

Order of Worship

September 25, 2022

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time



Prelude

Chorale Prelude on "Bread of Life, Scott (11:00 a.m.)

Call to Worship (Responsive)

(from Psalm 146)

One: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

All: I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long ...

One: The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind.

All: The Lord watches over the strangers; God upholds the orphan and the widow, but the way of the wicked God brings to ruin. The Lord will reign forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations. Praise the Lord!

Processional Hymn No. 15 (vv. 1,4,6)

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Stewardship

Jessica Barnes

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Holy God, giver of all that is good, we recognize that you are the source of all that is. The breath of life is a gift from your generous hand. The food we eat is grown in the world you sustain. The community that supports us is called into being by your Spirit. Everything we have is a gift from you. So why do we believe we must hoard our blessings? It is our sin that makes us live as though we don't trust your goodness. So forgive us, we pray. Teach us again what it is to rely upon you. Remind us that we are always in your loving care. Fill us with grace and goodwill, that our hearts might overflow from the fullness of your love... (silent prayer) 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.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Gloria No. 581

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.

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading

Luke 16:19-31

Word to Grow By

Special Music

The God of Heaven, soloist Tyra Crowe (11:00 a.m.)

Second Reading

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Sermon

Claimed and Called, Rev. Kathy Wolf Reed

Hymn No. 482

Baptized in Water (11:00 a.m.)

Affirmation of Faith (Unison) *The Apostles' Creed*

Hymnal, p. 35

Communion

(9:00 a.m.)

Prayers of the People

Offertory

Moderato, Grazioli (11:00 a.m.)

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.

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn No. 694

Great God of Every Blessing

Benediction

Postlude

Variations on "Duke Street", Koury (11:00 a.m.)

Liturgist: Kim Holman.

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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.

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Revs. Nick and Kathy Reed, Co-Pastors