

WILLOW CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JULY 21ST, 2024 | NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | 10:00AM



HYMN SING SUNDAY

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

Come, celebrate the love of God in Jesus Christ with us! All are invited to sing, pray and participate in liturgy.

IF YOU ARE ABLE, WE INVITE YOU TO STAND.

PRELUDE

MINUET #3
Aidan Greenlee, Cello

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

WELCOME AND SHARING

REV. LAUREN PATRUS-BETZEL

CALL TO WORSHIP - FROM PSALM 23

BARB GREENLEE

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters; he restores my soul. He leads me in right paths for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff-- they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord my whole life long.

IF HYMN #187

SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US

THRUPP, 1836 & BRADBURY, 1859

INVITATION TO CONFESSION & PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, we confess that worship is not always in our hearts. We confess that our words, thoughts and actions are not always reflections of your love. We allow worries and fears to distract us from the neverending gift of your everlasting love. Will you return us to a heart of wonder and of worship?

A PERIOD OF SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON FROM 1 SAMUEL 2

There is no one holy like the Lord; there is no Rock like our God.
My heart rejoices in you, O Lord; for I delight in your deliverance.
In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! **Thanks be to God!**

I 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. Amen, Amen.

I PASSING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST

May the Peace of Christ be with you; **And also with you.**

INVITATION TO THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING
Holy wisdom, **holy word.**

LAMENTATIONS 3:19 - 24

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SPECIAL MUSIC

TRIO SONATA OPUS 8

GIUSEPPE TARTINI

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PSALTER READING

PSALM 92:1 - 4 & 12 - 15

PAGES 931 - 932

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN SING

You are invited to choose a verse or two of a favorite hymn. You can raise your hand and call out your selection when asked, or use the card in the pew rack and hand it to an usher.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

ROMANS 12:1 - 2

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OUR RESPONSE TO SERVE

I AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – AN EXCERPT FROM THE SCOTS CONFESSION

We confess and acknowledge one God alone, to whom alone we must cleave, whom alone we must serve, whom only we must worship, and in whom alone we put our trust; who is eternal, infinite, immeasurable, incomprehensible, omnipotent, invisible; one in substance and yet distinct in three persons, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost. By whom we confess and believe all things in heaven and earth, visible and invisible, to have been created, to be retained in their being, and to be ruled and guided by this inscrutable providence for such end as his eternal wisdom, goodness, and justice have appointed, and to the manifestation of his own glory.

I HYMN #462

I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY

HANKEY, 1866 & FISCHER, 1869

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

THE OLD COUNTRY CHURCH, PRECIOUS MEMORIES
& GIVE ME THAT OLD TIME RELIGION
Tom Andrew, Piano

SUMNER.
WRIGHT & COMBS

I DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessing flow; Praise God all creatures here
below; Praise God above ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son and Holy
Ghost. Amen.

I PRAYER OF DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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, lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the
kingdom, the power and glory forever. Amen.**

I HYMN #541

GOD BE WITH YOU TILL WE MEET AGAIN

RANKIN, 1880 & WILLIAMS, 1906

I CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

THERE ARE LOVED ONES IN THE GLORY
(WILL THE CIRCLE BE UNBROKEN)

HABERSHON & GABRIEL

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THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SERVED TODAY! LITURGIST: BARB GREENLEE
USHERS: CURT GREENLEE, DON GREENLEE, JACK GREENLEE AND JAXON GREENLEE

***Christian Ed. Members & Volunteers have been cleaning out the attic & Sunday School room.
Items along the South wall of Fellowship Hall are things we no longer need. If you see something that
you would like, please take it. Items left after the 28th will be donated.
Any questions, see Rebekah Landi or Katherine Ralston.***

WEEKLY CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday 21st	10a	Worship - Hymn Sing Sunday, 11a Fellowship
Tuesday 23rd	8a	Buildings & Grounds 6p Pipe Band & Drums
Thursday 25th	10:30a	Ladies Walk at WCPC
Sunday 28th	10a	Worship - Pastor Tanya Preaching, 11a Fellowship

BOONE COUNTY FAIR RESPITE TENT

Sign up in the Fellowship Hall for a time to volunteer at our Respite Tent! See Pastor Lauren or Mike
Landi if you have any questions.

"A Faith Community, Growing Together, Sharing the love of Christ"

MINISTERS: ALL MEMBERS OF THE BODY OF CHRIST

For more information about our staff and volunteers, visit our website. Our Summer hours for the Church Office are Tuesday - Thursday from 10am - 2pm. If you'd like to set up a time to visit Pastor Lauren or Pastor Tanya, please reach out to the office.

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