

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
PUBLIC WORSHIP  
10:00 A.M.  
Reverend Lance Ness

LARGE PRINT hymnals available  
NURSERY is available upon request during the Worship Service  
SUNDAY SCHOOL is available for children up to 9 years old  
\*All who are able may stand

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE with SILENT PRAYERS  
CHIMING OF THE HOUR  
GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS  
MISSION MOMENT:

***Our mission is to provide a church home that serves our congregation and our community through praise, worship, and Christian outreach with a determination to live by God’s Word and for God’s glory.***

OCTOBER MISSION: Operation Christmas Child

INTROIT: *“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”*

CALL TO WORSHIP (Leader/**People**)

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

***God’s steadfast love endures forever.***

In Jesus Christ we know the glory of God;

***he sustains all things by his mighty word.***

Let us worship God.

\*HYMN: “Precious Memories” (See Insert)

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

***Eternal God, we confess that we have failed to seek your will. You create us in your image, yet we dishonor your holy name. You call us to live as one body, yet we seek out separate ways. Forgive us, God of grace. By the work of your Spirit within us make us holy and whole, so that we might live for your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*** (Moment of Silence)

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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\*SONG OF PRAISE: *You are the Lord, giver of mercy! You are the Christ, giver of mercy! You are the Lord, giver of mercy!*

CONCERNS and JOYS

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE LORD’S PRAYER: (Traditional) Inside back cover of Hymnals

\*WORDS & GESTURES OF PEACE: *The peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.*

THE PROCLAIMING

SCRIPTURE READING: Exodus 12:37-42 (Pew Bible Page 59)

Liturgist

*The Exodus: From Rameses to Succoth*

ANTHEM

Choir

SCRIPTURE READING: John 6:48-59 (Pew Bible Pages 98-99)

Liturgist

*The Bread from Heaven*

SERMON: *“The Story of Bread”*

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SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION (See Insert) – Please note that the elements we serve are gluten-free

\*HYMN: #513 (PRESBYTERIAN Hymnal) *“Let Us Break Bread Together”*

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *“The Apostles’ Creed”* (Traditional) inside back cover of Hymnals

THE RESPONDING

INVITATION TO OFFERING – Please note that all loose coins and currency will go to benefit the Deacons’ Fund

PEACE & GLOBAL WITNESS OFFERING

\*SONG OF DEDICATION: *“Doxology”*

***“Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.”***

\* OFFERTORY PRAYER

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THE SENDING

\*HYMN: #538 (PRESBYTERIAN Hymnal) *“Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing”*

\*CHARGE and BLESSING

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\*CLOSING SONG:

***Go now in peace. Never be afraid God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen. Amen. Amen.***

\*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

\* POSTLUDE

Director of Music – Matthew Gillis

*Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal. John 6:27*