

Sunday Morning Schedule

Worship: 9:30 am
Nursery: Room 106
Infants – 36 months
Children In Worship: 9:45 am
3 years – 2nd grade
Church School 10:45 am
Fellowship: *after worship*

For meditation,
as you prepare for worship this
morning:

I am enthralled by the luminous figure of the Nazarene. Jesus is too colossal for the pen of the phrase-mongers, however artful...No one can read the gospels without feeling the actual presence of Jesus. His personality pulsates in every word. No myth is filled with such life. –Albert Einstein, from an interview with the Saturday Evening Post.



*Please stand if you are able.



Parkwood

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 13, 2013

Twenty-First Sunday of Pentecost

Gathering Around God's Word

Prelude

Lorinda VanderWerp

Welcome and Prayer

Dick Cooley

(Please sign the friendship folder and pass it down the row. We also ask that you pass the folder back to the end of the row (towards the center) so all may see who is worshipping with us. When all have signed, please tear off the sheet and place in the collection plate later in the service.)

Introit

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

Praise Ringers

by W. H. Monk

arranged by James D. Kimball

Call to Worship

Leader: In Christ, the God of heaven has made his home on earth.

People: Christ dwells among us and is one with us.

Leader: Highest of all creation, he lives among the least.

People: He journeys with the rejected and welcomes the weary.

Leader: Come now, all who thirst,

People: and drink the water of life.

*Hymns

You're Worthy of My Praise

(please see insert)

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, our judge and redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have done wrong. We have lived for ourselves and apart from you. We have turned from our neighbors, and refused to bear the burdens of others. We have ignored the pain of the world, and passed by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed. ...continued

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 power,
send us grace.*

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Glory Be to the Father
(Hymn #579)

*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.*

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.*

In your great mercy forgive our sins and free us from selfishness, that we may choose your will and obey your commandments; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

(silent prayer)

Prayer Response
(please see sidebar)

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Assurance of Pardon

*Response
(please see sidebar)

Glory Be to the Father

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Children's Blessing

**People: Christ be with you as you go to learn and worship.
Go in peace.**

————— **Proclaiming God's Word** —————

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

Old Testament Psalm 66 *(please see insert)*

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

New Testament Luke 17:11-19

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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Radical Gratefulness

Sarah Farkas, M. Div.

————— **Responding to God's Word** —————

*Hymn #483

Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above

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.*

Give Thanks

*Give thanks with a grateful heart,
Give thanks to the Holy One,
Give thanks because He's given
Jesus Christ, His Son.
And now let the weak say,
"I am strong;"
Let the poor say, "I am rich"
Because of what the Lord
Has done for us.
Give thanks, give thanks, give thanks!*

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***Confession of Faith**

Apostles' Creed (please see sidebar)

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (please see sidebar)

Offering

Offertory

***Doxology**

(please see sidebar)

Give Thanks

***Prayer of Dedication**

— Bearing God's Word Into the World —

***Hymn #555**

Now Thank We All Our God

***Benediction**

***Response**

(please see insert)

Dona Nobis Pacem

***Postlude**

Leaders in Worship Today:

Acolyte: Zach Lake

Accompanist: Lorinda VanderWerp

Liturgist: Dick Cooley

Preacher: Sarah Farkas, M. Div.

Everyone is invited for refreshments and fellowship
after the worship service.

Next celebration of Holy Communion:

November 10, 2013