

September 25, 2022; 9:00 am
21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

We Gather Together

Prelude “O Worship the King with Come, Now is the Time to Worship”
arr. Carol Tornquist

*(Welcome to our Service of Worship. Whether you are with us in person, joining us live on zoom or watching several days from now, we are glad you are here. We extend a special welcome to our visitors. Please use the time before worship to fill in the Friendship Pad in your pew. **Masking (N-95 preferred) and social distancing are not required but are respected and encouraged. Please consider your own health and the health of those around you.**)*

Welcome & Announcements

Entrance of the Light of Christ

***Call to Worship**

O Lord, open our lips,

And our mouths shall proclaim your praise.

The Lord’s unfailing love and mercy never cease, fresh as the morning and sure as the sunrise.

Together, let us worship our unfailingly loving God!

***Hymn PH 298 “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy”**

Laurie Christie

There’s a wideness in God’s mercy,
Like the wideness of the sea;
There’s a kindness in God’s justice,
Which is more than liberty.
There is no place where earth’s sorrows
Are more felt than up in heaven;
There is no place where earth’s failings
Have such kindly judgment given.

For the love of God is broader
Than the measures of the mind;
And the heart of the Eternal
Is most wonderfully kind.
If our love were but more faithful,
We would gladly trust God's word;
And our lives reflect thanksgiving
For the goodness of our Lord.

***Confession**

**Holy and merciful God,
In your presence we confess
Our failure to be what you created us to be.
You alone know how often we have sinned
In wandering from your ways,
In wasting your gifts,
In forgetting your loves.**

By your loving mercy, help us to live in your light and abide in your ways for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

Silent Confession (In the silence of our hearts we confess our sins to God.)

***Assurance of Pardon**

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Alleluia,
Amen!**

God's Word Is Proclaimed

Scripture Lesson: 1 John 3:11, 18

"For this is the message you have heard from the beginning, that we should love one another. Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action."

Children's Time

Jennifer Zander

Congregational Mission Study

We Respond to God's Word

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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.
Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

The Offering "Hymn of Promise"

Laurie Christie

(We encourage you to share from your abundance to support the ministries and outreach of our church. You may give in person during the service, mail your check to our church office or give electronically through our website.)

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***Offertory 428 "We Give Thee but Thine Own" (vs 1)**

***Offertory Prayer**

***Hymn PH 430 "Come Sing, O Church, In Joy" vs. 1, 3 & 4**

Come sing, O church, in joy!
Come join, O church, in song!
For Christ the Lord has led
us through the ages long!

In bold accord, come celebrate
the journey now
and praise the Lord!

Let courage be our friend;
let wisdom be our guide,

as we in mission magnify
the Crucified!

In bold accord, come celebrate
the journey now
and praise the Lord!

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Come join, O church, in song!
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***Charge and Benediction**

Let all God's people say,
Alleluia, Amen!

***Closing Refrain PH 537 "Shalom Chaverim!"** (See last page.)

This Hebrew blessing is set to a traditional Israeli melody. The version in *The Presbyterian Hymnal (1990)* differs from others in its use of both the masculine *chaverim* and the feminine *chaverot*, plural Hebrew words for "good friends.: The Hebrew is pronounced: Shah-lom, kah-vay-reem, shah-lohm, kah-vay-roht! Lah-heet-rah-oht.)

Postlude: "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

arr. by Judy East Wells

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This Week at Church

Sunday	09.25
9:00-10:00am	Worship Pastor Ken is leading us in worship. Fellowship Hall & Live-streamed
10:15am	Fellowship Time
10:15-11:15am	Growing Connections for All Ages Church History (Fellowship Hall)
11:30-12:30pm	PYA (Fellowship Hall)
1:00-2:00pm	AA Planning Meeting
4:00-5:00pm	Learning Team (Zoom)
6:00-7:30pm	Scout Meeting
Monday	09.26
10:00-11:30am	Staff Meeting
Tuesday	09.27
	Newsletter Deadline
4:30-5:30pm	Loving Team (Zoom)
7:00-8:00pm	Book Study (Zoom)
Wednesday	09.28
8:00-9:00am	Men's Breakfast - Pump 'n Pantry
10:30-11:30am	Book Study (Church)
4:30-5:30pm	Handbell Practice
7:00-8:00pm	Confirmation
Sunday	10.02
9:00-10:00am	Worship Communion Pastor Ken is leading us in worship. Sanctuary & Live-streamed
10:15am	Fellowship Time
10:15-11:15am	Growing Connections for All Ages Presbyterianism (Fellowship Hall)
11:30-12:30pm	PYA – Fellowship Hall
6:00-7:30pm	Boy Scout Meeting

This Week at Church

Congregational Mission Study Team September 25
Moving forward, which way does God want us to go?

Growing Connections September 25 10:15am
Be sure to join us if you are interested in joining the church. Don't forget that current members are welcome to join, too. Today we are talking about Church History

New Member Classes
September 25 – Church History.

October 2 – Presbyterianism. What do we believe? Why do we worship the way we do? What are ways you can be a part of our life in ministry together?

Book Study – Through November 16
In her book, *Liturgy of the Ordinary: Sacred Practices in Everyday Life*, Tish Harrison Warren invites us to connect our everyday, ordinary life to the work of God. You can join us at any time. Please contact the church office for more information.

- **Tuesday Evenings on Zoom** 7:00pm
(Contact the office for the Zoom link)
- **Wednesday Mornings In-Person** 10:30pm

Wednesday Updates / Sunday Reminders
Watch for these in your inbox around 11:00am.

Prayers

Brian C.
Gary G.
Pete R.*
Pat D.
Gib D.
Arnold L.
Pauline W.**

Les M.
Ruth S.
Jesse F.
Silas W.
Liam A.
Jerry and Mary H.
Chastity G. and Joan S.

*Pete passed away on Monday evening. Please keep Paul and the rest of the Radlund family in your prayers.

**Pauline is having heart catheterization on Friday.

Jolene S's sister Janell, and her husband Jack.

Please take a moment to thank those who help make our service run smoothly. Because of them, we are able to worship God well.

E-Giving

Consider giving electronically. It's easy, convenient, and secure. You can sign-up on our website www.fdlpresbyterian.org. Click on 'Giving'. (You can change your giving at any time.) We are so very thankful for those of you who tithe or give regularly to our church. Your contributions help us do God's work.

Weekly Statistics

<u>DATE</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>WEEKLY INCOME</u>	<u>NOTES</u>
Sept. 18, 2022	88	\$858.00	OFFERINGS/TITHES
Sept. 18, 2022		\$0.00	RAISE THE ROOF CAMPAIGN
09/12--09/16/22		\$2,126.00	VANCO-ONLINE OFFERINGS
09/12--09/16/22		\$0.00	VANCO-ONLINE ROOF OFFERINGS
		\$2,984.00	TOTAL INCOME FOR THE WEEK
		\$46,756.97	TOTAL IN THE "RAISE THE ROOF" CAMPAIGN FUND
9/18/2022	7		ATTENDANCE FOR THE LIVE STREAMING SERVICE 09/18/2022

Shalom Chaverim (Blue Hymnal 537)

(Together)

Farewell, good friends,
Farewell, good friend's,
Shalom, Shalom!
Till we meet again,
Till we meet again,
Shalom, shalom.

(In Round)

Farewell, good friends,	☞ Shah-lom, kah-vey-reem!
Farewell, good friends,	Shah-lom, kay-vay-rote!
Shalom, Shalom!	Shah-lom, Shah-lom!
Till we meet again,	Lah-heet –rah oat
Till we meet again,	Lah-heet-ra-oat
Shalom, shalom. ☞	Shah-lom, Shah-lom