

# Order of Worship

## March 13, 2022

### Second Sunday in Lent



#### Prelude

#### Call to Worship (Responsive)

One: Lord, listen to my voice when I cry out—

All: have mercy on me and answer me!

One: Come, my heart says, seek God's face.

All: Lord, I do seek your face!

One: Be strong! Let your heart take courage!

All: We have faith that we will see God's goodness in the land of the living!

#### Hymn No. 65

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* (11:00 a.m.)

#### Welcome and Announcements

#### Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Merciful God, you have made us citizens of heaven, but we confess that we have set our minds on earthly things. We have let our desire for security restrain our commitment to serve the poor. We have let our fear of danger curb our obligation to love our enemies. We have let our love of things dull our generosity to the needy. Yet, you know the desires of our hearts and nothing is hidden from you. By the power of the Holy Spirit, give us courage to lament our wrongs, embrace your mercy, that we might be filled with your grace in and for this world. Amen.

#### Kyrie No. 551

*Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.*

#### Prayer for Illumination

#### First Reading

*Psalms 27*

#### Word to Grow By

(11:00 a.m.)

#### Second Reading

*Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18*

## Sermon

*Grounded in Our Lament*, Rev. Kathy Reed

### Affirmation of Faith (Unison)

The 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 on 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.

### Offertory/Special Music

#### Doxology No. 606

*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.*

#### Communion

(9:00 a.m.)

#### Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

(11:00 a.m.)

#### Hymn No. 803

*My Shepherd Will Supply My Need* (11:00 a.m.)

#### Benediction

#### Postlude

#### Congregational Meeting

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Liturgist: Julie Price

The Flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God in loving memory of the Rev. Pat Clark, by Donna Yeager & Dan Henry.

### Welcome to worship at First Presbyterian Church, Auburn

*New to the Presbyterian Church USA?* We would love to share with you more about our Reformed tradition of theology and worship.

*New to Auburn, or simply new to this congregation?* We'd love to share with you more about the rich history of this church and its valuable contributions to the Auburn community.

*Searching for a church home?* We would love to join you in that search and help discern whether First Presbyterian may be where God is calling you to be nurtured, inspired, and empowered.

Please take a moment to fill out our [online Friendship Register](#) or you may contact either of us directly.

Revs. Nick and Kathy Reed, Co-Pastors