

First Presbyterian Church of Tequesta

September 19, 2021 Order for Worship

17th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to Worship

"We are a welcoming family of Christ's disciples, sharing His love in all we do."

- Children are invited to come forward for the Children's sermon, then will be dismissed for Sunday School. Nursery care is available for children ages three and younger.
- If you are worshiping in the parking lot, tune to 89.5 FM to hear the broadcast audio of our service.
- Please be sure to sign the blue fellowship pad at the end of your pew. First time visitors are invited to stop at the visitors' table just outside the sanctuary door to receive a welcome gift.
- We are grateful for our wonderful music team. Thank you Anne Hlasnicek and Lynne Spotts!
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Prelude

"Maryton"

arr. Smith

Please use this time to silently prepare for worship.

Welcome and Announcements

Opportunities to deepen our faith throughout the week.

Gathering for God's Word

**Please stand or rise in spirit as we gather into a holy time and space.*

Call to Worship

Leader: Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy upon us.

People: For we have had more than enough of contempt.

Leader: To you we lift up our eyes.

People: O you who are enthroned in the heavens.

*Opening Hymn

"Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above"

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Mit Freuden Zart

Preparing for God's Word

Inviting God to release us from our shame and guilt.

Call to Confession

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

But when we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Prayer of Confession

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our failure to be what you created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. By your loving mercy, help us to live in your light and abide in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

Silent prayer...

Assurance of Pardon

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven, **Amen.**

*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.

*Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Children's Sermon

Anthem

"Sing Praise to God"
Harmonia Sacra

arr. McClure

Prayer Concerns (Pastor)-Ask for Prayer Requests from Congregation
After each request, the people respond " Lord Hear Our Prayer".

Prayers of the People

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.

Receiving God's love, care, and guidance.

Offertory Call

If you feel led to give, please drop off a physical offering in the offering plate, give online by visiting our website, or scan the QR code to the right.



Offertory Anthem "Give Me Wings"

Rutter

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Blessing

Receiving God's Word

Hearing God's Good News in Jesus Christ.

Scripture Readings

Romans 5:1-5

James 1:2-4

Philippians 4:12

Sermon:

"Resilience"

Erika Sundrud

Responding to God's Word

Recognizing and giving thanks for God's grace in our lives.

*Closing Hymn

"More Love to Thee, O Christ "

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Prayer

Charge & Benediction

Postlude

arr. McDonald