

Grace Presbyterian Church

Worships God
June 28, 2020

The Bell Calls Us to Worship

Prelude

Be Strong in the Lord

Tom Fettke
arr. Anna Laura Page

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 210

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

St. Anne

Opening Sentences

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: **The Maker of heaven and earth.**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us pray.

Prayer for the Day (spoken by the pastor; the congregation joining the **Amen**.)

Almighty God, fount of all wisdom, crown of all knowledge, give us eyes to see and minds to understand your marvelous works, that we may know you through your handiwork and use your creation to your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The congregation sits.

Prayer of Confession

Unison

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. ...

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 408 Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life Germany

Apostles' Creed Unison; Hymnal, page 14, Traditional

Gloria Patri 579 Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

The congregation sits.

Pastoral Prayer of Thanksgiving, Intercession, and Dedication

The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors) Unison; Hymnal, page 16, Traditional

Offertory Sentence

Offertory At the Name of Jesus John Zundel
arr. Douglas E. Wagner

The congregation stands to sing the

Doxology 592 Old Hundredth

Benediction

Hymn 420 God of Grace and God of Glory Cwm Rhondda

Postlude Praise Him! Praise Him! Chester G. Allen
arr. Mary McDonald

Welcome to worship at Grace Presbyterian Church.

We have begun the season of Sundays after Trinity Sunday, also called Ordinary Time, which extends until Advent begins on November 29.

Our Gospel readings come from Matthew,
the Old Testament from Genesis,
and the Epistle from Paul's letter to the Romans.

The liturgical color is green,
emblematic of growth in faith, which these lessons seek to help us achieve. (JMK)

CHURCH SESSION

Class of 2020

Rosemary Gordon
Brooks Keiser
Elizabeth Velazquez

Class of 2021

Rickie Cooke
Anna Tate
Janet Vawter

Class of 2022

Kevin Bopp
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