



First Presbyterian Church PC (U.S.A.)
Starkville, Mississippi
July 26, 2020
17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Order of Worship

Prelude *You Are My All in All*

Greeting (From Psalm 105)

One: Give thanks to the Lord and call upon God's name.

All: Make known the deeds of the Lord!

One: Glory in God's holy name;

All: Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

Hymn #695 *Change My Heart, O God*

Change my heart, O God; make it every true.

Change my heart; O God, may I be like you.

You are the Potter; I am the clay.

Mold me and make me; this is what I pray.

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Opening Prayer (From the Book of Common Worship)

Merciful God, Your Spirit hovers over us and all our troubled world, interceding with sighs too deep for words. Help us, for our world and lives seem foreign, not normal. Stay with us as we wait, for healing, for help. Give us strength and courage to bear the unknown. Uphold us with Your ever present love in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Scripture Romans 8:26-39

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right

hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sermon

“Maybe I’ll Preach That...Someday”

Rev. Ron McDougald

Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer

Postlude

PRAYER LIST:

Here are the most recent additions ... Please be in prayer for Catherine Hedgepeth (Methodist Minister's spouse). Please keep these and all those on the list below in your prayers.

Shari Brooks
John Colwick
Mary Espey
Kit McDonald

McKenna Bricker
Marianne Crowell
Audrey Gammill
Bettye Seepe

Vicki Buys
David & Margaret Earnest
Jetta Kuykendall

We will be in constant prayer for those suffering with COVID 19, and those who care for them, those with addictions, homelessness, loneliness, hunger, mental illness, unemployment, prisoners and the poor.

If you would like to add a request or removal to our list, please contact Nancy Bryson (324-6320 or nancybryson68@gmail.com) or Rev. Ron McDougald (601-942-8040 or chaplain.mcdougald@gmail.com)

ONLINE CHURCH. In response to the COVID-19 recommendations, all services have been moved online. All face-to-face church meetings (worship, social, choir, etc.) have been cancelled until further notice. **The next Stated Session Meeting will be on Wednesday, August 5, 2020.**

PIANIST. We would like to thank our pianist for the morning, Lynette McDougald.

Session

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