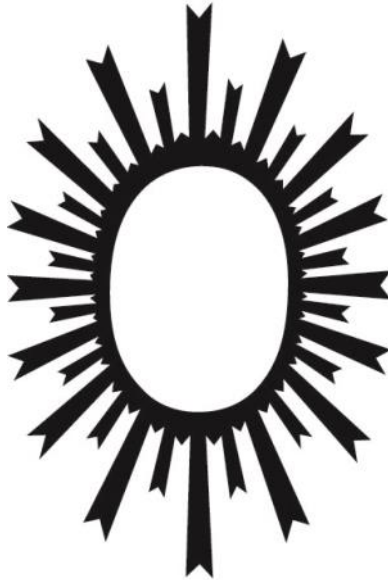


# The Service for the Lord's Day



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**July 10, 2022**

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

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## **WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

*For young children, the Prayground in the back of the sanctuary is open and our nursery is also available for those who prefer childcare for infants and toddlers. Sunday school classes are available for kids in Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade during the 10:30am service, after the Time with Children.*

### **I. GATHERING AROUND THE WORD**

#### **PRELUDE**

**9:00**

“Prelude on *Brother James’s Air*”

*Searle Wright*

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**10:30**

“Morning Has Broken”

*arr. Fred Bock*

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#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**—based on Psalm 124:8

One: “Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
who made heaven and earth.”

**All: What did God do to help us?**

One: God chose the people of Israel to make a new beginning.

**All: They received God’s covenant and prepared the way  
for Jesus to come as our Savior.**

One: Let us worship the God of the covenant, the God of heaven and earth.

**\*HYMN**

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

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#### **CALL TO CONFESSION**

One: We cannot come before God unless we are first honest with ourselves about who we are, about the mistakes we make, and about how well or poorly we care for others. In this spirit, let us offer our prayers to God.

#### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**All: Forgive us, O Lord, for everything that spoils our home life:  
for the moodiness and irritability that make us difficult to live with,  
for the insensitivity that makes us careless of the feelings of others,  
for the selfishness that makes life harder for others.**

**Prayer continues next page over**→

# Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

G G/D D7 G/D C G/B D7/A G G/D D

1 Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;  
 2 All thy works with joy sur - round thee, earth and heaven re - flect thy rays,  
 3 Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, ev - er bless - ing, ev - er blest,  
 4 Mor - tals, join the hap - py cho - rus which the morn - ing stars be - gan;

G C/G G7 C# Am/C G/C Am/C G/D D7 G/D D7 G

hearts un - fold like flowers be - fore thee, open - ing to the sun a - bove.  
 stars and an - gels sing a - round thee, cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise.  
 well - spring of the joy of liv - ing, o - cean depth of hap - py rest!  
 love di - vine is reign - ing o'er us, join - ing all with - in its span.

D G/D D7 G/D D7 B/D# B7 Em A7 D

Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness, drive the dark of doubt a - way;  
 Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, flow - ery mead - ow, flash - ing sea,  
 Thou our Fa - ther, Christ our Broth - er— all who live in love are thine;  
 Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, vic - tors in the midst of strife;

G C/G G7 C# Am/C G/C Am/C G/D D7 G D7 G

giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, fill us with the light of day!  
 chant - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain call us to re - joice in thee.  
 teach us how to love each oth - er, lift us to the joy di - vine.  
 joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward in the tri - umph song of life.

**Forgive us, O Lord, for everything that spoils our witness for you;  
that we so often deny with our lives  
what we say with our lips;  
for the difference between our creed and our conduct,  
our profession and our practice;  
for any example that makes it easier for us to criticize your church  
than to see our own sins.**

**Grant that at the foot of the cross we may find our burdens rolled away.  
And so strengthen us by your Spirit that in the days to come  
we may live more nearly as we ought.  
Through Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

*[silence for individual prayer]*

One: In the name of Christ, we pray.

**All: Amen.**

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

One: The saying is completely reliable and should be universally accepted: Christ Jesus entered the world to rescue sinners.

**All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

### **\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

One: As forgiven people, let's share signs of reconciliation. May the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

*Share a sign of peace and reconciliation with your neighbors, such as a hand over your heart.*

### **\*GLORIA PATRI**

*Hymn #734*

**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.**

**(10:30)**

### **TIME WITH THE CHILDREN**

#### **MINUTE FOR MISSION**

Crop Walk

*Scott Rieck, 9 am & Candace Rieck, 10:30 am*

## **II. PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

### **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

#### **FIRST READING**

Amos 7:4-9

*Pew Bible, OT pg. 953*

## SECOND READING

John 10:1-10

*Pew Bible, NT pg. 107*

## SERMON

“Enter through the Narrow Gate”

*Rev. Dr. Jim Monnett*

### **III. RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

## INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

### OFFERTORY

9:00

“Now Thank, My Soul, Thy Master”

*Johann Pachelbel*  
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10:30

“Brother James’s Air”

*arr. Larry Schackley*  
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### \*DOXOLOGY

*Hymn #34*

***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. Amen***

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD’S PRAYER

**All: 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**

### **IV. FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

### \*HYMN

“God of the Sparrow”

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### \*BENEDICTION

**(9:00)**

### POSTLUDE

“Fanfare”

*C.S. Lang*  
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*\*Indicates please stand as you are able.*

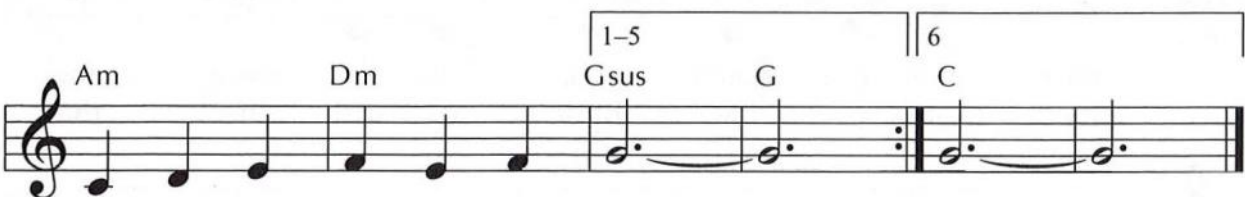
# God of the Sparrow



1 God of the spar - row God of the whale God of the  
 2 God of the earth - quake God of the storm God of the  
 3 God of the rain - bow God of the cross God of the  
 4 God of the hun - gry God of the sick God of the  
 5 God of the neigh - bor God of the foe God of the  
 6 God of the a - ges God near at hand God of the



swirl - ing stars How does the crea - ture say Awe  
 trum - pet blast How does the crea - ture cry Woe  
 emp - ty grave How does the crea - ture say Grace  
 prod - i - gal How does the crea - ture say Care  
 prun - ing hook How does the crea - ture say Love  
 lov - ing heart How do your chil - dren say Joy



How does the crea - ture say Praise  
 How does the crea - ture cry Save  
 How does the crea - ture say Thanks  
 How does the crea - ture say Life  
 How does the crea - ture say Peace  
 How do your chil - dren say Home

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## **We welcome the Rev. Dr. Jim Monnett to the pulpit!**

Jim is a Presbyterian Church (USA) pastor who joins us from Ann Arbor, Michigan. He has served churches in Indiana and metro Detroit including 11 years as youth pastor at First Ann Arbor. His first book *The Alchemy of Hope* will be published soon. He is married with a grown daughter in Nashville. Jim enjoys mountain biking and leading high school mission trips. He has an MDiv from McCormick and a Doctor of Pastoral Ministry from Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary.

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*Our church is a Stephen Ministry church. Stephen Ministers are lay caregivers who are trained to provide high-quality confidential, Christ-centered care to people who are hurting.*

The **CHANCEL FLOWERS** today are given by Todd Crawford in loving memory of Marge & Ray Crawford, FPCRO members for 60 years.

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### **Outdoor Worship Services During July**

For the month of July, we will enjoy **worship outdoors on the Hendrie Lawn each Sunday at 10:30 am**. You're invited to bring a lawn chair, your sunscreen, and sun hat and join us for worship out in God's creation. We enjoyed meeting new neighbors during last summer's outdoor services and having a more casual worship experience. To ensure that we can also livestream worship for those unable to attend in person, the **9 am service will gather in the Sanctuary**, rather than the Chapel, throughout the month of July. **The 9 am service will be livestreamed**. If you prefer to worship from the pews indoors, please join us at 9 am on Sundays this month. We're glad to be able to offer many ways and places to worship!

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### **End of Fiscal Year Gifts**

As the fiscal year draws to a close, we want to thank you for your faithfulness in giving to the ministry of FPCRO. Your gifts throughout the year make all the ministries at FPCRO possible! We are so grateful for your pledges and gifts to God through the church.

Our church's fiscal year ends on July 31. We encourage you, as you are able, to complete your current year's pledge by that date. To be counted toward this budget year, **all gifts need to be received in the church office or postmarked by July 31**. New pledges for the 2022-2023 fiscal year take effect on August 1. Thank you for your faithful generosity!

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### **Compassion Camp: Changing the World with Lovingkindness**

We are excited for our upcoming Compassion Camp on Sundays, **July 17 through August 28**. Children will begin in worship and then move to our "Campsite" for the hour.

### **Volunteers Needed for "Compassion Camp"**

We are looking for volunteers to help with crafts. Whether you can help every Sunday or just specific dates, we would love to have you. Please contact Joelle Jarrait to sign up to help.

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### **Join Us for CARS Outdoor Movie • July 15 at 7:30pm**

Mark your calendar for our monthly outdoor movie nights throughout the summer, each beginning at 7:30 pm on the Hendrie Lawn. We're grateful to Sean and Cassie Coates for hosting these fun events. Bring your lawn chair and a friend! In the event of rain, the movie will be shown in Kirkman Fellowship Hall.

July 15 at 7:30 pm • *Cars* and August 26 at 7:30 pm • *Raya and the Last Dragon*

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### **Flower Dedications for Worship 2022-2023 — New Chart Available**

A new chart with dates in Fall 2022 through Summer 2023 is now posted in the hallway outside the reception office. You're invited to sign-up to make a flower dedication in worship to celebrate, honor, or remember friends and family. Once you've signed up, fill out a card and include a check for \$45. Place the items in the basket at the reception desk. Thank you!