

First Presbyterian Church of Edgewood Worship Trinity Sunday – June 12, 2022

*All who are able, please stand.

PRELUDE

WELCOME & SHARING OF CHURCH LIFE

TOLLING OF THE HOUR

*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

Oh Lord, our sovereign,

how majestic is your name in all the earth.

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,

I wonder who are we that you would be mindful of us?

Let us turn our hearts to worship the God who created, sustains and redeems us.

*HYMN #1

"Holy, Holy, Holy!"

- 1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
 Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
 Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
 God in three persons, blessed Trinity!
- 2 Holy, holy! all the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- 3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see, only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, perfect in power, in love and purity.
- 4 Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.
 Holy, holy! merciful and mighty!
 God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

CALL TO CONFESSION

God, through the Word and Holy Spirit, created all things. God reveals salvation in all the world by sending Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Because of the grace we have received, we confess our sins together before God.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

God of grace, love, and communion, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, and mind; and to love our neighbor as ourselves. We ignore your commandments, stray from your way, and follow other gods. Have mercy on us. Forgive our sin and raise us to new life that we may serve you faithfully and give honor to your holy name. (Silent Confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*RESPONSE #582 "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines"

1 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.

2 World without end, without end. Amen. (3x)
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you: **and also with you.**(Please share the peace as you feel safe and comfortable.)

GATHERING SONG

"Spirit Song"

Oh, let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love; Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul. Oh, let him have the things that hold you, and his Spirit, like a dove,

Oh, let him have the things that hold you, and his Spirit, like a dove. Will descend upon your life and make you whole.

Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

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SCRIPTURE Psalm 8:1-9

¹ LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory in the heavens. ² Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger. ³ When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, ⁴ what is mankind that you are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them? ⁵ You have made them a little lower than the angels and crowned them with glory and honor. ⁶ You made them rulers over the works of your hands; you put everything under their feet: ⁷ all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild, ⁸ the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea, all that swim the paths of the seas. ⁹ LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

SCRIPTURE Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we boast in the hope of the glory of God. ³ Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; ⁴ perseverance, character; and character, hope. ⁵ And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us.

SERMON "Peace Poured Out" Rebecca Abbott

*HYMN #688

"Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"

- 1 Spirit of God, descend upon my heart; wean it from earth, through all its pulses move; stoop to my weakness, mighty as thou art, and make me love thee as I ought to love.
- 2 I ask no dream, no prophet ecstasies, no sudden rending of the veil of clay, no angel visitant, no opening skies; but take the dimness of my soul away.
- 3 Hast thou not bid us love thee, God and King; all, all thine own, soul, heart, and strength, and mind? I see thy cross; there teach my heart to cling.

 O let me seek thee, and O let me find!
- 4 Teach me to feel that thou art always nigh.
 Teach me the struggles of the soul to bear,
 to check the rising doubt, the rebel sigh.
 Teach me the patience of unanswered prayer.
- 5 Teach me to love thee as thine angels love, one holy passion filling all my frame; the baptism of the heaven-descended Dove, my heart an altar, and thy love the flame.

SHARING OF THIS WEEK'S PRAYER REQUESTS

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE 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.

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PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

Use these gifts, God, to do more than we could believe or imagine, building a world of justice and healing where there is enough for all. Amen.

*HYMN #623

"I've Got Peace Like a River"

- 1 I've got peace like a river; I've got peace like a river; I've got peace like a river, in my soul.
 I've got peace like a river; I've got peace like a river;
 - I've got peace like a river, in my soul.
- 2 I've got joy like a fountain...
- 3 I've got love like an ocean...

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

We invite you to sit and enjoy the postlude Sunny has prepared for us. This also helps with the live-streamed recording to have clear audio for those joining us in worship online.

Participants in this worship service:

Rebecca Abbott, guest pastor | Lorraine Douthett, liturgist Shaun Cloonan, minister of music | Sunny Sakai, pianist John Foster, videographer

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This service may be found posted on our website at **www.fpcedgewood.org**, on our **YouTube channel**, or audio only on our SoundCloud channel at **www.soundcloud.com/fpcedgewood**



Welcome! Thanks be to God for allowing us to worship with you!

IN-PERSON WORSHIP GUIDELINES:

- Masks are now optional for all in attendance. We will continue to have a supply of disposable masks at the entrances to the church for those who wish to wear one during services.
- Please continue to social distance in the marked pews.
- Out of respect for those who choose or need to continue wearing masks, our practice of passing
 the peace and sharing communion from our seats, as well as collecting the offering at the
 entrance to the sanctuary will not change.

We will continue to monitor cases and transmission levels and will relax or strengthen this guidance as health and safety protocols dictate. Thanks to all for their cooperation in keeping our church family healthy and safe. Live-streamed online worship will continue to be available on Facebook and YouTube for those who choose to stay home until they feel safe to rejoin in person.

IF YOU ARE VISITING WITH US TODAY: first, welcome! Please fill out a blue visitor's card found in the pew rack. If you are interested in being on our email or newsletter mailing lists, provide that information so we can keep in touch. We hope you consider joining us more often!

THIS MORNING, WE WELCOME Rebecca Abbott to our pulpit. Becka Abbott is a recent Master of Divinity graduate of Pittsburgh Theological Seminary where she still resides with her tetra and guppies. Besides church, her passions include music, but especially singing. She is a candidate under care of the Pittsburgh Presbytery and hopes to be ordained in 2023. After graduation, she started a pastoral residency in Greentree. She looks forward to joining us in worship this morning.

BOOK CLUB MEETS WEEKLY, discussing "Pilgrims Progress in Today's English" by John Bunyan 10:00AM, Tuesdays at the home of Rhonda Apessos, 361 Maple Avenue, Edgewood.

SESSION MEETING, Tuesday, June 14, 7PM in the Gathering Place.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ZOOM BIBLE STUDY is on a summer break until September.

JOIN US FOR DONUTS FOR DADS, next Sunday, June 19, following morning worship in the Gathering Place, sponsored by the Board of Deacons.



WE'RE BACK!!!!!! Hey strawberry lovers we are welcoming you to our Strawberry Festival Wednesday, June 15 from 6-8PM. Food will be set up inside with seating optional inside or outside on the side lawn. Proceeds to benefit Deacon projects.

JOIN US FOR UPCOMING SUMMER WORSHIP SERVICES:

June 19 – Father's Day, Communion, Rev. Chris Taylor preaching, Donuts for Dads follows June 26 – 3rd Sunday after Pentecost, Rev. Bob Ruefle

preaching, assisted by liturgist Rick Masten July 3 – 4th Sunday after Pentecost, Rev. Jane Duffield preaching, Communion





Upcoming Summer Events at FPCE

July 6 - Next Community Dinner, 6:00-8:00PM



July 10 - Munhall Community Band Concert, 4:00PM



August 21 - Vocal Confluence Show, 3:00PM



CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

AH=Apessos Home, B=Basement Band Room, C=Choir Room, GP=Gathering Place, L=Lounge, O=Office, PS=Pastor's Study, S=Sanctuary, Sc=Scout Room, SL=Side Lawn, SR=Social Room

Today, Sunday, June 12

11:00PM Fellowship (GP)

12:30PM Music Ministry Picnic (Segedy Home)

Monday, June 13

6:30PM Scouts (Sc/SR)

7:00PM Vocal Confluence (S)

Tuesday, June 14

10:00AM Book Club (AH)
7:00PM ESO Rehearsal (S)
7:00PM Session Meeting (GP)

Wednesday, June 15

6:00PM Strawberry Festival (GP/SL)

Thursday, June 16

5:00PM Flute Lesson (O) 7:00PM Milepost6 (B)

Friday, June 17

9:30AM Flute Lesson (O)

8:30PM Alcoholics Anonymous (SR)

Saturday, June 18

8:30PM Alcoholics Anonymous (SR)

Next Sunday, Father's Day, June 19

10:00AM Communion Worship (S)

Youth Sunday School (GP)

11:00AM Donuts for Dads (GP)

How can you become involved?

As we reopen, working to rebuild and reimagine the ministries at FPCE, consider if you have a heart for:

- Encouraging our younger members
- Learning more about God & faith
- Praising God through music
- Serving senior citizens
- Working in publicity/advertising

...please contact a member of our FPCE Family listed below for more details on how to become involved!

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The Entire Congregation



Believing we are called together by God's love through Jesus Christ, our mission as the First Presbyterian Church of Edgewood is to love God, to love each other, and to love our neighbors.