

Memorial Presbyterian Church

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

June 5, 2016

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

*Gracious God,
draw near to us with compassion,
touch us with healing,
and speak to us with love,
so that we may arise and live
to spread the good news
of your saving power;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Rejoice in the Lord

Friedrich Torenz

BRINGING THE LIGHT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Praise the Lord!

I will praise the Lord as long as I live.

Sing praises to God,

who made heaven and earth,

who is faithful forever,

who gives justice to the oppressed,

who gives food to the hungry,

who sets the prisoners free,

who watches over the stranger,

who cares for widows and orphans.

The Lord will reign forever.

Praise the Lord!

*SONG OF PRAISE

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

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*CALL TO CONFESSION

*ADMITTING OUR BROKENNESS

**God of the prophets, we confess
that we have failed to heed your word.
You have the power to help and heal,
yet we cling to our own provisions.
You are able to raise us up to new life,
yet we fail to trust what you can do.**

**Forgive us, God of grace.
Change our hearts and lives
and challenge us to expect great things
from your mighty acts of mercy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Beloved, hear the good news:
through Christ we are forgiven!

**Our hope is in the Lord our God,
who keeps faith with us forever.
God's mercy is everlasting!**

*THE PEACE

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive one another.
The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

*SONG OF RESPONSE *Glory Be to the Father* 581

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Kings 17:8-16 Page No. 232
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Luke 7:11-17 Page No. 839
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE Giving What Is Needed Tracy L. Evans

*SONG OF FAITH Jesus, Savior, Lord, Now to You I Come 789

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed

Do you believe in God, the Father almighty?

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

Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by
the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, died and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third**

day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

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.

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal, p. 35

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Balm in Gilead

Robert Westen

*DOXOLOGY *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

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DEDICATION PRAYER

SEALING THE WORD—CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

ANTHEM

Come to The Table

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...of the universal church and the heavenly choir

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

...Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*SENDING SONG There is a Balm in Gilead 792

*TAKING LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*BLESSING AND CHARGE
CHORAL BENEDICTION God Be with You Till We Meet Again

*POSTLUDE God of Grace Paul Manz

*Those who are able may stand.

We invite anyone who wishes to consider membership in this church to contact the pastor or a member of the session. You may also indicate interest in membership by checking the appropriate column in the ritual of friendship booklet. Membership in this church is a step made by profession of faith, reaffirmation of faith or transfer of church letter.

Lectionary Readings for June 12: 1 Kings 21:1-10 (11-14) 15-21a; Psalms 5:1-8; Galatians 2:15-21; Luke 7:36-8:3.

The **Urban Mission** item of the month for June is Canned Meat. Please place your donations in the box by the church information table.

Hearing-assistance devices and **large print hymnals** are available from the ushers.

Ushers for today's service are Mike and Joan Cole .

Communion servers for today's service are John Beck, Jessica Farris .

Come Help with a **Habitat for Humanity build on Saturday, June 11**. Skilled & non-skilled workers are welcome! Sign up in the hallway.

On **Sunday, June 12** we will be hosting a **hamburger lunch after worship**. Fellowship & Hospitality will provide the hamburgers & buns and there is a sign up sheet for desserts and side dishes.

Vacation Bible School, Expedition Norway, Coming Soon June 27-30.

The **Personnel committee of Indian Nations Presbytery is actively searching for a temporary Administrative Assistant**, preferably with some knowledge and experience with financial records. The AA would work in the INP office four days a week (Mon-Thurs) for four hours a day, through the end of the calendar year. Contact Rev. Joseph Meinhart at joecollege@live.com

SUNDAY

June 5

- 9:30 A.M. – Sunday School
- 10:30 A.M. – Fellowship and Refreshments
- 10:55 A.M. – Worship Service with Communion

WEDNESDAY

June 8

- 6:30 P.M. – Chancel Choir

SATURDAY

June 8

- Habitat for Humanity Build

SUNDAY

June 12

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- 10:30 A.M. – Fellowship and Refreshments
- 10:55 A.M. – Worship Service
- 12:00 P.M. – Hamburger Lunch