

First Presbyterian Church

Fellowship Hall Service | June 24, 2018

GATHERING SONG

“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”

CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 84:1-4*

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts! My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the LORD; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.

People: Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise!

HYMN OF PRAISE

“O Come to the Altar”

CONFESSION OF SIN

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. *Amen.*

ASSURANCE OF THE GOSPEL

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HYMNS OF PRAISE

“Out of My Bondage”

“This is My Father’s World”

OFFERING

“House of God Forever”

PRAYER FOR CHRIST’S PEOPLE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Leader: What is your only comfort in life and in death?

People: That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.

He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.

Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

HEIDELBERG CATECHISM, QUESTION 1

GREETING OF PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you.

Children’s church for kids 4 years old through 1st grade is available at this time. Leaders will meet the children just outside the Fellowship Hall and walk them to the PreK-K room or parents may walk them back.

SCRIPTURE READING

John 2:13-25

SERMON

“How Can a Loving Savior Get Angry?”

Rev. Chris Bowen

HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Whom Shall I Fear”

THE BENEDICTION