



FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SIERRA VISTA, ARIZONA

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Order of Worship 2nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 19, 2022

At the sound of the chimes, please use this time to silently prepare for worship.

CHIMES

PRELUDE "This is My Father's World" - arr. Raney

GREETING **One:** This is the day that the Lord has made!
All: *Let us rejoice and be glad in it!*

INTROIT "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"
Back Row Boys

*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)

With the faithful, as well as the foolish;
with the voiceless, and those who talk too much:
we gather to praise our God.

With those who find it easy to follow,
with those who stumble along the Way:
***we rejoice in Jesus, who makes us whole,
and calls us sisters and brothers.***

With all who are heirs to the promises of grace,
with all who share hope with others:
***we give thanks to the Spirit of peace,
who cradles us in the arms of hope.***

* OPENING HYMN - "Faith of Our Fathers" (see insert)

*** THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)**

We do not call them demons anymore, God who listens to us, but there are those words which chain our hearts to them - words which shame others. There are those actions which bind our lives to them - those fears which grab our hands, that anger which pushes away those around us. There are those thoughts which draw us into the shadows, where we seek to hide from you, hoping you do not see the lives we lead.

Yet, you refuse to stay away but come closer to us in every moment, God who makes us whole. You would clothe us with grace, so we might be your people in this world. You would tear down all that separates us from others, so we might be one. You would make us heirs to the promise of life and hope with our Brother, Jesus the Christ, who comes to heal us and make us your children. Amen.

(silent reflection)

*** THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON (responsively)**

Hear the good news, dear friends. Our God comes, not to torment us, but to release us from all that keeps us from being God's beloved children. We are sisters and brothers of Jesus, those who have been blessed, forgiven, transformed.

Thanks be to God, who reaches out to us and shows us the way of the shadows, pointing to the path of mercy and hope. We are forgiven! Amen.

*** “Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me” #582**

*Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,
And to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me,
And to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen*

WELCOME

We invite all our guests to identify themselves as they wish.

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDRENS TIME - Elder Bill Brouwer

SPECIAL MUSIC - *“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”* - Dorsey
Back Row Boys

SCRIPTURE - OLD TESTAMENT - Isaiah 65:1-9
Holy Wisdom, Holy Word. Thanks be to God.

SCRIPTURE - NEW TESTAMENT - Galations 3:23-29
Holy Wisdom, Holy Word. Thanks be to God.

SERMON - **“Get Up, Get Out, Go To Work”**

RESPONSE **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.

SHARING OUR PRAYERS FOR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

RECEPTION OF OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

OFFERTORY MUSIC: *“Hour of Worship”* - Wilson

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

* DOXOLOGY

*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.*

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS

* CLOSING HYMN - ***“Peace! Be Still!”*** (see insert)
(requested by a church member)

* BENEDICTION

* BENEDICTION RESPONSE - ***“Let There Be Peace On Earth”***

*Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.
With God as our Father, brothers all are we;
Let me walk with my brother in perfect harmony.
Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now;
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow;
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.*

POSTLUDE ***“Celebration”*** – Paxton

Sunday, June 26
Service for
“Healing and Wholeness”
during worship

Are any among you sick?
They should call for the
elders of the church and
have them pray over them,
anointing them with oil in
the name of the Lord.

JAMES 5:14

