

WORSHIP

Sunday, July 11, 2021

PRELUDE

Craig Updegrave

WELCOME AND INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Rev. John D'Elia

God of the covenant,
in our baptism you called us
to proclaim the coming of your kingdom.
Give us courage like you gave the apostles,
that we may faithfully witness to your love and peace
in every circumstance of life,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Redeemer,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever. Amen.

WORSHIP IN SONG

Worship Team

"Broken Vessels"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jen Rabenaldt

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you.
We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy.
We have not loved you with a pure heart,
nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves.
We have not done justice, loved kindness,
or walked humbly with you, our God.

Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion,
cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit
within us. Do not cast us from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us.
Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit.

(Please offer your own silent prayers of confession.)

Hear the good news! Who is in a position to condemn?
Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us,
Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Corinthians 4:7-12

WE CONFESS OUR FAITH (APOSTLES' CREED)

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

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

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Jen Rabenaldt

MESSAGE

People of the Bible
"Jeremiah, Complainer-in-Chief"

Rev John D'Elia

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory Anthem

SONG OF COMMITMENT

Worship Team

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

A TIME FOR FELLOWSHIP

DECLARATION OF MISSION AND THE BENEDICTION

Friends, what is our mission?

Our mission is to glorify Jesus Christ and to be instruments of God's healing, reconciling, life-giving presence in the world.

POSTLUDE

Craig Updegrave

Prayer Concerns

Praying for each other is an integral part of our life together as a church, especially in times like these. If you have prayer concerns, you can email Rev. John D'Elia at pray@fpcslo.org.

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Rev. John D'Elia

Participants:

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