

RIVER ROAD CHURCH, BAPTIST

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 14, 2020

Today we worship via the internet. As you gather around your phone, computer, or tablet, we encourage you to pause for a moment to become aware of God's presence. Quiet your mind, listen to the voluntary, and prepare to worship God.

Voluntary

Basse et Dessus de Trompette (from Suite of the First Tone)

Louis-Nicolas Clérambault

Welcome, Invocation, and Our Lord's Prayer

Rev. Anna Perry Miller

**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.**

*Hymn

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

OLD HUNDREDTH

1. All people that on earth do dwell,
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.
Serve him with joy, his praises tell,
come now before him and rejoice!
2. Know that the Lord is God indeed;
he formed us all without our aid.
We are the flock he surely feeds,
the sheep who by his hands were made.
3. Because the Lord our God is good,
his mercy is forever sure;
his faithfulness at all times stood,
and shall from age to age endure.

Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 100

Ed Pruden

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing. Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name. For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

The Word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God.**

New Testament Lesson

Romans 5:1-8

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

The Word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God.**

Solo

Notre Père (The Lord's Prayer)

Maurice Duruflé

Notre Père qui es aux cieux, que ton nom soit sanctifié, que ton règne vienne,
que ta volonté soit faite sur la terre comme au ciel.
Donne-nous aujourd'hui notre pain de ce jour.
Pardonne-nous nos offenses, comme nous pardonnons aussi à ceux qui nous ont offensés.
Et ne nous soumets pas à la tentation, mais délivre-nous du mal.

Virginia Tilley, soprano

For your reflection, this modern version of the Lord's Prayer was written by our pastor:

God in heaven, parent of all, your name alone is holy.
May your realm of justice, wholeness, and love be established here on earth,
just as in heaven you created it to be.
Give us the bread and drink we need for today.
Forgive us for the hurts we have caused to you and to others, as we forgive those who have hurt us.
Help us to resist the temptation to harm ourselves, others, and your creation.
Liberate us from any thought or action contrary to your best desire for us.
You reign over all that is. Your power is revealed through unending love.
Your glory shines through the beauty of your creation, always and forever. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Anna Perry Miller

Offertory Sentences

Rev. Dr. Daniel Glaze

*Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

**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.**

Solo

Give to Jehovah

Heinrich Schütz

Give to Jehovah, O ye mighty ones, glory and power. Alleluia!
Give to Jehovah the glory of His holy name. Worship ye the Lord God in holy array. Alleluia.
Every nation calls upon Thee, and sings praise to Thee, Sings praises to Thy glory. Alleluia.

—Psalm 29:1-2

Virginia Tilley, soprano

Sermon

Hope Does Not Disappoint

Rev. Dr. Daniel Glaze

Celebration of Holy Communion

*Hymn

God Reigns! Let Earth Rejoice!

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| <p>1. God reigns! Let earth rejoice!
Let oceans shout God's might!
Borne up by truth and righteousness,
God's throne is our delight. (Refrain)</p> | <p>2. God's fire ignites the clouds
with judgment swift and just;
the evil find their deeds in vain;
God's foes are brought to dust. (Refrain)</p> |
| <p>3. False idols rise to claim
the weakness of our pride,
but cannot touch the faithful ones,
for God stands at our side. (Refrain)</p> | <p>4. The radiance of God's light
beams joy into our days;
now filled with God's own peace and love,
our hearts resound with praise. (Refrain)</p> |

Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice!
God reigns! Let earth rejoice!

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*Benediction

Voluntary

Dialogue sur les Grands Jeux (from Suite of the First Tone)

Louis-Nicolas Clérambault

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Pancakes with Pastors

Tuesday, June 16, 9AM on Zoom

Join Rev. Marnie Fisher-Ingram for an hour of fellowship and conversation while enjoying your favorite breakfast item. Sign up at rrcb.org/pancakes for the Zoom link.

Summer Talkback Series: “There’s Something Holy Out There”

Wednesday, June 17, at 2PM, 6:30PM, or 8PM on Zoom

Drawing on the book of Job and his training as an astrophysicist, Paul Wallace reveals how science and faith both bring us face to face with beauty and mystery. After you sign up for your dialogue time, you will be sent a link to listen to the TheoEd presentation online ahead of the discussion time on June 17. The talkbacks will be guided by facilitators in small groups of no more than 12. Sign up at rrcb.org/talkback.

Pulpit Swap with Congregation Or-Atid

Sunday, June 21, 11 AM at rrcb.org/live

Rev. Daniel Glaze will be preaching for the virtual Shabbat Service at Congregation Or-Atid on Saturday morning, June 20. In turn, Rabbi Hal Schevitz will be preaching for River Road Church in our Sunday morning worship on June 21. Please tune in at rrcb.org/live and support this collaboration (even in times of separation)!