

Waverly Road Presbyterian Church
Order of Worship for June 14, 2020

Announcements

Rev. Collin Adams

Gathering Prayer

Sharon Petke

God of all power and peace, as Jesus sent his disciples out to heal the sick, cast out demons, gather the lost, raise the dead, and proclaim the nearness of your realm, make us ready to go and share the good news we have received; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

Prelude

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

Mark Hayes

Call to Worship

Worship the Lord with gladness!

We come into God’s presence with singing.

For the Lord our God is good.

God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Hymn 31

“Let Us With a Gladsome Mind”

Let us with a gladsome mind praise the Lord who is so kind:

For God’s mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

God, with all-commanding might filled the new-made world with light:

For God’s mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

All things living God does feed; with full measure, meets their need.

For God’s mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, without your grace we are like sheep without a shepherd. Sometimes we are harassed by sin and feel helpless against its power. Sometimes, in our sin, we use our own power to harass the helpless. We are wolves in sheep’s clothing, innocent as serpents and wise as doves.

Forgive us, Lord, and bring us home. Restore us to your flock and fold, we pray; through Jesus Christ, our Good Shepherd.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Hear the good news of God's love: in Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God!

Time with Children

Rachel Lawson

Duet Anthem

"Be Still and Know"

Chapman/Fettke

*Meredith and Richard Brown,
Julia Brown, accompanist*

Be still and know that he is God. Be still and know that he is holy.
Be still, oh restless soul of mine; Bow before the Prince of peace;
Let the noise and clamor cease.

Be still and know that he is God. Be still and know that he is faithful
Consider all that he has done; Stand in awe and be amazed
And know that he will never change. Be still.

Be still and know that he is God. Be still and know that he is God.

Be still and know that he is God. Be still. Be speechless.

Be still and know that he is God. Be still and know he is our Father.

Come rest your head upon his breast;

Listen to the rhythm of His unfailing heart of love

Beating for his little ones, calling each of us to come:

Be still. Be still.

Scripture Readings Genesis 21:8-21, Matthew 10:24-39

Sermon

"Who Are We?"

Rev. Collin Blair Adams

Affirmation of Faith

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence he will come to judge the quick and the dead.

*I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.
Amen.*

Prayers of the People

Minute for Mission

Peter Borg, Osman Hope

Offering & Doxology

Hymn 834

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

*Precious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.
Through the storm, through the night, Lead me on to the light.
Take my hand, precious Lord, Lead me home.*

*When my way grows drear, Precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone.*

*Hear my cry, hear my call; Hold my hand lest I fall.
Take my hand, precious Lord, Lead me home.*

Benediction

Postlude

"Go Joyfully"
Susan Whipple, organist

Richard Williamson