22nd Sunday After Pentecost

Color: Green (symbolizing Growth)

The United Methodist Church of Chugiak

Pastor: Rev. David Hall Ministers: The Entire Congregation 10:15 am Worship Service November 10, 2019

As you are seated, please remember to fill out the attendance pad and pass it along the pew.

* - Indicates those who are able may stand Bold – Everyone speaks UMH – United Methodist Hymnal (blue hardcover) FWS – The Faith We Sing Hymnal (black paperback) WAS – Worship and Song (green paperback)

Greetings and Announcements

Prelude

Prayer of Safety

Julie Foster As we light this lamp, we pray for the safety of all who are in harm's way this day and especially for all those in the midst of conflict. Grant us peace, grant them peace, grant the world peace, in the name of Your Son. Amen.

*Gathering Song

UMH #103

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

Terri Schimmack

Gathering in God's Name

*Call to Worship

One: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

Many: Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

One: With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the Lord.

Many: Come, let us worship the Lord!

Call to Confession

The psalmist assures us that the Lord is near to all who call on God in truth. So with that assurance of God's presence, God's steadfast love, and God's overwhelming mercy, let us confess our sins before God and one another.

Prayer of Confession

Holy God we come before you a broken people in a broken world. We confess we have ignored, yet again, your assured presence. We have forged our own paths and charted our own waters. In the name of independence we have ignored your aid, your comfort, and your peace. We have called upon you in desperation rather than recalling your mighty and faithful acts in all times and places. Forgive us. You have been with us in exile and liberation; be with us even now. Amen.

Moment of Stillness and Reflection

Words of Assurance

One: The psalmist declares that God hears the cry of the beloved and saves them. Be assured: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Many: Praise the Lord, and bless God's holy name forever.

Call to Prayer

Holy God, you have commanded us to not be afraid and assured us of your presence. In the midst of trials and joys, sorrows and dreams may we know your presence and rejoice. Grant us courage, O God, to take delight in your spirit in all times and all places. Grant us faith, O God, to see the myriad of ways you give life. Grant us hope, O God, to participate in your work in the world. Grant us love, O God, to welcome, respond, and act with compassion in all we say and do. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

Prayers of the People

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Brief prayers may be shared by people in the congregation.

If it is a prayer request, the Pastor will end the prayer by saying, "God, to your love..."

If it is a praise, the Pastor will say, "God, in thanksgiving..."

Then the people shall respond each time by saying: "...we trust this prayer."

Pastoral Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

Praise and Preparation "Didn't My Lord Deliver Daniel" Choir

First Reading from the Word

Haggai 1:15b - 2:9

*Responsorial Hymn

Doxology

UMH #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Alleluia!

Proclamation of God's Word

*Prayer of Illumination

God of wisdom, by your Spirit may your Word be proclaimed, that we may know good news in our hearts and minds and bear witness to the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ in word and deed. Quiet in us any voice but your own, that we might hear your Word to us today. Amen.

*Gospel Reading

Especially for Children

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

Luke 20:27-38

FWS #2233

The Spirit Abides

UMH #13

"Living For Jesus"

Responding to God's Word

Response in Praise and Offering

UMH #629

The Message

"You Satisfy the Hungry Heart"

(All loose change goes to Anchorage Gospel Mission) If you are visiting for the first time, your presence is gift enough. We would love to see you again next Sunday!

***Presentation of the Gifts** "Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70 Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Service of Holy Communion**

*Hymn of Reflection

FWS #2149

*Taking Christ's Light into the World

Extinguishing the altar candles

*Charge and Blessing

One: Go into the world in peace, bearing witness to the God of presence. Bless God's holy name forever and ever, and hold fast to the traditions you have been taught, giving thanks in all things. **Many: Amen**

*Benediction (Beam Song)

*Passing the Peace

May the Peace of God go with you. And also with you.

****Communion Note**

We also have a separate gluten-free bread and chalice available for those who cannot have gluten. Please ask the servers for "gluten-free".