

*Chapel by the Sea  
Presbyterian Church (USA)  
14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
Communion Sunday  
September 6, 2020*



*Chapel by the Sea was the first church on our island and remains a church for the community, welcoming all people seeking to know and serve Christ. We are a mission for Jesus Christ and church for all seasons...*

*...seasons of life*

*...seasons of the year*

*...seasons of our growth as Christians*

# A WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

## TOLLING OF THE BELL

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. Adkison

## PRELUDE

*Hear Us, Oh Savior*  
Solo: Alice Glawe

Hamblen

## CALL TO WORSHIP

*One: Like the faithful ones who have gone before us,  
let us keep our eyes focused on Jesus,*

**All: Our hearts set on God's love,**

*One Our hands ready to bind up the hurts of creation and all people,*

**All: Our feet ready to go the extra mile.**

*One: Let our eyes see light even within darkness and glimpse  
potential where others see dead ends.*

**All: Give us mouths eager to sing God's praise and hearts yearning to rejoice.**

*One: Like the ones who have gone before us,*

**All: Let us follow as part of the communion of saints.**

## \*HYMN #466 (All Verses)

*O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

AZMON

<sup>1</sup> O for a thousand tongues to sing My dear Redeemer's praise,  
The glories of my God and King, The triumphs of God's grace!

<sup>2</sup> Jesus, the name that charms our fears, That bids our sorrows cease;  
'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'Tis life, and health, and peace.

<sup>3</sup> Christ breaks the power of reigning sin, And sets the prisoner free;  
Christ's blood can make the sinful clean, Christ's blood availed for me.

<sup>4</sup> My gracious Master and my God, Assist me to proclaim,  
To spread through all the earth abroad The honors of Thy name.

## CALL TO RENEWAL

Laura Miller, Liturgist

**And so we live our lives imperfectly, for we are flawed. But we are also loved by the God in whose image we were created. Let us remake ourselves toward that image as we make our confession before God and each other.**

*PRAYER OF RENEWAL*

Laura Miller, Liturgist

**Eternal and merciful God, we remember how you, through Jesus Christ, died on the Cross and were raised to a new life for us, your children. We humbly approach your throne of grace, seeking the forgiveness of all that separates us from you. As we prepare to break the bread and drink from the cup, let your Spirit purify our hearts and our minds and grant us all your wholeness and spiritual healing. We open our mouths and receive the bread and the cup of life. We open our hearts and receive your forgiveness. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.**

*(Silent meditation)*

*GOOD NEWS OF FORGIVENESS*

Laura Miller, Liturgist

Friends, hear the Good News: the mercy of God is from everlasting to everlasting. Let us proclaim the Good News:

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia! Amen.**

*\*GLORIA PATRI*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. A – men, A – men.**

*CHILDREN'S SERMON*

Dr. Adkison

*PRAYER OF BLESSING & 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

*OFFERTORY*

*Family of God*  
Chancel Choir

W. & G. Gaither

*\*DOXOLOGY*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A-men.**

*ANTHEM*

*I Feel The Spirit*  
Chancel Choir

Don Besig

SCRIPTURE READINGS

*Matthew 12:46-50*

<sup>46</sup> While Jesus was still talking to the crowd, his mother and brothers stood outside, wanting to speak to him. <sup>47</sup> Someone told him, “Your mother and brothers are standing outside, wanting to speak to you.”

<sup>48</sup> He replied to him, “Who is my mother, and who are my brothers?” <sup>49</sup> Pointing to his disciples, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers. <sup>50</sup> For whoever does the will of my Father in heaven is my brother and sister and mother.”

*Hebrews 12:1-3*

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, <sup>2</sup> fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. <sup>3</sup> Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

May these words of my mouth and  
this meditation of my heart  
be pleasing in your sight, O  
LORD, my Rock and my Redeemer.  
**Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

**“Our Extended Family”**

Dr. Adkison

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

*Invitation to the Lord’s Table*

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*The Breaking of the Bread*

*The Pouring of the Cup*

PASTORAL PRAYER

<sup>1</sup> Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above.

<sup>2</sup> Before our Father's throne We pour our ardent prayers;  
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, Our comforts and our cares.

<sup>3</sup> We share our mutual woes, Our mutual burdens bear,  
And often for each other flows The sympathizing tear.

<sup>4</sup> From sorrow, toil, and pain, And sin we shall be free;  
And perfect love and friendship reign Through all eternity.

*\*BENEDICTION*

*\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE*

*Go Now In Peace*

D. Besig

*\*POSTLUDE*

*Toccata*

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## Prayer Guide — September 6, 2020

*“Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus” --Philippians 4:6-7*

Please pray for...

- Bill Mouw
- Marge Bejune
- Roger Welton
- Cheryl Bredin
- Sue Brady
- Harry Willard
- Marie, Jeanne, Aubrey & Stefan
- Linda Brown
- Anita Adkison
- Roger Rhude
- John & Julianna Beal
- The Bob Horning Family
- Amy Bell Finiki
- John Berkenpas
- Alta Nodland
- Jean Clark
- Karin, Penny & Matt & Families
- Drew Vandlen
- Jim Silvernail
- Audrey Berkenpas
- Joy Booth
- Maria Werner
- Chris M.
- Amanda  
volunteering in Africa
- Aubrey
- Peggy Huff
- David Conrad
- Graelie Grant
- Josh Stevens, USN
- Craig & Laurie Furlong
- Bob & Ginny Lemire
- Bushnell Family
- Fasick, Bennett, Rhodus & Eggar Families
- Sidok Family
- Chris Foster
- Kathy Frazee
- Linda Hinrichs
- Brad & Pam Cox
- Deb, Connie, Alan
- Greg Beller
- Craig Allen
- Lauren & Marilyn Kamm
- Mary Pratt
- Jarrod Karnes
- Katie Spyke
- Haas Family
- Jay Dishnow
- Merlyn O’Malley
- Doris Lynch
- R.J. & Family
- Tim & Karen
- LaCombe Families
- Unspoken

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