# THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF GREENLAWN



Sunday Celebration of Worship August 28, 2022 – 10:00 a.m. "Home Runs and Re-runs"

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PRELUDE Leonora

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

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#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing to God, our strength; cry out to God, our helper. Rejoice, and do not fear to appear before our God.

It is God who led our ancestors through hard times.

It is God who leads us through difficult days.

God will not leave us, nor will God forsake us.

God welcomes us to the banquet of life.

God fills our mouths with good things.

God offers us fountains of living water.

Listen now to the voice of God and submit to God's will.

Hear the Word of God and turn away from worthless things.

We will delight in the commandments of our God.

We will share eagerly in the work that God gives us to do.

HYMN # 473

For the Beauty of the Earth

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For the beauty of the Earth, for the glory of the skies. For the love which from our birth over and around us lies. Lord of All, to Thee, we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the wonder 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 hymn of grateful praise

For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's delight.

# For the mystic harmony linking sense to sound and sight. Lord of All, to Thee, we raise this our hymn of grateful praise

#### CALL TO CONFESSION

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, sometimes we are desolate and frightened, for there is evil all around us and we are not counting on You for help. We are not listening for Your voice or sensing Your presence. There is a void within us that things cannot satisfy. We have reached for honors and recognition, but they provide no lasting fulfillment. Forgive our mistaken priorities and draw us to You, the Source of Living Water. Forgive us, we pray. Amen.

#### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

#### **GLORIA PATRI**

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.

#### PRAYER CONCERNS

Elder Betty Chatfield

#### PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

# Congregational Response:

Breathe on me, breath of God. Fill me with life anew. That I may love what Thou dost love, and do what Thou wouldst do.

#### INVITATION TO OFFERING

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

In joyous thanksgiving for the banquet of life, we invite those who live in poverty to share our wealth. We give up some of our luxuries for the sake of brothers and sisters who lack food, shelter, or medical care. We reach out to help, expecting no reward but the satisfaction of sharing what You have so richly entrusted to us. We dedicate our time and abilities along with these fruits of our labor. Amen.

THE READING OF SCRIPTURE

Psalm 105:1-9 Matthew 6:25-34

#### HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER

**SERMON** 

"Thank You, God, for Hand-Me-Downs" Rev. Dr. Van Cleef (November 21, 2021)

HYMN # 151

Crown Him with Many Crowns

**DIADEMATA** 

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne. Hark, how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own! Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee, And hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of Love. Behold His hands and side.
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified.
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight.
But downward bends His burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown Him the Lord of Peace, whose scepter always sways
From pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise.
His reign shall know no end. And round His pierced feet
Fair flowers of Paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown Him the Lord of Years, the Potentate of Time, Creator of the Rolling Spheres, ineffably sublime. All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou hast died for me. Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.

#### BENEDICTION

#### CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #563

Lift Every Voice and Sing

Lift every voice and sing till Earth and Heaven ring, Ring with the harmony of liberty. Let our rejoicing rise high as the listening skies. Let it resound loud as the rolling sea.

Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us. Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us. Facing the rising sun of our new day begun. Let us march on, till victory is won.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

# **Joys and Announcements**

## **Chinese Auction Baskets**

Do you have new items that you're not going to use? (Gifts, impulse buys, etc.) If so, we can use them for our Chinese Auction at the Church Fair. Please bring them to church on any Sunday. Thank you!

## **Food Pantry**

Please remember our food pantry when you are doing your grocery shopping. The following items are always needed: Peanut butter, jelly, tuna, Spam, pasta, any Chef-Boy-R-Dee products. Thank you for your generosity.

# **Annual Church Fair**

The date has been set for our Church Fair: Saturday, September 24, with a rain date of Saturday, October 1.

As you're doing your spring cleaning, you can start bringing in your contributions for the rummage sale part of the fair. These items will be sorted and priced as they come in, rather than waiting until the day before the fair, as we did last year. There will be a box in the hallway for you to deposit items. (No books, please. We find that they don't sell well.)

We are in need of people willing to chair various aspects of the fair. The list is below, please see Larry Foray if you are willing to help.

- **Rummage Sale.** We have a chair. We do need helpers the day of the fair. Please keep bringing in rummage items and leave them outside Pastor Ann's office. Thank you.
- **Food Concession.** We have a chair. Now we need team members. Please see Debbie Eitel.
- **Raffle.** Getting donations, creating gift baskets, setting up tables, and selling tickets.
- **Publicity.** Updating flyer. Posting ads (both online and in local papers), and posting flyers at local stores.

# Mark Your Calendar!

Please mark these important dates on your calendar:
• Sunday, October 23: 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner, 1 p.m., Moose Hall. Ticket information will be available August. in

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