



## Order of Worship

May 9, 2021

10:00 a.m. Service

*During this time of social distancing, we ask that all singing and responsive reading be done from behind a mask.  
Thank you for doing your part to keep yourself and others safe during the pandemic.*

### Prelude

### Introit

*Come, Serve the Risen Christ!*

*Folts*

### Call to Worship

#### \*Hymn #108

**Christ Is Alive!**

1. Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.  
The cross stands empty to the sky.  
Let streets and homes with praises ring.  
Love, drowned in death, shall never die.
2. Christ is alive! No longer bound  
To distant years in Palestine,  
But saving, healing, here and now,  
And touching every place and time.
3. Not throned afar, remotely high,  
Untouched, unmoved by human pains,  
But daily, in the midst of life,  
Our Savior in the God-head reigns.
5. Christ is alive, and comes to bring  
Good news to this and every age,  
Till earth and sky and ocean ring  
With joy, with justice, love, and praise.

#### \*Call to Confession

#### \*Prayer of Confession

**Merciful God, we confess that we are not an obedient church. We ignore your law and fail to do your will. We resist your love and cannot hear the cry of others. Forgive us, we pray, and free us for joyful obedience through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

#### \*Silent Prayer of Confession

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

Friends, believe the Good News.  
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

**\*Congregational Response**

*Gloria Patri*

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Presbyterian Women Life Membership**

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory**

**\*Hymn #592**

*The Doxology*

**\*Prayer of Commitment 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.

**\*Choral Response**

**Anthem**

*These Are the Things*

*Williams/Lantz*

**Children's Time**

**\*Hymn #361**

**Rock of Ages**

1. Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee;  
let the water and the blood, from thy wounded side which flowed,  
be of sin the double cure; save from wrath and make me pure.
2. Not the labors of my hands can fulfill thy law's demands;  
could my zeal no respite know, could my tears forever flow,  
all for sin could not atone; thou must save, and thou alone.
3. Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to the cross I cling;  
naked, come to thee for dress; helpless, look to thee for grace;  
foul, I to the fountain fly; wash me, Savior, or I die.
4. While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyes shall close in death,  
when I soar to worlds unknown, see thee on thy judgment throne,  
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee.

**Scripture Reading**

**Isaiah 6: 1-8**

<sup>1</sup> In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. <sup>2</sup> Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. <sup>3</sup> And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!"

<sup>4</sup> And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. <sup>5</sup> And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

<sup>6</sup> Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. <sup>7</sup> And he touched my mouth and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for."

<sup>8</sup> And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here I am! Send me."

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **Sermon**

Rev. Dr. David H. Green

### **Answering the Call: Isaiah**

*"And I heard the voice of the Lord saying,  
'Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?'  
Then I said, 'Here I am! Send me.'"* (Isaiah 6:8)

## **Prayers of the People**

### **\*Hymn #138**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!**

1. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;  
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!
2. Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore Thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,  
Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
3. Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide Thee,  
Though the eye of sinfulness Thy glory may not see,  
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee  
Perfect in power, in love and purity.
4. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All Thy works shall praise Thy name, in earth and sky and sea;  
Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

### **\*Charge and Benediction**

### **\*Closing Response**

**God Be With You till We Meet Again**

God be with you till we meet again,  
By His counsels guide, uphold you,  
With His sheep securely fold you,  
God be with you till we meet again.

### **\*Postlude**

\*Please stand if able.

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