

# Welcome

**PINNACLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sunday, May 9, 2021 | 10:00 am

6th Sunday of Easter

**Prelude** Fantasy on *Walk Together, Children* arr. André J. Thomas  
Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, organ

**Acolyte** Zadie Jensen

**Children's Music** *Joyful Reunion* Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler  
Cholla Chimers and Canyon Ringers, Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, director

**Words of Welcome** Wes Avram

**Call to Worship** Aurora Edwards

**\* Opening Hymn** *All Things Bright & Beautiful* No. 267

Refrain:  
*All things bright and beautiful,  
all creatures great and small,  
all things wise and wonderful,  
the Lord God made them all.*

*2 The purple-headed mountain,  
the river running by,  
the sunset, and the morning  
that brightens up the sky:  
(Refrain)*

*4 God gave us eyes to see them,  
and lips that we might tell  
how great is God Almighty,  
who has made all things well.  
(Refrain)*

*1 Each little flower that opens,  
each little bird that sings,  
God made their glowing colors;  
God made their tiny wings.  
(Refrain)*

*3 The cold wind in the winter,  
the pleasant summer sun,  
the ripe fruits in the garden,  
God made them every one.  
(Refrain)*

**Children's Message** Michael Hegeman & Kyleigh Green

*Children will remain in worship today. The nursery is available for all ages as needed.*

**Sacrament of Baptism** Wes Avram  
Cole Jaxson Joanne McDowell, Assisting Elder  
Child of Nicholas & Stephanie Bender

**\* Baptism Hymn** *Child of Blessing, Child of Promise* No. 498, vs. 1, 4

*Child of blessing, child of promise,  
baptized with the Spirit's sign,  
with this water God has sealed you  
unto love and grace divine.*

*Child of God, your loving parent,  
learn to listen for God's call.  
Grow to laugh and sing and  
worship, trust and love God more  
than all.*

Call to Confession

Lia Jensen

Common Confession and Assurance (unison)

Lia Jensen & William Bryce

God, forgive us when we fall, when we shut our ears to your words and our eyes to your example. Break through, and show us not only what you would do, but what you would have us do, so that we might build your kingdom of love for all. Amen. Now hear our private prayers of confession. (Silence.)

\* Congregational Response

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea;  
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty,  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

\* Passing of the Peace

Addison Juhl

Our Common Life

Wes Avram

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Offertory

Musical Offering

*Love is...*

Jeff Reeves

Pinnacle Children's Choirs, Melissa Trafficante, director • Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, piano

*Love is patient. Love is kind. Love is always helpful.  
Love is what a family shares that makes them very special.  
Love! Love! Love! God's gift for you and me.  
Love! Love! Love! God's gift for families.*

*Love is trusting. Love is strong. Love is always hopeful.  
Love is what a family shares that makes them very special.  
Love! Love! Love! God's gift for you and me.  
Love! Love! Love! God's gift for families.*

*Love is giving and forgiving. Love is never rude.  
Teach us, God, to love our families.  
Help us love like you.*

\* Doxology (*Old Hundredth*, no. 592)

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

Scripture Reading

Hosea 11: 3-4; Isaiah 66:13; Luke 13:34

Wes Avram & Michael Lubandi Magezi

Sermon

*Like a Mother*

Wes Avram

Common Prayer, Lord's Prayer (unison)

Grant Bryce

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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1 *Jesus loves me! This I know,  
for the Bible tells me so.  
Little ones to him belong.  
They are weak, but he is strong.  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
The Bible tells me so.*

2 *Jesus loves me! This I know,  
as he loved so long ago,  
taking children on his knee,  
saying, "Let them come to me."  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me!  
The Bible tells me so.*

**The Charge**

Reagan Everton & Ciana Mattingly

**Sending Music**

Partita and Toccata on *Hymn to Joy*  
Ilona Kubiacyk-Adler, organ

Beethoven/Callahan/Portman

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

## Scripture

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**Hosea 11:3-4**

3 Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to walk, I took them up in my arms; but they did not know that I healed them.  
4 I led them with cords of human kindness, with bands of love. I was to them like those who lift infants to their cheeks. I bent down to them and fed them.

**Isaiah 66:13**

13 As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.

**Luke 13:34**

34 Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing!

## Notes of Interest

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**Ushers** are Leslie Colliopoulos, Rick Hess, Suzanne Moon, Mark Steel; Head Usher is Wayne Stingley.

**Greeters** are Leila Erion & Gwendolyn Jensen.

**The flowers are given** by Estelle & Gene Wade in celebration of their 60th anniversary.

**The Sympathy of the Congregation** is extended to the family of Marilyn Hargitt.

## Prayer Requests

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Please pray for the following members & friends:

- *For Ron, suffering with an infection;*
- *For Tim, in the hospital after cardiac arrest and experiencing kidney failure;*
- *For Lisa, in the ICU with COVID;*
- *For Day and all his family and friends at his passing;*
- *For our men and women in the military.*

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.