

**Highland Presbyterian Church  
Order of Worship, July 11**

**PRESERVICE MEDITATION**

Chris Jackson, piano

**PRELUDE**

O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing

arr. Carl Glaser

**WELCOME /ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: The Earth is God's and everything in it.

**All: We belong to our God.**

One: Lift up your voices in praise and thanksgiving.

**All: We lift our voices in glory and honor to God.**

**OPENING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**HYMN OF PRAISE #288**

**I Sing the Mighty Power of God**

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**All: Gracious God, pour out your mercy on us. Where there is despair, fill us with hope. Where there is sorrow, fill us with comfort. Where there is sin, fill us with forgiveness. Where there is hatred, fill us with love. Where there is worry, fill us with assurance. Gather us in the arms of your grace and glory, that we may reflect your glory with honor and praise all the days of our lives. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

Jen Jammer

**OFFERING**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**

Ephesians 1:3-14

**ANTHEM**

“We Are One, Lord”

Stan Pethel

Chancel Choir

**GOSPEL READING**

Mark 6:14-29

**MESSAGE**

The Way of Christ, week 7: “Sticks and Stones”

Rev. Chip Stapleton

**COMMUNION**

Call to Communion

Breaking of the Bread

Prayer after Communion

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

*Apostles' Creed*

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell. The third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall 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.**

**SENDING HYMN**

At the Cross (Love Ran Red)  
Kristin and Kelsey McCarthy; 2nd Mile

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

arr. Dick Torrans

Pam Langston, organ

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The flowers are placed in the Sanctuary  
today to the Glory of God and in

***Memory of Edie Formulak***

Given by *Gus Formulak*