

FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SIERRA VISTA, ARIZONA

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Order of Worship

5th Sunday After Pentecost

June 23, 2024

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

CHIMES

PRELUDE -

"You Are My All in All" - Arr. Hayes

GREETING

This is the day that the Lord has made!

Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

INTROIT - "Come To the Table of Grace"

#507 (verse 4)

Come to the table of hope. Come to the table of hope. This is God's table; it's not yours or mine. Come to the table of hope.

* CALL TO WORSHIP - (responsively)

O sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.
Sing and give praise to God's name; tell the good news of salvation from day to day
O praise the Lord with me,
let us exalt God's name together.

* OPENING HYMN - "Let Us Break Bread Together" #525

* THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to

you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.

~ Let us take a few moments for silent reflection. ~

* THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON (responsively)

The God of all grace, who calls us to eternal glory in Jesus Christ, will restore, support and strengthen us. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! *Thanks be to God.*

* GLORIA PATRI: Traditional

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.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE (responsively)

May mercy, peace, and love be yours in abundance. The peace of Christ be with you. *And also with you.*

(You are invited to offer your neighbor a brief sign of peace.)

THE WELCOMING OF GUESTS

(We invite our guests to use the nametags in the attendance pads to identify themselves so that we may get to know each other.)

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDRENS TIME - Elder Richard Carter

SPECIAL MUSIC— "Carried Away" - words and music Tim Hosman - performed by Jeff and Tina Durham

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison)

O God, by your Holy Spirit tell us what we need to hear and show us what we ought to do to obey Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE - 1 Samuel 17:1a, 4-11, 19-23

Holy Wisdom. Holy Word. Thanks be to God.

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE - Mark 4:35-41

Holy Wisdom. Holy Word. Thanks be to God.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD "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 OF JOYS AND CONCERNS AND PASTORAL PRAYER

RECEPTION OF OUR OFFERINGS TO GOD

OFFERTORY – "Holy, Holy, Holy" - arr. Mark Hayes

* DOXOLOGY - Traditional

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 THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

God be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

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.

COMMUNION

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- * CLOSING HYMN "We Praise You. O God" #612
- * 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** - "Glory Be to the Father" - arr. Greatorex