

Plymouth Congregational Church
United Church of Christ



June 20, 2021

*With welcoming hearts
Plymouth seeks to share the transforming love of Christ
through
Faith-filled worship, prayer, and study
Hope-filled service and outreach
Love-filled fellowship*

Plymouth Congregational Church
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Father's Day
June 20, 2021
10:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Come Thou Fount

arr. Ric Flauding

WORDS OF WELCOME

***HYMN 428**

God of Love and Truth and Beauty

TUNE: KANSFIELD

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul.

The precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart.

The ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous.

Let us worship the Lord in spirit and in truth.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Rock and our Redeemer, you delight in the truth. You impart wisdom in our secret heart. The words of our mouths can be life-giving water. Deceitful tongues crush the spirit. As we worship, guide us in your grace, teach us your truth, and place your Word upon our lips. We ask these things in the name of your Beloved Son who taught us to pray saying,

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.

FIRST LESSON

Ephesians 4:25-5:2

²⁵ So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. ²⁶ Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷ and do not make room for the devil. ²⁸ Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labor and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. ²⁹ Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰ And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day

of redemption. ³¹ Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, ³² and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. **5** ¹ Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, ² and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Andrea Burt

ANTHEM

Called Me Higher

arr. Dan Galbraith

SECOND AND THIRD LESSON (see Insert)

SERMON

"Truth and Consequences"

Rev. Moira McGuinn

SERMON RESPONSE (Hymn 328) *God's Holy Ways Are Just and True (vs. 1)*

TUNE: LASST
UNS ERFREUEN

CALL TO PRAYER

The Lord be with you,

and also with you.

Let us pray: O Lord, show your mercy upon us,

and grant us your salvation.

O God, make clean our hearts within us,

and may your Holy Spirit live within us.

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE (Hymn 328) *God's Holy Ways Are Just and True (vs. 2)*

TUNE: LASST
UNS ERFREUEN

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalms 19

Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

The law of the Lord is perfect; it revives the soul. The decrees of the Lord are steadfast; they give wisdom to the simple.

Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

The precepts of the Lord are right; they gladden the heart. The command of the Lord is clear; it gives light to the eyes.

Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

They are more to be desired than gold, than quantities of gold. And sweeter are they than honey, than honey flowing from the comb.

Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

OFFERTORY

I Thank the Father

Cynthia Clawson

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

***DOXOLOGY (Hymn 809)**

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.

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

May the Peace

Keith Getty

POSTLUDE

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**Participating in today's service:**

Rev. Moira McGuinn, *Associate Pastor*  
Andrea Burt, *Director of Children's Ministries*  
Rick and Dickie Davis, *Liturgists*  
Gerry Brenes, *Director of Music*  
Christopher Toth, *Organist*  
Vindhya Khare, *Soloist*  
Russ Spiegel, *Guitarist*

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