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Christ, all people here below;

Praise Holy Spirit, evermore;

Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen

# PRAYER OF DEDICATION, JOYS, CONCERNS, 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 #300 We Are One in the Spirit

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

# **CALENDAR**

Sunday, May 29

10:00 AM Worship Service – 7th Sunday of Easter

11:00 AM Fellowship Coffee Hour

Monday, May 30 - Memorial Day: No School, Office Closed

Sunday, June 5 - Bring your Red Geraniums!!

10:00 AM Worship Service – Pentecost Sunday

11:00 AM Fellowship Coffee Hour

Sunday, June 12

10:00 AM Worship Service – Church in the Woods,

Bring a picnic if you like!