

BUCKINGHAM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 18, 2019

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
PUBLIC WORSHIP  
11:00 A.M.  
**Rev. Glenn Zuber**

**PRESBYTERIAN HYMNAL** – LARGE PRINT Hymnals Available

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE with SILENT PRAYERS

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS - *Please sign friendship pad*

INTROIT

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

(L) God is moving in the world,

**(P) with flames of justice and waters of mercy.**

(L) Christ is calling in the world,

**(P) with whispers of love and cries of compassion.**

(L) Let us worship the one who creates the world

**(P) and lend our voices to the Spirit's song.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (*If children are present*)

HYMN: #482 (**PRESBYTERIAN** Hymnal) (*Please stand*) "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

(*Please be seated*)

CALL TO CONFESSION

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

**O God, you are nearby and far off, in our every moment and in the highest heaven.**

**Forgive us when we would rather not remember you in the everyday moments of our**

**lives: when choosing you would mean putting our neighbors' needs first; when**

**following you would challenge our comfortable assumptions; when listening to you**

**would change the life we have grown to love. Forgive us, God of mercy, and love us**

**into your reign of true peace.** SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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SONG OF PRAISE: (*Please stand*) "**Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; (2x) Melt me,**

**mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me.**" (*Please be seated*)

CONCERNS and JOYS

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Printed in the back of the Presbyterian hymnal*)

WORDS & GESTURES OF PEACE: (*Please stand and greet your neighbors*)

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.** (*Please be seated*)

THE PROCLAIMING

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

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SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 80:1-2, 8-19 (Pew Bible page 540)

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*Have regard for the vine you planted, O Lord; save and restore us!*

INTERLUDE

Anne Hastings

SCRIPTURE READING: Hebrews 11:29-12:2 (Pew Bible page 226)

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*We are surrounded by a cloud of witnesses; Jesus perfects our faith*

SERMON: When You Look Up...

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HYMN: #467 (**PRESBYTERIAN** Hymnal) (*Please stand*) "How Great Thou Art" (*Please remain standing*)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - "*The Apostles' Creed*" (Traditional)

***I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in***

***Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,***

***born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead,***

***and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the***

***dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the***

***Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.***

***I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of***

***saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life***

***everlasting. Amen. (You may be seated)***

THE RESPONDING

OFFERTORY

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

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SONG OF DEDICATION: (*Please stand*) "Doxology"

***"Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here***

***below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy***

***Ghost.. Amen."*** (*Please remain standing*)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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*You may be seated and remain seated for the remainder of the service.*

THE SENDING

HYMN: #388 (**PRESBYTERIAN** Hymnal) "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

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.***

POSTLUDE