



First Presbyterian Church of Edgewood Online Worship
23rd Sunday after Pentecost – November 8, 2020

PRELUDE

THE WELCOME & SHARING OF CHURCH LIFE

TOLLING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

Not to us, O Lord, not to us,
 But to Your name give glory
 Because of Your lovingkindness, because of Your truth.

**The heavens are the heavens of the Lord,
 But the earth He has given to the sons of men.**

**The dead do not praise the Lord,
 Nor do any who go down in silence.**

But as for us, we will bless the Lord
 From this time forth and forever.

Praise the Lord!

HYMN #634

“To God Be the Glory”

1 To God be the glory;
 great things he has done!
 So loved he the world
 that he gave us his Son,
 who yielded his life
 an atonement for sin,
 and opened the life-gate
 that all may go in.

O come to the Father
 through Jesus the Son,
 and give him the glory:
 great things he has done!

2 Great things he has taught us;
 great things he has done,
 and great our rejoicing
 through Jesus the Son;
 but purer and higher
 and greater will be
 our wonder, our transport,
 when Jesus we see.
 (Refrain)

Refrain:

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord;
 let the earth hear his voice!
 Praise the Lord, praise the Lord;
 let the people rejoice!

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep his covenant and his testimonies. For your name's sake, O LORD, pardon my guilt, for it is great. (Psalm 25:10-11)

(silent confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE #582

"Glory to God"

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.
World without end, without end. Amen.
World without end, without end. Amen.
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

1 Timothy 2:1-7

I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people—² for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. ³ This is good, and pleases God our Savior, ⁴ who wants all people to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth. ⁵ For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus, ⁶ who gave himself as a ransom for all people. This has now been witnessed to at the proper time. ⁷ And for this purpose I was appointed a herald and an apostle—I am telling the truth, I am not lying—and a true and faithful teacher of the Gentiles.

HYMN #443

"There is a Redeemer"

1 There is a Redeemer,
Jesus, God's own Son;
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy One.

2 Jesus, my Redeemer,
name above all names,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
hope for sinners slain.
(refrain)

Refrain:

Thank you, O my Father,
for giving us your Son,
and leaving your Spirit
till the work on earth is done.

3 When I stand in glory,
I will see his face;
there I'll serve my King forever
in that holy place.
(refrain)

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON

"A Call to Prayer"

The Rev. Anthony Rivera

HYMN #469

"Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

Lord, listen to your children praying.
 Lord, send your Spirit in this place.
 Lord, listen to your children praying.
 Send us love; send us power; send us grace.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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.**

INVITATION TO GIVE TITHES & OFFERINGS**HYMN #353**

"The Solid Rock"

1 My hope is built on nothing less
 than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
 I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
 but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain:

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
 all other ground is sinking sand;
 all other ground is sinking sand.

2 When darkness seems to hide his face,
 I rest on his unchanging grace;
 in every high and stormy gale,
 my anchor holds within the veil.
 (Refrain)

3 His oath, his covenant, his blood
 support me in the whelming flood;
 when all around my soul gives way,
 he then is all my hope and stay.
 (Refrain)

4 When he shall come with trumpet sound,
 O may I then in him be found,
 dressed in his righteousness alone,
 faultless to stand before the throne.
 (Refrain)

BENEDICTION**POSTLUDE**

Participants in this worship service:

The Rev. Anthony Rivera, pastor
Shaun Cloonan, minister of music
Sunny Sakai, pianist
Elder John Foster, videographer

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our mission as the First Presbyterian Church of Edgewood is to
love God, to love each other, and to love our neighbors.*

