

**Taking the Word of God into the World**

**Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer (p. 35)**

† **Hymn of Inspiration #69** *Here I Am, Lord*

† **Benediction**

† **Response #43** (refrain) *On Eagle's Wings*

Michael Joncas

And he will raise you up on eagle's wings,  
Bear you on the breath of dawn,  
Make you to shine like the sun,  
And hold you in the palm of his hand.

† **Postlude** *Processional on Psalm 150*

Alice Jordan

# First Presbyterian Church of Pasadena

*Second Sunday after Pentecost*

June 18, 2017

10:30

Lord, Christ,  
enable me to place my trust in you,  
and so to live in the present moment.  
So often I forget  
that you long for peace  
and healing in my mind  
and heart.  
Your song pierces  
even my darkest days,  
and your hands  
are always,  
and everywhere,  
the source of  
my journey  
into wholeness  
and that inner springtime  
which is your gift alone,  
Jesus, the Risen One.

Iona Prayer Book



**Leading in Worship Today**

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Martha Braswell, Organist  
Margaret Bardin, Pianist  
Barry Webb, Audio-Visual Ministry



**Mission Statement**

*“Our mission is to live and share the good news of God’s love, grace, and mercy in Jesus Christ, to equip people for discipleship and service, and to work for social justice and peace.”*

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## Service for the Lord's Day

### Gathering Around the Word of God

#### Welcome and Life of the Church

#### Minute for Mission

**Prelude** *Amazing Grace*

duet Martha Braswell and Margaret Bardin

**Introit** #709 *God, We Honor You*

James E. Clemens

#### †Call to Worship

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

**All: God's steadfast love endures forever.**

Leader: The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few.

**All: The Lord sends us out into the harvest.**

†**Hymn of Praise** #1 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

#### Call to Confession

#### Corporate Prayer of Confession

**God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of Christ. Amen.**

#### Silent Confession

**Liturgist** Amen

#### Assurance of Pardon

#71 *Surely, It Is God Who Saves Me* (refrain only)

Surely, it is God who saves me; I will trust and not be afraid.

For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense,

and God will be my Savior.

Leader: Friends, believe and live the good news of the gospel.

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

†**Glory Be to The Father (Gloria Patri)** #581

#### †Sharing the Peace of Christ

#### Chancel Time with Children *and* Commission Ghost Ranch Travelers

"Praise Him, praise Him, all ye little children, God is love, God is love.

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**Anthem** *For the Beauty of the Earth*

John Rutter

For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies,  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light;  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,  
Friends on earth and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild;  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

For each perfect gift of thine to our race so freely given,  
Graces human and divine, flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n,  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

#### Proclaiming the Word of God

**Prayer for Illumination** #288 *Spirit of the Living God*

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me;

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Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

**First Lesson** Luke 1:46-55 (p. 724)

**Sermon Lesson** I Samuel 2:1-10 (p. 191)

**Sermon** "Hannah...A Faithful Mama"

Melba Slaven

#### Responding to the Word of God

†**Affirmation of Faith** Apostles' Creed (p. 35)

†**Hymn of Affirmation** #525 *Let Us Break Bread Together*

#### Offering Our Gifts to God

**Offertory Music** *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go*

duet Martha Braswell and Margaret Bardin

†**Doxology** #647 *Give Thanks*

Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the Holy One;  
give thanks because we're given Jesus Christ, the Son.

Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the Holy One;  
give thanks because we're given Jesus Christ, the Son.

And now let the weak say, "We are strong";

let the poor say, "We are rich because of what the Lord has done for us!"

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let the poor say, "We are rich because of what the Lord has done for us!"

Give thanks. Give thanks.

#### †Prayer of Dedication