

CALL TO PRAYER

“As Often as I Call to You”
To the tune “St. Anne”

As often as I call to you,
you kindly hear my prayer.
In times of trouble and distress
I rest in your own care.

SILENT PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 for-
give 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.**

*HYMN No. 719 “Come, Labor On”

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE Hymn No. 742
“We Will Walk with God”

**We will walk with God, my brothers; we will walk with God.
We will walk with God, my sisters;
We will walk with God. We will go rejoicing
till the kingdom has come.
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*POSTLUDE

You Are Invited
for coffee and fellowship in the Social Hall
(downstairs) after the Worship Service

SEPTEMBER 1, 2019
22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
10:00 AM WORSHIP

(Where you see an asterisk (), please stand if you are able)*

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

PRELUDE “Prelude from ‘Sonata No.1’” Charles Ore

WORDS OF WELCOME Michael Ozaki

INTROIT “How Very Good and Pleasant”
Hymn No. 398

**How very good and pleasant when we live in unity.
It is like precious oil, like fresh morning dew.
We gather here together with our hearts and voices
raised to God, who’s the center of our unity and praise!**

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 128:1-2) Dean Lindsey

Leader: Happy is everyone who fears the Lord,

People: Who walks in the ways of God.

Leader: You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your
hands;

**People: You shall be happy, and it shall go well
with you.**

*HYMN No. 14 “For the Beauty of the Earth”

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION Allison Maus

**O God, we have been slow to offer gratitude for
those who make our lives better. Forgive us for ig-
noring the costs which others have paid in order to
provide for our security, our comfort, and our well-
being. Create in us thankful hearts so that we may
acknowledge the gifts that others provide for us
and the grace and mercy that comes from you.
Help us to live in a fuller and deeper relationship
with those around us and with you through Christ,
Amen.**

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

(please greet those sitting around you, especially taking time to welcome those who are visiting).

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Don Hartzell

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 11:28-30

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Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

“Tell Your Heart to Beat Again” Herms, West,
Sarah Ambrose & Phillips

ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN

Michael Ozaki

Summer Sunday School has ended. We encourage children to sit with their families today. The Nursery and Toddler Rooms are open. The Toddler Room will accept ages 2-K during worship. **Fall Sunday School starts next Sunday, September 8th.**

SONG AFTER CHILDREN’S TIME

“These Treasured Children”

Hymn 487, verse 2

**Our ancient story we shall tell,
till these our children know it well
within their souls and minds and hearts,
for this is where their journey starts.**

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Kings 5:13-6:1; 6:7-10

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SERMON

“Who Built the House?” Dean Lindsey

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*HYMN NO. 647

“Give Thanks”

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

from *A Declaration of Faith* (PCUS, 1977)

Christ calls us to live for our neighbors. Jesus broadened the definition of neighbor to include those ordinarily despised and excluded. His life in behalf of others led to persecution and death. He commanded his disciples to live the same way. We believe Christ gives us and demands of us lives that recognize all people in all cultures as our neighbors on this planet. Christ teaches us to go beyond legal requirements in serving and helping our neighbor, to treat our neighbor’s needs as our own, to care passionately for the other’s good, to share what we have. It is part of our discipline to live in simplicity, avoiding greed and luxury that threaten our neighbor’s survival. We are obligated to speak the truth in love, to listen with patience and openness, to love our enemies, to accept the risk and pain which love involves.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO OFFERING

Offertory “Offertory from ‘Sonata No. 1’” Charles Ore

*Doxology

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” Hymn 608

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Christ, all people here below;
praise Holy Spirit evermore;
praise Triune God, whom we adore.**

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS