RESPONDING TO THE GOOD NEWS

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH From the PC(USA) 2020 Vision Team Guiding Statement

We believe God calls the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) to be united.

As members of the Church universal, we are Christ's disciples, called by God and empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Against forces that seek to divide, Christ compels us to bear witness to a love that connects communities across great differences.

We approach others in a spirit of openness and trust as we follow Jesus Christ in respecting the freedom of other religions, worldviews, and traditions. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, including Concerns and Celebrations "...God of justice, save your world."

OFFERING

OFFERTORY How Firm A Foundation

*PRAISE HYMN 675 "All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night" TALLIS' CANNON

(verse 4) Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host;

praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN 377 "I Want to Walk as a Child of Light" HOUSTON

*BENEDICTION

*SENDING HYMN 544 "Bless the Lord" BLESS THE LORD (Taize)

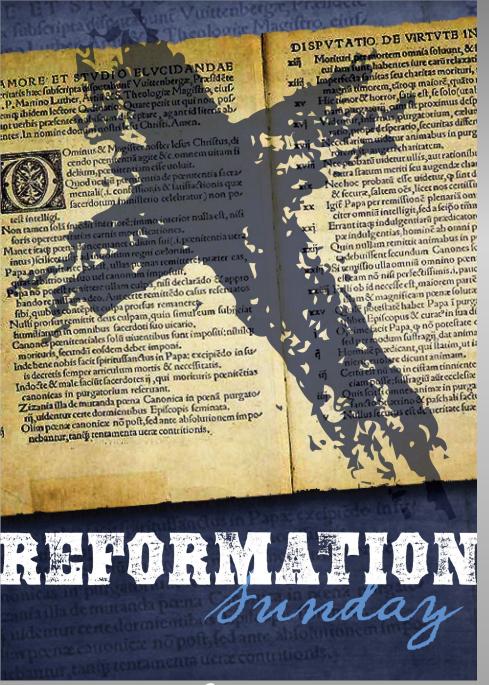
Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's holy name. Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life.

*POSTLUDE Sent Forth By God's Blessings Jason W. Krug

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ADULT CHOIR under the direction of Betsy Burmeister

* denotes standing as able. LITURGIST: Warren Combs



October 30, 2022

COVENANT at WORSHIP

Liturgical Color: Green

21st Sunday after Pentecost

11:00am Worship

REFORMATION SUNDAY GATHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

PREPARATION

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Setting: Anne Krentz Organ

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECOGNIZING FIRST GRADERS

VOLUNTARY

O God Our Help In Ages Past

Arranger, Victor Labenske

*CALL TO WORSHIP

God is our shelter.

Christ preserves us from trouble.

The Spirit surrounds us and keeps us safe.

Take refuge in the triune God,

to whom be all glory and honor this day!

*HYMN 415

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

RESTORATION

CALL TO CONFESSION

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, we confess that we cannot see your image in each and every one of our neighbors.

We call each other "sinner"; you call us by our names.

We misjudge one another, we underestimate ourselves,

and we undervalue creation. Pardon us, Holy One, by your grace.

Reveal to us your vision for the world that we may see all people

through eyes of care and hearts of compassion. Amen.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*PRAISE HYMN 583

"Glory to God"

GLORIA (Taize)

(SING TWICE)

Glory to God, glory to God,

glory in the highest!

Glory to God, glory to God,

alleluia, alleluia!

LISTEN FOR THE GOOD NEWS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

PSALM READING

Psalm 90: 1-6, 13-17

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Deuteronomy 34: 1-12

PROCLAMATION

Dana Waters

*HYMN 468

"In My Life"

LORD, BE GLORIFIED