



# Welcome

**PINNACLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Sunday, August 15, 2021 | 10:00 am  
12th Sunday after Pentecost

**Prelude**

*Retrospection*  
Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, organ

Florence Beatrice Price

**Words of Welcome**

Wes Avram

**Call to Worship**

Terilyn Lawson

**\* Opening Hymn**

*Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty*

No. 482

*1 Praise ye the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise him,  
for he is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near;  
join me in glad adoration!*

*3 Praise ye the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!  
All that hath life and breath,  
come now with praises before him!  
Let the amen sound from his people again;  
gladly for aye we adore him.*

*2 Praise ye the Lord,  
who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,  
shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!  
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been  
granted in what he ordaineth?*

**Children's Message**

Brandon Huenemann

**Choral Response**

**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**

Wes Avram

*O Christ, Surround Me*  
Small Group

Richard Bruxvoort Colligan

*Christ in the eyes of all who see me,  
Christ in the ears that hear my voice,  
Christ in the hearts of all who know me:  
O Christ, surround me; O Christ, surround me.*

**Common Confession and Assurance** (unison)

Wes Avram

Loving God, please pour out your Spirit upon us as we come to you in need of forgiveness. We confess that we have not always chosen wisely when presented with major decisions. Sometimes our choices have caused others grief and despair. Please forgive us, Lord. Help us to be led by you in all areas of our lives. Now hear our silent 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**

Wes Avram

**Our Common Life**

Wes Avram

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**Offertory**

Musical Offering

*For He Is Our Peace*

Philip W.J. Stopford

Small Group, David Allen, director • Katherine Rosenfeld, solo • Ilona Kubiacyk-Adler, piano

*For this cause I bow my knee unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named.  
That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory,  
to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man.  
That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith,  
that ye being rooted and grounded in love,  
may be able to comprehend with all saints,  
what is the breadth and length and depth and height.  
And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge,  
that ye might be filled with the fullness of God.  
For he is our peace, who hath made both one.*

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

**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.**

**Scripture Reading**

Proverbs 9:1-6

Terilyn Lawson

**Sermon**

*Uncommon Sense*

Terilyn Lawson

**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.**

**\*Closing Hymn**

*There's a Wideness in God's Mercy*

No. 298

*1 There's a wideness in God's mercy,  
like the wideness of the sea.  
There's a kindness in God's justice,  
which is more than liberty.  
There is no place where earth's sorrows  
are more felt than up in heaven.  
There is no place where earth's failings  
have such kindly judgment given.*

*2 For the love of God is broader  
than the measures of the mind.  
And the heart of the Eternal  
is most wonderfully kind.  
If our love were but more faithful,  
we would gladly trust God's Word,  
and our lives reflect thanksgiving  
for the goodness of our Lord.*

**The Charge**

Terilyn Lawson

**Sending Music**

*God of Grace*  
Ilona Kubiaczyk-Adler, organ

Paul Manz

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

# Scripture

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## Proverbs 9:1-6

### Wisdom's Feast

- 1 Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars.
- 2 She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table.
- 3 She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town,
- 4 "You that are simple, turn in here!" To those without sense she says,
- 5 "Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed.
- 6 Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight."

# Notes of Interest

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

# Prayer Requests

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Please pray for the following members & friends:

- *For Ted, whose radiation treatments for prostate cancer have been halted due to complications from bacterial pneumonia;*
- *For my sister-in-law, battling breast cancer;*
- *For Julie, and her doctors, to figure out what is wrong with her;*
- *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.

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