First Presbyterian Church

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Sunday, July 21, 2019 8:30am

As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord's presence.

Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ who is here to meet you today.

"Be still and know that I am God." Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE "Trumpet Voluntary in D" – Clarke

"Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" – Bach Ivy McComsey / Ali Elias-Lizardo

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 2

Leader: Now therefore, O kings, be wise; be warned, O rulers of the earth.

People: Serve the Lord with fear, with trembling. Happy are those who take refuge in Him.

*HYMN "When Morning Gilds the Skies" (by request) No. 487

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

Gracious and merciful God, we thank You and praise You for understanding us and showering us with kindness and mercy. We confess that we are constantly worried and distracted by everything happening in the world around us. Forgive us for allowing our attention to be turned away from You, and help us to see, like Mary, how to turn and listen to You. We pray as your transformed people in the name of the one who is the better part, Jesus. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

[Please share Christ's peace with one another with handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]

*HYMN "Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Beth Feiler

(For those who wish, children grades 1-4 can leave for children's church at this time.)

SPECIAL MUSIC "Bist Du Bei Mir" - Bach

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Amos 8:1-12 (OT p856)

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 10:38-42 (NT p72)

SERMON "Paying Attention" Rev. Dr. Randolph Riggs

*HYMN "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" (by request) No. 387

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY "I Will Arise and Go to Jesus" - Sorenson

*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.

*HYMN "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" (by request) No. 379

*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

*POSTLUDE *"Postlude in D"* – Fischer

Next Week

Exodus 8:16-19 Acts 13:1-12

"Don't Mess With the Missionary Man"

11:00 Service

Beginnin	ip the Heart g and the End Beautiful Name
Prayer & Peace	
Children's Messa	age: Beth Feiler (For those who wish, children grades K-4 can leave for children's church at this time.)
Scripture Amos 8:1-1	2; Luke 10:38-42
Sermon	"Paying Attention"
*Offering/Closin The King	g Song dom is Yours
*Benediction	
SERMON NOTES:	

Greeting & Announcements