

June 19, 2022 11:00 a.m.

Second  
Sunday after  
Pentecost



**PRELUDE**

Theme and Variations

A. Travis

**GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**CHORAL INTROIT**

God Is in This Holy Place

Brahms/arr. H. Hopson

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#615 Community of Christ

LEONI

**\*INVOCATION AND 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Jehovah Jirah, our provider.  
We stand and recite prayers daily, asking for more.  
You faithfully pour out blessings  
of love and mercy for the world.  
Yet your urging to reflect that love and mercy to others  
falls on deaf ears.  
Our sacrifices are meagre in a vast world of  
brokenness.  
We desire different outcomes.  
Ones that seek an audience to show off our effort  
and our work.

Forgive us, Creator, when grace and mercy  
have conditions.  
Forgive us, Christ, when sacrifice  
becomes an opportunity for self-flattery.  
Forgive us, Spirit, for we pick and choose  
who does and does not receive compassion.

God, give us eyes to see and ears to hear.  
Forgive us and allow us to remember the sacrifice of  
your Son on the cross.  
Lord of Hosts, help us correct our course!  
And see Your love which never fails,  
so that we would be your people of mercy and healing.

(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

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

R. Goodson

**FIRST TESTAMENT READING**

1 Samuel 1:19-28

Page 272, first half of the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

**ANTHEM**

Spirit of God, unseen as the wind

arr. A. D. Miller

**RESPONSIVE PRAYER** (Based on Psalm 69, The Message)

One: When we are tired and frustrated,  
exhausted from pouring ourselves out for the world,

**Many: Come near and rescue us;  
deliver us from the weariness.**

One: When the world has kicked us around—  
laughed at our Christ and mocked our faith,

**Many: Come near and rescue us;  
deliver us from its taunts.**

One: God, answer in love! Answer with your sure salvation!

**Many: Pull us out of the clutch of apathy;  
that whirlpool pulling us down.**

One: Let us know of your great mercy.

**All: Come near and rescue us.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

#594 We Are Your People

WHITFIELD

**CHILDREN'S BLESSING**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**\*HYMN OF MEDITATION**

#599 Shadow and Substance

TWILIGHT

**SECOND TESTAMENT READING**

Acts 2:43-47

Page 124, second half of the NRSV Bible

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

**SERMON**

Rev. Jeremy Keay

**CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**Offertory**

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

J. Pachelbel

**\*Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*Prayer of Gratitude**

**\*HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#550 We Are the Church

PORT JERVIS

**\*THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY**

**Leader:** May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of  
God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

**\*Choral Benediction**

The Aaronic Benediction

H. Willan

**\*The Sending of the Community**

**\*Congregational Amen**

*The service of the church into the world -- begins again this week*

**POSTLUDE**

Toccata on LEONI

M. Burkhardt

**\*Please stand, as you are able**

We are grateful for those who serve with us today:  
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