

COMMUNITY OF FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1400 Highland Pike, Covington, Kentucky, 41011

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Sunday, October 9, 2016

Worship 11:00am

+ All who are able may stand

*Regular type, one speaks; **bold type, everyone speaks.***

Preparing Ourselves

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Lighting of the Christ Candle

+Call to Worship

L: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth!

P: We will sing to the glory of his name and give to him glorious praise!

L: We praise God, for the things God does are great and wonderful.

P: Come everyone and see what God has done! Thanks be to God!

+Prayer of the Day and Lord's Prayer

Let us pray: **O God, you are holy and precious to us, and in this time of worship we lift our hearts to you. Accept our offering of adoration and praise, and grant to us the peace that comes from knowing you are with us. We pray this in the name of Christ, who taught us also to pray together, saying: *Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.***

+Hymn of Praise

I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

#457

Call to Reconciliation

Let us pray:

Prayer of Confession

Patient and forgiving God, through the years you have offered your people new ways of being faithful through seeking justice, being kind and loving people, and walking with you as your people. Yet we stray from your guidance and seek our own way; we think of ourselves first and the poor and needy last; we become defensive in the face of injustice that we might have intentionally or unintentionally participated in. Have mercy upon us, O God, and teach us your ways that we might participate fully in your kingdom. (moment of silence.)

Assurance of Forgiveness

Hear the good news! In Jesus Christ, we are all forgiven. Thanks be to God!
Amen. *(please turn to the person next to you to give and receive the forgiveness of Christ.)*

Response of Praise

Glory Be to the Father

#577

Passing of the Peace

L: By offering the peace of Christ to one another, we recognize each other's place in the family of God. May the peace of Christ be with you all.

P: And also with you.

Please greet one another with a handshake and/ or the exchange of the peace.

Solo

Hearing God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Open our hearts and minds, God of wisdom and truth, that we may hear and receive the message you have for us today. Amen.

First Reading

Jeremiah 29:4-7

Hymn

Shine, Jesus Shine

STF2173

Second Reading

Hebrews 11:1-3, 10-20

Sermon

Faith

Elder Jack Kleier

Responding With Thanks and Praise

Affirmation of Faith	Apostles' Creed	p.14
The Service of Giving	Prayer of Dedication	Musical Offering
+Response of Praise	<i>Come and Fill Our Hearts</i>	STF2157
Joys and Concerns of the People of God		
Prayers of the People		

Going Forth to Love and Serve

+Sending Hymn	<i>Lord Of Light, Your Name Outshining (v.1,4)</i>	#425
+The Charge		
+The Benediction		
+ The Postlude		