

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
Northside Presbyterian Church – June 6, 2021



GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

CALL TO WORSHIP

Listen. Do you hear it? The love of Christ is poured out for us.

Listen. Do you hear it? The cloud of the faithful is singing God's praise.

Listen. Do you hear it? The Spirit of God is calling us to worship.

HYMN – “*All Things Bright and Beautiful*” (20, v. 1, 4)

Refrain:

**All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.**

**1 Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings,
God made their glowing colors; God made their tiny wings. (Refrain)**

**4 God gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell
how great is God Almighty, who has made all things well. (Refrain)**

PRAYER OF PRAISE

CONFESSION

Gracious Creator, we spend so much time hiding our fear, our anger, our anxiety, our addictions; we imagine ourselves invulnerable. In your mercy, uncover our brokenness, that we might be more truly known. Holy Redeemer, we cater to the powerful and sequester the poor. In your mercy, uncover our brokenness, that we might be more truly

known. Sustaining Spirit, Great Physician, you promise to receive us, wounded and welcomed, just as we are. In your mercy, mend our brokenness, that you might be more truly known.

(silence)

Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy. Kyrie Eleison. Amen.

GOSPEL – Mark 3:20-35 – Jack Webster

OLD TESTAMENT – Psalm 104

SERMON – *“Weird Animals in the Bible: Rock Hyrax”*

HYMN – *“Let All Things Now Living” (37, v. 1-2)*

**1 Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving
to God our Creator triumphantly raise;
who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,
by guiding us on to the end of our days.
God's banners are o'er us; pure light goes before us,
a pillar of fire shining forth in the night:
till shadows have vanished, all fearfulness banished,
as forward we travel from light into light.**

**2 By law God enforces, the stars in their courses,
the sun in its orbit obediently shine;
the hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,
the depths of the ocean proclaim God divine.
We too should be voicing our love and rejoicing;
with glad adoration, a song let us raise,
till all things now living unite in thanksgiving:
to God in the highest, hosanna and praise!**

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation – *for all who love and trust Jesus*

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

... Therefore with all creation we lift our voices, saying, **Holy, holy, holy are you, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

... Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Now, as our Savior taught us, we are bold to pray together:

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

Sharing of Bread and Cup

Prayer: Gracious God, you have gathered us at this table with all your people in heaven and on earth. We have been nourished by the living bread, Jesus Christ, and we have been refreshed by the power of your Holy Spirit. May we now go out as glad disciples of our Lord, following in his way, proclaiming his truth, and living his love for the world. Amen.

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG (295, v. 2)

**Go to the world! Go into every place. Go live the word of God's redeeming grace.
Go seek God's presence in each time and space. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Please be in prayer for:

Revathi Balakrishnan

Susan Wava Bowles

Wanda Price

Edd Stoops

Susan Dickerson

All those suffering with

Ron Pearson

Wava Bowles

Covid or grieving the loss

Doug Rathjen

Wanda Price

of a loved one

Drew Taylor & family

Ricky Doug Rathjen

Susan Dickerson

Andy & Jean Robeson

Carl Paul Angermeier

Walter Hale

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