PASSING OF THE PEACE        "The Peace of Christ be With You"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prelude

*OPENING PRAYER

Ever present God, we come to you wanting to feel your presence here among us. As you reminded your disciples long ago, help us to remember we are not alone on our journey of faith and discipleship. Guide us to see the risen Christ in our everyday lives, and especially in the lives of each other, that we may bring healing and new life into a broken world. Amen.

*HYMN        "When Morning Gilds the Skies" No. 667 in Hymnal

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, who comes to us in Jesus Christ our Lord, why are we so afraid to see you, to feel you, to hear you, and to listen to you? Is it because when we turn to you, you call us to love one another and to reach out to the lost? Is it because when you call us, we must choose to follow you and share our gifts and blessings with others? At times, we are afraid to be your instruments of peace. Forgive our hardness of heart. Help us to open ourselves completely to you, that we might continue the work you began through your disciples long ago. Amen.

(Moment of Silent Confession)

*WORDS OF ASSURANCE

*Gloria Patri No. 581 in Hymnal

"Glory Be to the Father"

CHILDREN'S CHAT

SCRIPTURE LESSONS Psalm 23 John 17: 20-26

MEN TO SING TO WOMEN

THE SERMON        "The Intimate God" ~Rev. John Kazanjian

*HYMN        "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee" No. 738 in Hymnal
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

In Jesus Christ, God was reconciling the world to himself. We confess that Jesus Christ is God with us, the eternal Son of the Father, who became human and lived among us to fulfill the work of reconciliation. We believe that the risen Christ is present in the church by the power of the Holy Spirit to continue and complete his mission. This work of God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is the foundation of all we say about God, ourselves, and the world.

(The Confession of 1967, 9.07)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE OFFERING

Song by: Matt Lentz, Michaela Olson, and Katie Olson

*Doxology

"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

LORD'S PRAYER (Debt and Debtors)

*HYMN

"What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine"

*BENEDICTION

*Postlude

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WELCOME
Everyone is welcome today as we gather for worship. If you are a visitor and are interested in finding out more about Perry Hall Church, please fill out a yellow Welcome Sheet found in the Narthex.

FLOWERS
The flowers on the chancel this morning are given to the Glory of God and in memory of my mother on her birthday, in honor of Emily's birthday, and to honor all mothers, by Nancy Ellis.

SESSION
There will be a meeting of Session this Wednesday, May 11, at 7:00 PM.

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE TO THE LORD!
We invite anyone who wants to play an instrument or sing a song on a Sunday to tell Jane Olson or Dan Gleckler - organist. Music is a universal language. It’s a great way for family or friends to celebrate God together.

BLESSINGS FOR MISSION
We ask for prayers and blessings for the mothers and children who will receive the 9 Baby Kits prepared by the Presbyterian Women of PHPC. Each kit includes diapers, gowns, clothes and blankets. These kits will be forwarded by Church World Service to areas of extreme poverty or following a natural disaster to help mothers care for their newborn babies.
We also ask for prayers for healing and comfort for patients at Franklin Square Hospital and others who will receive these 5 prayer shawls via the Women's Association prayer shawl ministry. Each shawl / blanket has been created with prayer as we use our gifts of sewing, knitting, or crochet. We encourage others to join us in being a part of this ministry. This is a tangible way to show God’s love and support. Contact Gail Smith for more details.

PENTECOST POT-LUCK
There will be a Potluck celebration next Sunday, May 15 immediately following worship. This is the day we celebrate the birth of Christ's Church. Please join us!

YOUTH NIGHT
The next youth night is Friday, May 13th, 7 - 8:30 pm. Please bring your kids, grandkids, and friends! Any questions, please see Jane Olson.