



First Presbyterian Church PC (U.S.A.)
Starkville, Mississippi
July 5, 2020
14th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Order of Worship

Prelude *This is My Song*

Greeting (Matthew 11:28-30)

One: Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden,

All: And I will give you rest.

One: Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me,

All: For I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

One: For my yoke is easy,

All: And my burden is light.

Hymn #366 *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling; all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion; pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation; enter every trembling heart.

Come, Almighty, to deliver; let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing, serve thee as thy host above,
pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

Opening Prayer

God of the covenant, in our baptism You called us to proclaim the coming of Your kingdom.
Give us courage like You gave the apostles that we may faithfully witness to Your love and
peace in every circumstance of life, in the name of Jesus Christ our Redeemer, who lives and
reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Scripture Romans 7:15-25

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.

Special Music

Susan Kuykendall & Anne McWhorter

O Master Let Me Walk With Thee

Sermon

“The Victorious/Failure Christian”

Rev. Ron McDougald

Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer

Postlude

O For a World

PRAYER LIST:

Here are the most recent additions ... Please be in prayer for Mark & Sharon Kuykendall (Susan’s brother and sister in law); Sarah Elliott (Ron’s niece in SC); Kit McDonald (Maria Prather’s sister); the Family of Steve Prather (Bryan’s brother); Catherine Hedgepeth (Methodist Minister’s spouse). Please keep these and all those on the list below in your prayers.

Shari Brooks

John Colwick

David & Margaret Earnest

Audrey Gammill

Jetta Kuykendall

Kit McDonald

Bettye Seepe

Johnny Taylor

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 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, Linda Karen Smith.

Session

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