

First Presbyterian Church

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Sunday, September 4th, 2022



Reach, Terrie Powers

"For the vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his cherished garden." ~Isaiah 5:7

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Welcome and Announcements Rev. Mary Kay Collins

Prelude Nun bitten wir den Heiligen Geist Dietrich Buxtehude

Jason N. Brown, organ

Call to Worship

*Hymn 366 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" HYFRYDOL

*Prayer of Confession Lee Hastings

Creator God, you have entrusted to us this earth as beautiful as a vineyard, and we have neglected it. You have entrusted to us people to care for with love, and we have often remained indifferent to them. You have entrusted to us our faith as a plant to grow, and we have failed to nurture it as we should. Yet through it all, you remain faithful. Call us to be light-bearers of love, compassion, and justice. Bless us with lives that bear fruit worthy of your abundant love.

*Passing of the Peace

*Hymn 188 (v.1) "Jesus Loves Me" JESUS LOVES ME

Jesus loves me! This I know,
for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong.
They are weak, but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!

Prayer of Illumination Hannah Miller

The Bible tells me so.

Scripture Reading Isaiah 5:1-7

Sermon "No Other Choice but to Sing"

Call to Offering Lee Hastings

Offerings and visitor/prayer cards may be placed in the baskets at the exits or submitted online.

Offertory Unfailing Love Chris Tomlin

Mike Sisler CCLI Song # 4403227, CCLI License # 11166152

*Please stand if you are able.

Sacrament of Communion

Invitation to the Table

Great Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Rev. Mary Kay Collins

Hannah Miller

People: And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

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.

Words of Institution Rev. Mary Kay Collins

Receiving Communion by Intinction

Prayer after Communion

"For the Bread Which You Have Broken" *Hymn 516 **KINGDOM**

*Charge and Benediction Hannah Miller

Postlude DARWALL'S 148th Healey Willan

Jason N. Brown, organ

Announcements



Homecoming: Join us for food, fun, and friends on Sunday, September 11. Enjoy food from the grill: hamburgers and veggie burgers, hot dogs, chips, watermelon, and a cool treat for dessert. There will be a bouncy house, balloon animals, photo booth, and games!

Meet & Greets with Rev. Josh Andrzejewski

The Congregational Life Council invites you to stop by one of our church members' homes for a chance to welcome and meet our new Associate Pastor of Spiritual Development, Rev. Josh Andrzejewski! There are three dates you can meet Josh: September 15 at 6:00pm, October 7 at 5:00pm, and October 27 at 7:00pm. Visit tinyurl.com/meet-josh for more information and to RSVP. Sign ups are necessary as space is limited. RSVP for September 15 by September 12.

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Please keep in your prayers those with special concerns:

- Barbara Bingham, health concerns
- Martha Mathews, recovering from surgery
- Jane Neer, recovering in health care
- Betty Stallard, health concerns
- Louise Whipple, hospice care

We pray for members and family serving in the

military: Tripp Bowles, Jenny Sigel Burkett, Zach Kirk, Mason Louthan, Anne Marks, Nathan Thomas Meade, Connor Partlow, Peyton Spivey, Pierce Tarry, and Will Watkins.

Youth Music begins September 18! All 6th – 12th graders are invited to participate in our youth bell choir on Sundays at 4:00pm. For more information and registration, contact Jason Brown at jbrown@fpcrichmond.org.



