

# 9:00AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

OCTOBER 30, 2011

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

## PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

**Prelude** *Benedictus* Francois Couperin  
**Greeting and Announcements** *Please sign the attendance register.* (1668-1733)  
**Organ Chimes** *(followed by a moment of silence to prepare our hearts for worship)*  
**Introit** *Breathe on Me Breath of God* -Robert Jackson

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

(1 Peter 2:9)

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people,  
**in order that we may proclaim the mighty acts of the One who called us out of darkness into God's marvelous light.**  
Come, let us worship God.

## \*HYMN OF PRAISE

*When Morning Gilds the Skies* #487

## LITANY OF CONFESSION

(adapted from Howard Thurman 1900-1981)

Lord, open unto me  
**Open unto us – light for our darkness.**  
Open unto us – courage for our fear.  
**Open unto us – hope for our despair.**  
Open unto us – peace for our turmoil.  
**Open unto us – joy for our sorrow.**  
Open unto us – strength for our weakness.  
**Open unto us – wisdom for our confusion.**  
Open unto us – forgiveness for our sins.  
**Open unto us – love for our hates.**  
Open unto us – they Self for our self.  
**Lord, Lord, open unto us! Amen.**

## Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

\*The Gloria Patri

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## \*SHARING THE PEACE WITH ONE ANOTHER

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

## MOMENT FOR MISSION – Giving to be Faithful, Giving to make a Difference

-Letitia Iakovenko, Bill Phillips

## CHILDREN'S STORY

-Jessica Ahnert

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

## EPISTLE SCRIPTURE

This is the word of the Lord.

**James 4:13-17**

**THANKS BE TO GOD.**

(New Testament p. 231)

## ANTHEM

*Shall We Gather at the River*

-arr. John Carter

## 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** *Pastorale Dialogue* Girolamo Frescobaldi (1583-1643)

## \*THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

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## EARLY CHURCH SCRIPTURE

**Acts 18:1-11**

(New Testament p.138)

## SERMON

Faith in Acts: How God Operates in Our Everyday Lives

*"Altered Calls"*

-Pastor Larry

## \*HYMN

*Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life*

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(v. 1, 2, 5, 6)

## \*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.

**Postlude**

*Canzonetta*

Dietrich Buxtehude

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

(1637-1707)

### LEADERS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

**Worship Leaders:** Pastor Larry and Dick Swope

**Ushers:** Jonathan Foster and Don Lane

### NEXT SUNDAY – WORSHIP AT 9:00AM

**Worship Leaders:** Pastor Larry and Pat Prophet

**Ushers:** Dave, Thomas and Caroline Rich

**Communion Servers:** Elders – Katie Schmidt, Dave Rich;  
Deacons – Jo Anna Birmingham, Julia Steeples

**Lectionary Readings:** Josh. 24:1-3a, 14-25; Psalm 78:1-7; 1 Thess. 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13

### CHURCH OFFICERS

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REDMOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
9:00AM Traditional Worship



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## 9:00 AM WORSHIP LEADER SHEET – OCTOBER 30, 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 1 John 1:5, 7.

This is the message we have heard from God and proclaim to you, that God is light and in God there is no darkness at all. If we walk in the light, as God is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. 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.

Listen to God's word to you from James 4, verses 13-17.

*(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.*