



# Welcome

**PINNACLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sunday, October 25, 2020 | 10:00 am

21st Sunday after Pentecost

**Prelude**

*In Christ There Is No East or West* (Hymn 440)

Pinnacle Steel Drum Band

Sonja Branch and James Taylor, directors

Burleigh/Taylor

**Words of Welcome**

Wes Avram

**Call to Worship**

Wes Avram

**\* Opening Hymn**

*O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

1 O for a thousand tongues to sing  
My dear Redeemer's praise,  
The glories of my God and King,  
The triumphs of God's grace!

2 Jesus the name that charms  
our fears,  
That bids our sorrows cease,  
'Tis music in the sinner's ears,  
'Tis life, and health, and peace.

3 My gracious Master and my God,  
Assist me to proclaim,  
To spread through all the  
earth abroad,  
The honors of Thy name.

**Children's Message**

Hillary Mackowski

Children and Teens leave for Church School.

**Choral Response** (sung by the choir as children leave)

Go, My children with my blessing, never alone;  
Waking, sleeping, I am with you, you are my own;  
In my love's baptismal river, I have made you mine forever,  
Go, my children, with my blessing, you are my own.

**Call to Confession**

*O Christ, Surround Me*  
Small Group

Richard Bruxvoort Colligan

**Common Confession and Assurance** (unison) Wes Avram  
**Holy God, creator of all, donor of grace, giver of life: hear our prayer. There are chasms in our lives, valleys that separate us from one another and from you. We confess that we have allowed those rifts to grow, for fear of admitting our part, for fear of being rejected. Yet you call us to a reconciled life, to healed relationships, to wholeness with each other and with you. Mend us, we pray, and make us new, build bridges of grace, through the power and love of Christ.**  
**Now hear our private prayers of confession.** (silence)

\* **Congregational Response** Christopher Walker  
*Alleluia!*  
Small Group

\* **Passing of the Peace** Wes Avram

**Scripture Reading** Michael Hegeman  
Isaiah 43:1-3, 15-19, 25

**Sermon** Michael Hegeman  
*Majorly Prophetic Pt 1: The Bridge from Here to There*

**Common Prayer, Lord's Prayer** (unison) Wes Avram  
**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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**Offertory**  
Musical Offering Andrea Ramsey  
*Cover Me With the Night*  
Small Group  
Ilona Kubiacyk-Adler, piano • Sonja Branch, djembe

\* **Doxology** (*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. Amen.**

**Our Common Life** Wes Avram

\* **The Charge** Michael Hegeman

\* **Sending Music** arr. S. Branch  
*Siyahamba (We Are Marching)*  
Pinnacle Steel Drum Band

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

# Scripture

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## Isaiah 43:1-3, 15-19, 25

43 But now thus says the Lord,  
he who created you, O Jacob,  
he who formed you, O Israel:  
Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name, you are mine.  
2 When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;  
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;  
when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,  
and the flame shall not consume you.  
3 For I am the Lord your God,  
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.  
15 I am the Lord, your Holy One,  
the Creator of Israel, your King.  
16 Thus says the Lord,  
who makes a way in the sea,  
a path in the mighty waters,  
17 who brings out chariot and horse,  
army and warrior;  
they lie down, they cannot rise,  
they are extinguished, quenched like a wick:  
18 Do not remember the former things,  
or consider the things of old.  
19 I am about to do a new thing;  
now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?  
I will make a way in the wilderness  
and rivers in the desert.  
25 I, I am He  
who blots out your transgressions for my own sake,  
and I will not remember your sins.

## Notes of Interest

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**Ushers** are David Bowen, Butch Hedblad, Rick Hess, Nancy Holloran, Suzanne Moon, and Irene O'Hare; **Head usher** is Fred Brown.

**The flowers are given by** Joanne McDowell in memory of her mom, who would've turned 97; and all those who have lost loved ones this year.

## Prayer Requests

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Please pray for the following members & friends:

- For Bob, for a successful stent operation;
- For Tom, battling ongoing depression;
- For Lila; having sciatica pain;
- For Eric, to find employment;
- For Karen, whose cancer has returned;
- For my daughter's fiancé's mother, Mary, who is fighting ovarian cancer;
- For Barb S., doing chemo for lung cancer;
- For Kim T., for healing following double mastectomy.

Contact Lisa Boswell at [prayer@pinnaclepres.org](mailto:prayer@pinnaclepres.org) or call 480.585.9448 to add your request to the Pinnacle prayer list.