

Order of Worship
July 17, 2022
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prelude *Chorale Prelude on "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot,"* Troutman(11:00 a.m.)

Call to Worship (Responsive) *Psalm 52*
One: I am like the green olive tree in the house of God.
All: I trust in the steadfast love of God forever and ever.
One: I will thank you forever, because of what you have done.
All: In the presence of the faithful, I will proclaim your name, for it is good.

Processional Hymn No. 1 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Confession (Unison)
Loving God, you are gracious with us, no matter what we do. Your forgiveness, love, and mercy know no bounds. Though we may try to earn your grace, you call us to rest in this gift. But we confess that even as we proclaim your grace, we don't always extend it to others. Despite your unconditional love, we prefer to set conditions to our own versions of forgiveness, mercy, and justice. Forgive us for the ways we do not share your love freely, in words and actions, so that all of us may know what the kingdom of heaven feels like. (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 *Jonah 3:10-4:11*

Word to Grow By

Anthem *Lord, Here Am I*, Beck (11:00 a.m.)

Second Reading *Matthew 20:1-16*

Sermon *When a Vineyard Is Just a Vineyard*, Rev. Caroline Barnett

Hymn No. 772 *Live into Hope* (11:00 a.m.)

Affirmation of Faith (Unison) *The Apostles' Creed*, Hymnal p. 35

Communion (9:00 a.m.)

Prayers of the People

Offertory *By Peaceful Waters*, Moore (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. 307 *God of Grace and God of Glory*

Benediction

Postlude *They That Sow in Tears*, Gaither(11:00 a.m.)

Liturgist: Terry Ley

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