



**MADISON  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

# Madison Presbyterian Church

June 21, 2020 — 10:00 A.M.

## 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

### GATHERING GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE                      Fanfare for an Occasion                      Harris

### WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE CALL TO WORSHIP**    adapted from Psalm 86

L: Call on the Lord! God inhabits our praise and hears our prayers.

**R: You, O God, are good and forgiving, and big-hearted toward all those who ask for help.**

L: We put ourselves in your hands with confidence and trust.

**R: We depend on you from morning to night.**

L: You know the number of hairs on our head. You will not let us down.

**R: No one is like you, God, and nothing compares to your greatness.**

L: Your love is immense. You are slow to anger and quick to show kindness.

**R: You never give up on us, Lord. Thank you for your infinite mercy! Let us worship God!**

**HYMN**                      **God of the Sparrow**    (text follows order of worship)

### THE CALL TO CONFESSION

We believe in God who loves us as a parent loves; searching for us when we are lost. We believe in the risen Christ, who gathers all the lost and forgotten into a new community and tells them, they are forgiven. We believe in the Holy Spirit, who empowers the new community of followers. We believe in forgiveness. Please join me as we confess together.

### THE UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

L: Gracious God you call us to live exemplary lives and to carry the Good News into the world. But our hearts tremble with both hope and anxiety.

**R: We trust and believe that you are our All, but there are times when the "all" of life is too much. In such times we are tempted to give up.**

(A moment of silence is observed.)

L: Lord, forgive us, we pray.

**R: Grant us grace to receive your astonishing blessings. And with new strength and courage, we will not forget to say, "thank you." We pray in the name of Jesus, the Christ. Amen.**

### **THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L: In Jesus Christ, God forgives us and grants us mercy and grace.

Believe the Good News of the Gospel.

**R: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God.**

**\*RESPONSE OF PRAISE**                      Gloria Patri    581

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

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### **HEARING GOD'S WORD**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**                      Minuet and Trio    Haydn  
Jack Zieseemer, Piano

### **THE TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** Matthew 10: 24-39 (text follows order of worship)

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**R: Thanks be to God.**

**THE SERMON**                      Good News - Bad News    Elder Sandy Fox

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### **RESPONDING IN FAITH**

### **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer                      *(using "debts" and "debtors")*    35

**\*HYMN**                      **This Is My Father's World**                      (text follows order of worship)

### **\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**                      Sinfonia    Bach

Thank you for being with us in worship. If you are new in the area or are looking for a church home, we invite you to join us for worship, fellowship, study and service.

**USHERS** — Mike Dorsey and Bill Ohlendorf

### **God of the Sparrow**

God of the sparrow God of the whale God of the swirling stars  
How does the creature say Awe How does the creature say Praise

God of the earthquake God of the storm God of the trumpet blast  
How does the creature cry Woe how does the creature cry Save

God of the rainbow God of the cross God of the empty grave  
How does the creature say Grace How does the creature say Thanks

God of the hungry God of the sick God of the prodigal  
How does the creature say Care How does the creature say Life

God of the neighbor God of the foe God of the pruning hook  
How does the creature say Love How does the creature say Peace

God of the ages God near at hand God of the loving heart  
How do your children say Joy How do your children say Home

## Matthew 10:24-39

<sup>24</sup>“A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; <sup>25</sup>it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household! <sup>26</sup>“So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. <sup>27</sup>What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. <sup>28</sup>Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. <sup>29</sup>Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. <sup>30</sup>And even the hairs of your head are all counted. <sup>31</sup>So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows. <sup>32</sup>“Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; <sup>33</sup>but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven. <sup>34</sup>“Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. <sup>35</sup>For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; <sup>36</sup>and one’s foes will be members of one’s own household. <sup>37</sup>Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; <sup>38</sup>and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. <sup>39</sup>Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

### **This Is My Father's World**

This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears  
all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres.

This is my Father's world; I rest me in the thought  
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas, his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world. O, let me ne'er forget  
that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.

This is my Father's world. The battle is not done:  
Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heaven be one.

## **PRAYER LIST**

**Congregation:** Mark Andreasen, Sharon Auxier, Dennis and Karen Bessenecker, Ken Brunner, Judy George, Mary Louise Grimes, Bob and Pat Hughes, Al Huntington, Betty King, Joan Knowland, Beth Orrill, Janet Rhodes, Alicia Ricketts, Jennifer Saroka, Staci Torres, Sondie Williams, Greg Ziesemer.

**Family and Friends:** Steve Aldridge, Karen Ault, Steve Baker, Mason Barger, Michelle Barlow, the family of Randy Behrends, Lloyd Bell, Robert Black, Carol Blasdel, Donna Bowman, Todd Bredenkamp, Connie Brink, Mike Brown, Chris Browning, Michael Busching, James Callahan, Becky Chase, children separated from their parents, the family of India Cooper, Sherry Craddock, Marie Cross, Jeff Dagher, Andrew Damm, Angel Dart, Hilary Drake, Phillip Eades, Erik, Steve Facemire, Trish Frye, Jessica Garvey and family, Pat Goley, Jo Gray, Shirley Griffith, Chuck Hale, Milly Harness, Lila Haynes and family, Jeffrey Heckenast, Brittany Henry, Bill Hughes, Sarah Hull, Chad Imel, James Jackson, Lois Jackson, Curtis Jacobs, Brittney Johnson and family, Ruth Johnson, Vince Johnson and his wife Mary Jean Woodburn, Kaya Kabota, the family of Lorraine Kahan, Cathy Kish, Michael Sean Kugler, Joni Lanham, Paul Limato, Jeff Lineburg (Janet Castor's brother), Steve Livingston, Terra Louis, Mary Anne and James Lutes, Jason Mace, the family of Vernie Mahoney, Madison Correctional Facility, Madison State Hospital, Shane Mason, Mary McClure, Tabatha Melton, Gaye Mill, Brad Miller, John Mircheff, Jeanine Hill Moran, Gary and Geneva Napier, Muriel Newcomb, Pam, Bill Parker, Joy Parks, Wanda Payton, Frank Pearson, Nak Phok, Jennifer Poggel, Michelle Powers, Jim Risk, Roberto, Randall Robertson, Bob Rouse, Cora Russell, Susan Schafer and family, Jeff, Janna and Rachel Schmidt, Dan Shearer, Donna and Travis Smith and family, Jessica Smith, Laryssa Smith, Therese Spence, Michael Staub, Roy Stone, Jody Sullivan, Mary Lynn Summerfeld, David and Kate Sutter, Denver Taylor, Trey Taylor, Rodney Thompson, Jean Trillet (Jim Grant's sister), Doug Vaughn, Peggy Voris and family, Buddy Waller, Warren (friend of Bob and Judith Glass), Jaye Weaver, Tom Weber, Dawson Whitaker, Laurel Lyn Wiest, Sue Williams, Kyle Wilson.

### **MPC Rotating Prayer Calendar for the Week of June 21**

Bill and Susan Ohlendorf

Mark and Mary Ann Porter

Matthew and Cindy Porter

Riley, Scout, and River

# The Madison Presbyterian Church

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“We are part of the Family of God! As a Christian family, we seek to practice the generous hospitality of Jesus Christ, who welcomes all. As a worshipping family, we seek to enhance and expand our experience of God in worship.

As a family of Christ’s disciples, we seek to grow in our understanding of God’s grace and God’s claim upon our lives. As a mission-oriented family,

we express our faith in action. As an historic Presbyterian family in a contemporary setting, we are rooted and grounded in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) as we strive to remain relevant to the needs of our community.

As the joyful children of God, we live in faith, hope and love!”

## THE SESSION

<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>
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