

First Presbyterian Church of Pasadena

Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 14, 2017

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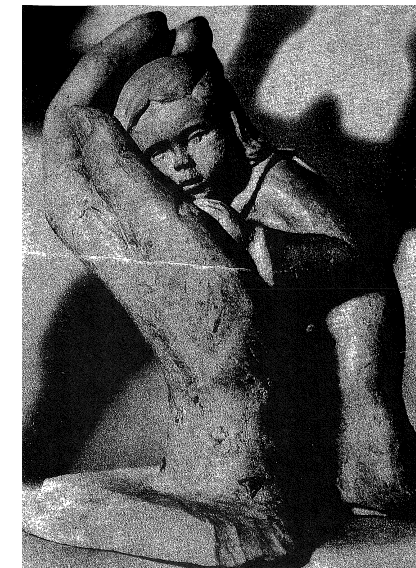


Mission Statement:

“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.”

God our Mother and Father, be with us as we learn to see one another with new eyes, hear one another with new hearts, and treat one another in a new way.

Corrymeela Community, Ireland



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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

Introit: #709 *God, We Honor You*

James E. Clemens

† Call to Worship:

Leader: The Lord is risen! Alleluia!

All: Alleluia! The Lord is risen indeed!

Leader: How can we know the way of God?

All: Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life.

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

Call to Confession

Corporate Prayer of Confession:

Risen Christ, you prepare a place for us, in the home of the Mother-and-Father of us all. Draw us more deeply into yourself, through Scripture read, water splashed, bread broken, wine poured, so that when our hearts are troubled, we will know you more completely as the way, the truth, and the life. 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 Teacher Appreciation

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

Anthem: *A Celtic Prayer*

Kevin Riehle

Christ be with me, Christ within me, Christ behind me,
Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me.

Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ in quiet,
Christ in danger, Christ in hearts of all that love me,
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

Proclaiming the Word of God

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

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me;
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

First Lesson: Psalm 22:27-31 (p. 392)

Sermon Lesson: II Timothy 1:1-7 (p. 842)

Sermon: "From One Generation to the Next"

Rev. Jim Currie

Responding to the Word of God

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

† Hymn of Affirmation #792 *There is a Balm in Gilead*

Offering Our Gifts to God

Offertory Music

† Doxology #606: *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

† Prayer of Dedication

Taking the Word of God into the World

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

† Hymn of Inspiration #819 *Be Still, My Soul*

† 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