

MADISON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Madison Presbyterian Church

October 13, 2019 — 10:00 A.M.

18th Sunday after Pentecost

The * indicates when to rise in body or in spirit.

Parents, welcome to Madison Presbyterian Church! Please find a listing of optional accommodations that we can provide for you and your child printed in the announcements in this bulletin.

GATHERING GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE	"Adagio"	Kern
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WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign and pass the Fellowship Pad at this time. Please note prayer requests and announcements.

THE UNISON PRAYER OF INVOCATION

God of our salvation, your love and mercies are not limited to one time or to one people. You continue to heal and to save, transcending the boundaries and barriers we set. For such love, it is our right, duty, and joy to offer you all our thanks and praise now and forever. Amen.

INTROIT from Psalm 66

Be joyful in God, all you lands; sing the glory of God's name; sing the glory of God's praise. Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you."

THE CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 111

L: Praise the Lord!

R: The righteousness of the Lord endures forever.

L: The work of God's hands are faithful and just.

R: Holy and awesome is God's name.

L: Let us worship the Lord.

*HYMN "How Lovely, Lord" 402

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

Even when we are faithless, Christ remains faithful. Jesus came not to condemn or exclude but to make us well, to make us whole. In his name, we confess our sins and call out, "Lord, have mercy on us!" Let us pray together.

THE UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy and grace, we are meant to praise you and give thanks

to you always. We confess that we do not live out of constant gratitude. Too often we harbor resentment for what we lack. We blame you; we blame others. We doubt your compassion, even your power. We find it hard to give ourselves away to you, or to others, in generous expressions of gratitude and praise.

Forgive us, we pray. Heal and restore us so that we may return to you

with a right spirit. Help us to live holy and joyful lives, worthy to be called your people. We pray in Christ's name.

(SILENT MEDITATION)

The Kyrie

L: Lord, have mercy.

R: Christ, have mercy.

L: Lord, have mercy.

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: Nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. This is the Good News of the Gospel. We are and always will be beloved of God. In Christ we are forgiven and set free to live in praise and thanksgiving!

R: 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.

HEARING GOD'S WORD

THE PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

L: Let us pray together.

R: These are your Words, O God. Humble us to speak their weight.

Strengthen us to hear their Truth. Unbind us to live their call. Through the power of your Holy Spirit, for the sake of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

THE FIRST LESSON II Timothy 2: 8-15 N.T. 212

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

R: Thanks be to God.

THE ANTHEM

"The Road Home" Paulus

Kay Lou Adams, Soprano

Tell me where is the road I can call my own,

That I left, that I lost, So long ago?

All these years I have wandered, Oh when will I know

There's a way, there's a road that will lead me home?

After wind, after rain, When the dark is done,
As I wake from a dream In the gold of day,
Through the air there's a calling From far away,
There's a voice I can hear that will lead me home.

Rise up, follow me, Come away is the call,
With love in your heart As the only song;
There is no such beauty as where you belong,
Rise up, follow me, I will lead you home.

THE TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

THE SECOND LESSON Luke 17: 11-19 N.T. 80

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

R: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "On Some Dusty Road"

RESPONDING IN FAITH

*HYMN "My Life Flows On" 821

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

35

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.

Offertory "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds" Bouman

Offering

*Doxology 606

*The Prayer of Dedication

L: Let us pray.

R: Gracious God, you are Good News for a weary world. Accept, we pray, the offerings we bring this day. Use them according to your own purpose and grace. In Christ's name, we ask it. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

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

*HYMN "When Peace Like a River" 840

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE "I'm Going Home"

Breedlove

I'm going home.

Farewell, vain world! I'm going home!

My Savior smiles and bids me come,
and I don't care to stay here long!

See angels beckon me away to sing God's praise in endless day, and I don't care to stay here long.

Rise up yonder, Christians, away up yonder. Oh, yes, my Lord, for I don't care to stay here long.

And though I know I'm bound to die, from grief and pain my soul shall fly and I don't care to stay here long.

Bright angels then shall take me home away to New Jerusalem, and I don't care to stay here long.

POSTLUDE "Allegro" Kern

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.

Liturgy taken and adapted from "Feasting on the Word Worship Companion," John Knox Press, Copyright 2014

A nursery is available for young children. If you are unfamiliar with the location of the nursery, please ask an usher.

LITURGIST — Shannon Glass

USHERS — Gina Freeman and Ken Brunner

GREETERS — Dan Smith and Linda la Cour

GATHERING MUSIC — Harriette Parton

FELLOWSHIP HOUR HOSTS — Tony Harrell and Ellen Eckert

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK— 79

PRAYER LIST

<u>Congregation:</u> Mark Andreasen, Sharon Auxier, Dennis Bessenecker, Ken Brunner, Judy George, Mary Louise Grimes, Carole Hanson, Tony Harrell, Bob and Pat Hughes, Al Huntington, Betty King, Beth Orrill, Janet Rhodes, Alicia Ricketts, Jennifer Saroka, Staci Torres, Sondie Williams, Greg Ziesemer.

Family and Friends: Steve Aldridge, Steve Baker, Mason Barger, Michelle Barlow, Lloyd Bell, Robert Black, Carol Blasdel, Donna Bowman, Todd Bredenkamp, Connie Brink, Mike Brown, Chris Browning, Michael Busching, Becky Chase, children separated from their parents, Sherry Craddock, Marie Cross, Andrew Damm, Hilary Drake, Phillip Eades, Erik, Trish Frye, Jessica Garvey and family, Pat Goley, Jo Gray, Shirley Griffith, Chuck Hale, Peggy Hans, Milly Harness, Lila Haynes and family, Jeffrey Heckenast, Brittany Henry, Bill Hughes, 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, Candy Kahn and family, Cathy Kish, Michael Sean Kugler, Paul Limato, Jeff Lineburg (Janet Castor's brother), Steve Livingston, Terra Louis, Jason Mace, Madison Correctional Facility, Madison State Hospital, Mary McClure, Tabatha Melton, Gaye Mill, Brad Miller, John Mircheff (Mary Louise Grimes' son-in-law), Julie Monroe, 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, 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, the family of Damon Welch, Dawson Whitaker, Laurel Lyn Wiest, Sue Williams, Kyle Wilson.

MPC Rotating Prayer Calendar for the Week of October 13

Gene and Judy Young

Ron and Marlene Bateman Heather Owsley-Smith Gabriella

2019

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 worshiping 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

2021

Jennifer Saroka	Katie Mathews	Natalie Willis	
Finance	Christian Education	Buildings and Grounds	
Libby Sheppard	Dianna Terry	Mike Dorsey	
Mission	Fellowship	Fellowship	
Brett Corbin	Shari Vaughn	Gina Freeman	
Personnel	Worship	Membership	

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