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Kirkwood Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 1, 2021

The 10th Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering

Welcome and Ministry Announcements

Dr. Yvan Kelly

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

***Opening Hymn**

The Celebration Hymnal #186

“Lord, Be Glorified”

***Call to Worship**

Worship Leader

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Come into God’s presence with a clean heart, with a new and right spirit.

People: We will worship in the presence of the Holy Spirit.

Gathering Prayer

Lois Morse

Call to Confession

Dr. Yvan Kelly

Prayer of Confession

Dr. Yvan Kelly

People: Giver of manna and breaker of bread, creator of the new, is it true that we have still not learned from Christ? We can be hard-hearted when we should be forgiving. We can be selfish when we should be willing to share. We can be greedy and complaining when we have enough to get by. We can be unfair in our dealings as if we did not know what is right. Forgive us and finish our new creation through Jesus Christ.

Leader: Please continue in silent confession....Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Dr. Yvan Kelly

Leader: Friends, hear the good news! Hope is held out in God’s call to you.

People: One Christ, one faith, one baptism, one God, parent of us all.

Leader: Friends, believe the good news!

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen!

Word

A Time for Children

Dr. Yvan Kelly

Old Testament Reading

2 Samuel 11:26-12:13a

Lois Morse

When the wife of Uriah heard that her husband was dead, she made lamentation for him. When the mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife, and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the Lord, and the Lord sent Nathan to David. He came to him, and said to him, "There were two men in a certain city, the one rich and the other poor. The rich man had very many flocks and herds; but the poor man had nothing but one little ewe lamb, which he had bought. He brought it up, and it grew up with him and with his children; it used to eat of his meager fare, and drink from his cup, and lie in his bosom, and it was like a daughter to him. Now there came a traveler to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man's lamb, and prepared that for the guest who had come to him." Then David's anger was greatly kindled against the man. He said to Nathan, "As the Lord lives, the man who has done this deserves to die; he shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity." Nathan said to David, "You are the man! Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: I anointed you king over Israel, and I rescued you from the hand of Saul; I gave you your master's house, and your master's wives into your bosom, and gave you the house of Israel and of Judah; and if that had been too little, I would have added as much more. Why have you despised the word of the Lord, to do what is evil in his sight? You have struck down Uriah the Hittite with the sword, and have taken his wife to be your wife, and have killed him with the sword of the Ammonites. Now therefore the sword shall never depart from your house, for you have despised me, and have taken the wife of Uriah the Hittite to be your wife. Thus says the Lord: I will raise up trouble against you from within your own house; and I will take your wives before your eyes, and give them to your neighbor, and he shall lie with your wives in the sight of this very sun. For you did it secretly; but I will do this thing before all Israel, and before the sun." David said to Nathan, "I have sinned against the Lord." Nathan said to David, "Now the Lord has put away your sin; you shall not die.

Special Music

"What a Beautiful Name"

New Testament Reading

John 6:25-35

Dr. Yvan Kelly

When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you come here?" Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal."

Then they said to him, “What must we do to perform the works of God?” Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” So they said to him, “What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.” Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

Message “Who Can You Trust?” Dr. Yvan Kelly

***Second Hymn** The Celebration Hymnal #342 “Rock of Ages”

The Lord’s Supper

The Lord’s Supper/The Lord’s Prayer Dr. Yvan Kelly

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; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Giving Thanks to God with Our Gifts and Offerings

Offertory Song

***Doxology**

***Prayer of Dedication**

People: God who has given us so much, we would emulate your generosity, making possible the sharing of the bread of life at the Lord’s table and in the gathering of your people, where they live and work and play, everywhere. Amen.

Sending

***Closing Hymn** The Celebration Hymnal #426 “Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

Charge and Blessing Dr. Yvan Kelly

Announcements

Borrowing items from the church - Just a reminder, when borrowing any item from the church, you must first contact either the Property Team (Mike Brodersen) or the Maintenance Person (Shawn Brecht) so they know what is being used and by whom.

Wednesday Night Bible Study - Wednesday Night Bible Study continues online this week. On Wednesday, August 11, we will hold our first in-person Monthly Family Potluck at 6:00 p.m. with Bible study at 7:00 p.m. A sign-up sheet will be available in the Narthex for those planning to attend. The theme on August 11 is Italian Night.

Blood Drive August 8 - The Big Red Bus will be in the parking lot next Sunday, August 8, 2021, from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. for a blood drive. To make an appointment to donate, please visit www.oneblood.org/donate-now and use sponsor code #31712.

Presbyterian Women Potluck Appetizers and Crafting Meeting August 8 - The Presbyterian Women will hold their next potluck (appetizers) and crafting session on Sunday, August 8, at 4:00 p.m. at Deborah Ruth's house at 1047 Autumn Pines Dr Orange Park. Don't worry if you are not crafty, we would love to have your company.

School Supplies for Quigley House - The Presbyterian Women are collecting school supplies for the children at Quigley House. A flyer with a list of school supplies needed is on the table in the narthex and will also be in this week's newsletter.

Presbyterian Women's Gathering August 28 - The Gathering will be held on Saturday, August 28, from 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Please donate any of the items listed in the center section of the flyer (on the table in the narthex) that Florida Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Network (FLAPDAN) needs.

Fall Festival and Craft Fair October 23 - This year's Fall Festival and Craft Fair will be held on Saturday, October 23. Flyers and applications are on the table in the narthex.

Changes to COVID-19 Protocols - The Session met on June 27, 2021, and made the following changes to our current protocol:

- Friendship pads are back in the pews. We ask that everyone, including visitors, please fill out a line on the top sheet.
- The hymnals are back in the pews for everyone to use.
- We are no longer using pre-packaged communion elements.
- We are collecting the offering, although you can still use the link below.

Those who wish to wear masks are encouraged to continue to be vigilant concerning their own health.

Financial Giving - You may place your offering in the offering plate, drop off a check at the office, put it in the mail, or use our online giving portal that can be accessed [here](#).

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