

Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church
Classic Worship, 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
June 28, 2026

**The asterisk indicates to stand, as you are able.*

Large print hymnals and magnifying readers are available in the narthex.

Hearing devices are available at the Welcome Desk. Please refrain from bringing food or drinks into the Sanctuary.

WELCOME Dr. John Robbins

OPENING VOLUNTARY *I Need Thee Every Hour* arr. Roy M. Darley
Sungyun Kim, organ

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: In your wisdom, O God, you call us here to worship you.

People: We gather, alive in the Word of God.

Pastor: You call us to be fully alive with your life abundant,
ready to listen and respond with heart, soul, strength, and mind.

People: We listen, alive in the Word of God.

Pastor: You call us to be always watchful for your Word of wisdom,
sometimes startling and unexpected,
sometimes still and quiet,
but always dwelling among us.

All: We watch and wait for the Word of God.

* OPENING HYMN 577 *God of Grace and God of Glory* CWM RHONNDA

* WESLEYAN COVENANT PRAYER Rev. Jay Clark

I am no longer my own, but thine.

Put me to what thou wilt, rank me with whom thou wilt.

Put me to doing, put me to suffering.

Let me be employed by thee or laid aside for thee, exalted for thee or brought low for thee.

Let me be full, let me be empty.

Let me have all things, let me have nothing.

I freely and heartily yield all things to thy pleasure and disposal.

And now, O glorious and blessed God,

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, thou art mine, and I am thine. So be it.

And the covenant which I have made on earth, let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

* GLORIA PATRI 70 MEINEKE

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.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (9:00) Frances & Sarah-David Ballard
(11:00) Mason Lee Cherry

With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ’s holy church,
for we are all one in Christ Jesus, our Lord. We promise to love, encourage,
nurture and support you, and to help you know and follow Christ.

ANTHEM *With a Voice of Singing* Martin Shaw
Chancel Choir

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Ellen Rowland

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

**Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you
all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives,
turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you;
through our Savior Jesus Christ who taught us to pray:**

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 trespasses

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

CHORAL AMEN

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY *In the Garden* arr. Michele Murray
(with ‘Going Home’ from Dvořák’s New World Symphony)
Dr. Frode Gundersen, piano

* DOXOLOGY 95 OLD 100th

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* HYMN 116 *The God of Abraham Praise* LEONI

* SCRIPTURE LESSON Genesis 18:1-15 Dr. Robbins

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON Sudden Laughter

* CLOSING HYMN 140 *Great is Thy Faithfulness* FAITHFULNESS
(Verses 1 & 2)

* WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

**We rejoice to recognize you as a member of Christ’s holy church, and we welcome
you to Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to
uphold it with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness.**

* BENEDICTION

* CLOSING VOLUNTARY *Festive Trumpet Tune* Davie German
Sungyun Kim, organ

Communion is available immediately following this service in the Chapel.

WORSHIP LEADERS
Dr. John Robbins, *Senior Pastor*
Rev. Jay Clark, *Chief of Staff*
Rev. Ellen Rowland, *Pastor of Youth & Families*
Dr. Frode Gundersen, *Director of Music, Worship & Arts*
Sungyun Kim, *Associate Music Director & Organist*

USHERS
(9:00) Jesse Gibson (*Lead*), Ann Bortz, Emily Erkel, Jill Spradlin, Bill Mann
(11:00) Pat Crane (*Lead*), David Jones, Ryan Eppinette, Amy Ezell, David Ezell

ALTAR GUILD
Renetta Hinkle

ACOLYTES
(9:00) Clark Stewart

SOUND
Bob Worthington

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The Sanctuary flowers are placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Jane Grigsby Arthurs, and in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary by Bill Arthurs.

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No Children's Sunday School & Limited Adult Sunday School

11:00 Modern Service Only

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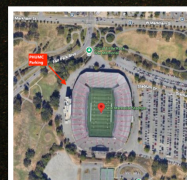
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Led by
Rev. Katie Goss Pearce

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6-7PM

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June 22-Early August



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