

9:00AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP  
OCTOBER 16, 2011  
EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

- Seeking to be Faithful Followers of Jesus Christ in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century -

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

**Prelude** *Morning Prayer* E. Slovenia  
**Greeting and Announcements** *Please sign the attendance register.* (1854-1927)  
**Organ Chimes** *(followed by a moment of silence to prepare our hearts for worship)*  
**Introit** *Jesus, Stand Among Us* -Albin Whitworth

\*INVOCATION

To your name, Lord Jesus,  
**help me to bow the knee and all its worshiping,**  
bow the head and all its thinking,  
**bow the will and all its choosing,**  
bow the heart and all its loving.

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

*All Things Bright and Beautiful* #267

LITANY OF CONFESSION

Grant unto us, O God, the fullness of your promises.  
Where we have been weak,  
**grant us your strength;**  
where we have been confused,  
**grant us your guidance;**  
where we have been distraught,  
**grant us your comfort;**  
where we have been dead  
**grant us your life.**  
Apart from you O Lord, we are nothing,  
**in and with you we can do all things. Amen.**

**Silent Prayer of Confession**  
**Assurance of Pardon**  
**\*The Gloria Patri**

#579

\*SHARING THE PEACE WITH ONE ANOTHER

The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**AND ALSO WITH YOU.**

CHILDREN'S STORY

-Pastor Larry

*(Children may come forward and leave for Children's Church afterwards.)*

\*GOSPEL SCRIPTURE

This is the word of the Lord.

**John 18:33-38a**

**THANKS BE TO GOD.**

(New Testament p. 113)

ANTHEM

*My Faith Looks Up To Thee*

-arr. Letitia Iakovenko

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

**Call to the Offering and Prayer of Dedication**

**Offertory**

*St. Gabriel*

Healey Willan (1880-1968)

\*THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

#592

EARLY CHURCH SCRIPTURE

**Acts 17:16-21**

(New Testament p.137)

MEDITATION Faith in Acts: How God Operates in Our Everyday Lives

*"The Courage to Be Vulnerable"*

-Pastor Larry

\*HYMN

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!*

#142

\*THE BENEDICTION

\*LEAVING IN JOY

**Congregational Response** *God Be With You Till We Meet Again* -Rankin

God be with you till we meet again; By His counsels guide, uphold you,  
With His sheep securely fold you: God be with you till we meet again.

CONGREGATIONAL SURVEY

Every worshipper, 15 and older, is invited to fill out this survey and hand it in before you leave the sanctuary.

**Postlude**

*Postlude in D*

A. Louis Scarmolin

\**Congregation stands.* If you prefer, please feel free to remain seated.

(1890-1969)

### LEADERS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

**Worship Leaders:** Pastor Larry and Carole Rich

**Ushers:** Bruce and Darleen Johnson

### NEXT SUNDAY – WORSHIP AT 9:00AM

**Worship Leaders:** Pastor Larry and Ed Rich

**Ushers:** Al Smith and Jonathan Foster

**Lectionary Readings:** Deut. 34:1-12; Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17; 1 Thess. 2:1-8; Matthew 22:34-46

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REDMOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
9:00AM Traditional Worship



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## 9:00 AM WORSHIP LEADER SHEET – OCTOBER 16, 2011

### **CALL TO CONFESSION**

Dear friends in Christ, let us confess our sins before God through the litany of confession and then confess in silence as we search our own hearts in private prayer...

*(Lead the litany. Then allow time after the litany – 30 seconds to 1 minute – for silent prayer. Then say Amen.)*

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Hear the words from Romans 8:15-17.

You did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, “Abba! Father!” it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ. Brothers and sisters in Christ: Hear the Good News. Our sins are forgiven through the grace of Jesus Christ.

*(The congregation now sings the Gloria Patri)*

### **SHARING PEACE WITH ONE ANOTHER**

Since Christ has opened his heart to us, let us open our hearts to one another, and God will be glorified.

The peace of Christ be with you always. **AND ALSO WITH YOU.**

Please greet your neighbor with the peace of Christ.

### **SCRIPTURE**

Let us pray in preparation for the reading and preaching of God's word: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of Your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and Your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what You say to us today. Amen.

Please stand for a reading from the Gospel of John, chapter 18, verses 33-38a.

*(at the end of the reading say)*

“This is the Word of the Lord.” **THANKS BE TO GOD.**

### **CALL TO THE OFFERING AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

God continues to bless us. Let us acknowledge the source of our abundance by returning a portion of what we have been given for the work of God's kingdom.

*(Please follow this introduction with the prayer)*

What do we have, O God, that does not come from your generosity and goodness? Use these offerings of our gratitude given for your work in this church and in the world. Amen.

*(If you wish you may offer your own words instead of the prayer provided. Only, please make your prayer brief like the one above.)*

*(After the prayer say) We will now receive the offering.*