

“ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
10 a.m. *World Communion Sunday* October 3, 2021

** indicates “stand if you are able.” UMH is the blue hymnal. TFWS is the small black book.*

Introit *“Meditation”* C. Gounod
Hahnsol Kim – Violinist

WELCOME ALL CHILDREN OF GOD AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETINGS

One: The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: The risen Christ is with us.

All: Praise the Lord!

*HYMN *“How Great Thou Art”* UMH #77

CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

One: Walk humbly before the Lord, even in hardship and pain.

All: We will live with integrity before God all the days of our lives.

One: Walk faithfully before our God, even when put to the test.

All: We will honor the Lord our God all the days of our lives.

One: Come! Let us worship.

And together let us pray.

All: Almighty God, you spoke to our ancestors long ago through your prophets and teachers, but today you speak to us through your Son. In the midst of life’s trials and tribulations, help us keep our integrity and walk faithfully in your ways. Help us listen to the words of your Son and become like children again, that we may rejoice in your kingdom and trust in your Spirit. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES *“Children’s Message”*

*HYMN *“I Got Peace Like a River”* TFWS #2145

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Let all who wish to know the ways of life and death listen for the word of God.

Truly the presence of the Lord is in this place.

THE HEBREW READING Job 1:1; 2:1-10

THE PSALM READING Psalm 26

THE EPISTLE READING Hebrews 1:1-4

THE GOSPEL READING Mark 10:13-16

One: The Word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON *“Even If”* Rev. Jane Kim

JOYS AND CONCERNS

INVITATION

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sins before God and one another. (*From UMH page 7*)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of steadfast love, we have forgotten to give thanks in all things. We have taken for granted the air we breathe, the food that nourishes our bodies, even the love of family and friends. We have forgotten that all these gifts come from you. We have sinned with our lips and in our hearts. Forgive our selfish ways, and turn our hearts to you.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

God promises to redeem us and forgive us. In God’s abundant grace, our feet stand on level ground and we are clothed in honor and glory.

ALL: Thanks be to God. Amen.

THE INVITATION TO GIVE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS (in unison)

Offering our gifts to God is a holy act. In this sacred moment, let us offer our gifts and our lives to the holy work of God.

WEEKLY OFFERING

MUSICAL OFFERTORY *“Vocalise”* S. Rachmaninoff
Hahnsol Kim – Violinist

*DOXOLOGY *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”* UMH #94

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

God of love, just as you speak to us through a Son, speak to your world through our gifts. May our offering receive your blessing and go forth to bring life and love to a world in need of both. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION *(From UMH Pgs. 9-11)* Insert

*HYMN "It Is Well with My Soul" UMH #377

*BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

One: Almighty God, as you have blessed us with your loving presence,
All: **send us forth in courage and peace, rejoicing in the power of your Spirit.**
One: Go no in wonder and peace, loving everyone you meet in honor and glory.
All: **Amen.**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Let us share God's love and peace with one another.

POSTLUDE "Minuet and Dance of the Blessed Spirit" C. W. Gluck
Hahnsol Kim – Violinist

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OUR WORSHIP HAS ENDED NOW OUR SERVICE BEGINS

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