

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

IDLEWILD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST BEING THE BODY: LUNGS JUNE 19, 2022 | 11:00 a.m.

Bold text is read by the congregation. *Asterisk indicates when to rise in body or in spirit.

Please sign the friendship pad so we may take note of your presence and you may greet your neighbors by name.

Today's Words of Preparation is by American poet, Mary Oliver (1935-2019).

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

HANDBELL PEAL

WELCOME

THE REVEREND DAVID J. POWERS

WORDS OF PREPARATION

Listen, are you breathing just a little and calling it a life?

PRELUDE "ANDANTE" FLOR PEETERS (1903-1986)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

JEANENE MUTCHLER

Life-giving Messiah, you invite us here.

Your breath fills our lungs.

Gracious Lord, you invite us here.

Your revelation opens our eyes.

Wonderful counselor, you invite us here.

Your power unstops our ears.

Gracious Spirit, you invite us here.

Your grace inspires our tongues.

Faithful One, you invite us here.

Your love enlivens our hearts.

As we respond to your invitation,

May we worship you with our whole selves.



Hymn 363: Each stanza of this enthronement text prepares for the final line of the refrain, based on Philippians 4:4. "Lord" is here a title of Christ rather than a reference to the undivided Trinity. The late 18th-century tune (first used with Psalm 148) captures the mood well.



*Hymn of Celebration No. 363

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In the presence of a holy God, we become aware of the ways we fall short of God's best hopes for us, and the ways we have hurt others. We turn to God in prayer, asking for forgiveness.



We sing in thanksgiving for the gifts of forgiveness and new life.



Passing of the Peace is one of the most ancient responses in worship. We invite you to share a sign of peace with your neighbor in a sacredly distanced way.

*Prayer of Confession

God of Peace,

we confess that our zeal for our own will exceeds our zeal for yours.

We have confused your discipline with punishment, and your patience with approval.

Have mercy upon us, O Lord.

Make us your faithful body once again. Give us courage to embrace our calling for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom we are one.

(Silent Confession)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

HOUSTON

REV. POWERS



*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you!

During the gathering hymn, children are invited to come forward.







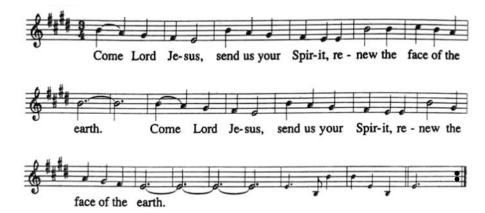
At this time, potty-trained threes to kindergarteners are welcome to proceed to the hallway with an adult and sign into Worship and Wonder.





The sermon is a reflection on the day's scriptures, suggesting implications for our faith and life.

GATHERING HYMN



TIME WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH

JEANENE MUTCHLER

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.
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.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

REV. POWERS

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

HYMN OF PREPARATION NO. 288

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON LUKE 20:19-23

REV. POWERS

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

EZEKIAL 37:1-14

SERMON BEING THE BODY: LUNGS

SILENT REFLECTION

The Affirmation of Faith is from Patmos Abbey, Order of St. Columba, in Australia.





During this time, we invite you to continue your support of the church and her mission. Online giving is available through Realm or through the mail. Those in the sanctuary may place their offering in the plate as it is passed.

Doxology literally means "words of glory." Doxologies have long been used by Jews and Christians to praise God. We honor and thank God "from whom all

blessings flow."





RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

THE REVEREND ELIZABETH H. DOOLIN

We believe that our lives are held within the encircling love of God, who knows our names and recognizes our deepest needs.

We believe that Christ is the divine Child of the living God, and that his grace is like living waters that can never be exhausted.

We believe in the birthing, renewing, enabling Spirit of God who yearns over our welfare as a mother yearns for her child.

We believe that God is in the arid desert as well as in green pastures, and that hard times and disciplines are also loving gifts.

We believe that our journey has a purpose and a destination, and that our path leads to a glory we cannot yet imagine.

We believe that in the church we are fellow pilgrims on the road, and that we are called to love one another as God loves us. This is our faith and we are humbled to profess it in Jesus the Christ. Amen.

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS & TITHES

REV. POWERS

OFFERTORY

"SET ME AS A SEAL"

RENE CLAUSEN (B.1953)

Set me as a seal upon your heart
As a seal upon your arm
For love is strong as death
Many waters cannot quench love
Neither can the floods drown it.

*DOXOLOGY LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all creatures here below.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;
Praise Triune God whom we adore
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Hymn 307: This stirring hymn used at the opening of Riverside Church in New York in 1930 was penned by its widely-known and influential pastor, and it has gained a firm place in Englishlanguage hymnals around the world. The Welsh tune name honors the Rhondda Valley in Glamorganshire.

*Hymn of Sending No. 307

CWM RHONDDA

"GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY"







REV. POWERS

POSTLUDE

"ALLEGRO MAESTOSO"

FLOR PEETERS (1903-1986)

WELCOME NOTICES

Welcome to Idlewild! We are glad to have you join us for worship. If you are new to Idlewild, it is our prayer that you will experience the presence of God while you are here. At Idlewild, it is our hope that all who enter find a home.

Children are always welcome in worship. In addition, childcare for children 6 weeks—2 years is available in the Jones Building in Room 153. During the 11:00 service there is a special Time with the Younger Church, after which children who are potty-trained ages 3 years—5 years may go to Worship and Wonder located in the Old Library on the second level. Parents pick up children from Worship and Wonder following the conclusion of worship. Children of all ages are invited to pick up a worship packet in the main hallway that can be utilized to enhance their worship experience.

New members are received by the Session. If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to join the Idlewild family. Please call (901)726-4681 during the week.

For confidential prayer requests, call the prayer chain, (901)487-6062.

If you have a personal emergency, hospitalization, or pastoral care need, please call the church office at (901)726-4681. If it is after office hours or on the weekend, you may leave a confidential message (please press one to reach the voicemail box). Messages are checked regularly so that pastoral needs can be directed to the clergy.

WORSHIP NOTICES

The sanctuary flowers are given today to the glory of God and in memory of Paul Currie, Andoni Fino, Janette Fino, Violette Hreish and Yousef Hreish, by Anne Marie Currie and Yousef Hreish, who were married here last evening.

Sanctuary flowers are given in honor, celebration, or in appreciation of those we love. We appreciate your generosity in providing flowers to adorn our sanctuary for Sunday services. If you are interested in donating, find the registration page at www.idlewildchurch.org/registration.

The 11:00 service is live at livestream.com/idlewild and on 96.1 FM. (Livestream apps are available for Roku and mobile devices.) **Music is printed** under Onelicense.net A-702280.

This morning we are joined by guest musician, Walton Griffin.

This morning's artwork is the second of a series by Zoe Whelan inspired by the sermon series, Being the Body.

WORSHIP SYMBOL KEY

We use these icons as a way to include our early and non-readers in worship participation. We invite you to point these out to children you may be worshipping with and help engage them in the worship service.







Bible



Communion



Offering Plate



Music



Prayer



Spoken Word

A Vision of Idlewild

Idlewild Presbyterian Church is a community in which ...

esus Christ is the center;
the mighty voice of God inspires us to love;
the Spirit joyfully sustains and nurtures seekers of every age,
stage, and circumstance.

orship forms the core of community life;
prayer binds our brokenness and connects us in Christ's love
to God and to one another;
music, poetry, and art flourish in gratitude to our Creator;
the beauty of creation is treasured and preserved;
all the members of the church are ministers.

he focus is scripture and its meaning for today;
faith is formed and spirits nourished through reflection,
practice and shared learning;
the wisdom of other faith traditions is respected;
and a diverse membership enriches and unites us.

ustice speaks loudly and peace is our aspiration; all voices are heard; recreation and play are a wellspring for fellowship, celebration, and growth; the love of God guides our minds and spirits, leading us to right action in our hearts, our homes, our community, our nation, and our world,

And all who enter find a home.







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