



Central Presbyterian Church

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August 7, 2022
9th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome Announcements

Please take a quiet moment to prepare your heart for worship.

Prelude “*Sunrise*” (“*In a Medieval Monastery*”) Baylor

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

*Call to Worship

L: The mighty one, God the Lord speaks and summons the earth.

P: From the rising of the sun to its setting

L: Out of Zion, perfection of beauty, God shines forth.

P: Our God comes and does not keep silent.

L: God’s word is like silver purified seven times.

P: May we have ears to hear the word.

L: Those who offer thanksgiving as their sacrifice glorify the Lord.

P: And those who order their way aright will see the salvation of our God.

*Hymn “*Our God, Our Help in Ages Past*” PH #210

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. Lord, we desire to live according to the truth, so we confess our sins to you and to one another, the evil we have done, and the good we have failed to do. Hear our confession and grant us grace and assurance of pardon, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Time of silence for personal reflection.

Assurance of Pardon

The Peace

L: Peace be with you.

P: And also with you.

***Gloria Patri** *“Glory Be to the Father”* **PH #579**

Special Worship Ben Kinningham/Cindy Godbey

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Time with Young Disciples Pastor Nagel

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 5:1-7

New Testament Reading John 15:1-11

Sermon *“A Compelling Invitation”* Pastor Nagel

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

***Affirmation of Faith**

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.

***Hymn** *“Love Divine, All Love Excelling”* **PH #376**

Prayers of the People

As prayers are offered:

L: God of Mercy,

P: hear our prayer.

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper **(Insert)**

The Great Thanksgiving

Sharing the Bread and Cup

(wine is in the outer circle of the trays)

Closing prayer, followed by the Lord's Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory "*Noontide*" ("*In a Medieval Monastery*") Baylor

***Doxology** **PH #591**

**BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD
INTO THE WORLD**

***Hymn** "*God of Grace & God of Glory*" **PH #420**

***Charge and Blessing**

Postlude "*Sunset*" ("*In a Medieval Monastery*") Baylor
Please be seated for the Postlude.

WORSHIP LEADER: Pastor Martin Nagel
ORGANIST: Emma Lou Denton
LITURGIST: Dan Stephenson
GREETER/USHER: Rebecca Rowe
SPECIAL WORSHIP: Ben Kiningham & Cindy Godbey
COMMUNION STEWARD: Jane Stephenson

****Please stand, if able***

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