



Welcome

PINNACLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, September 6, 2020 | 10:00 am

14th Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Prelude on *Land of Rest*
Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, organ

Leo Sowerby

Call to Worship

Michael Hegeman

Opening Hymn

O God, in a Mysterious Way

1 O God, in a mysterious way
Great wonders you perform;
You plant your footsteps in the sea
And ride upon the storm.

2 O fearful saints,
fresh courage take;
The clouds you so much dread
Are big with mercy and shall break
in blessings on your head.

3 Our unbelief is sure to err
And scan Your work in vain;
You are your own interpreter,
And you will make it plain

Call to Confession

O Christ, Surround Me
Small Group

Richard Bruxvoort Colligan

Common Confession and Assurance (unison)

Michael Hegeman

Holy God, we call to you, eternal, ever-present, and boundless in love. Restore your image in us when we fail to recognize you in our daily lives. Encourage us, when fear and shame clench tightly around our hearts. Guide our way when doubt invades our hopefulness. Teach us your truth when we shy away from your wisdom. In the daily round from sunrise to sunset, remind us again of your holy presence hovering near us, around us, and in us. Help us to see you in the moment-by-moment possibilities of each day, to live honestly, to act with integrity, and to speak with the love we know in Jesus Christ. Now hear our silent prayers of confession. (silence)

*** Congregational Response**

Blessings from God

Blessings from God will rain down and will overtake you
when you heed the voice of the Lord.
People all over the earth will share in your love
for the name of the one Holy God.

God's blessings be over your coming,
God's blessings be over your going.
May the Lord lovingly bless the fruits of all your living,
the fruits of all earth's bounty.
May the Lord bless you with peace

*** Passing of the Peace**

Kelly McGinn

Children's Message

Kelly McGinn

Anthem

O Thou Who Camest from Above
Small Group • Ilona Kubiacyk-Adler, organ

Philip Stopford

O thou who camest from above
the fire celestial to impart,
kindle a flame of sacred love
on the mean altar of my heart!

Jesus, confirm my heart's desire
to work, and speak,
and think for thee;
still let me guard the holy fire,
and still stir up the gift in me.

Ready for all thy perfect will,
my acts of faith and love repeat;
till death thy endless mercies seal,
and make the sacrifice complete.

There let it for thy glory burn
with inextinguishable blaze,
and trembling to its source return
in humble prayer and fervent praise.

Scripture

Acts 1:3-14

Michael Hegeman

SermonCalled to Be - Part 2: *Angels Above My Head*

Michael Hegeman

Common Prayer, Lord's Prayer (unison)

Brandon Huenemann

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.

Offertory

Musical Offering

Erev Shel Shoshanim
Chip King, bassoon • Marti King, piano

arr. Klebanow

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*** Doxology** (unison, *Old Hundredth*)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost.

*** Closing Hymn***Go to the World*

1 Go to the world!
Go into all the earth.
Go preach the cross where Christ
renews life's worth,
baptizing as the sign of our rebirth.
Alleluia. Alleluia.

2 Go to the world!
Go into every place.
Go live the word of God's
redeeming grace.
Go seek God's presence in each
time and space.
Alleluia. Alleluia.

3 Go to the world!
Go as the ones I send,
for I am with you till the age
shall end,
when all the hosts of glory cry
"Amen!"
Alleluia. Alleluia.

The Charge

Michael Hegeman

*** Sending Music**

"Go to the World" *Sine Nomine*
Ilona Kubiacyk-Adler, organ

Phil Lehenbauer

Weekly Message

Michael Hegeman

* Please rise, lift your head, lift your arms, or lift your spirit.

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Scripture

Acts 1:3-14

3 After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. 4 While staying[a] with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. "This," he said, "is what you have heard from me; 5 for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with[b] the Holy Spirit not many days from now."

The Ascension of Jesus

6 So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" 7 He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. 8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." 9 When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. 10 While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. 11 They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

Matthias Chosen to Replace Judas

12 Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. 13 When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of[c] James. 14 All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

Notes of Interest

The Sympathy of the Congregation is extended to the family of Nancy Waugaman as they mourn her loss.

The Sympathy of the Congregation is extended to the family of Rosalie Jones, mother to Sydney Hoehner and grandmother to Colton and Christopher, at her passing.

