



St. Andrews-Covenant

Presbyterian Church | PC (USA)

Welcome to Worship! | May 15, 2022

It is good you are here! Please silence all electronic devices.

GATHERING

Prelude (8:30) *Sonata in E (K 380, L 23)*
(11:00) *Pastorale from Sonate Op. 42*

Scarlatti
Guilmant

Welcome
PNC Update

*Call to Worship

Leader: Peace be with you. Jesus stands among us.

People: Peace be with you. The risen Lord is here.

Leader: How very good and pleasant it is

People: when the people of God live in unity.

Leader: Jesus is the Alpha and the Omega,

All: the Lord who was and is and is to come.

*Gathering Prayer

***Hymn No. 641** *When in Our Music God is Glorified*

(11:00) **Anthem** *Acclamation in G Minor*

Thompson

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed, and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak, and abuse the earth you made. We fail to share the good news of the Gospel with those around us who don't know the hope we have in you, the risen Lord. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord.

Assurance of Forgiveness

***Sung Response No. 441** *Hear the Good News of Salvation*

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Leader: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

(11:00) **Time with Children**

WORD

Sermon: *"When in Our Music God is Glorified: A 'Sermon' from the Piano"* Rev. Dr. Robert Bayley

***Sermon Response/Affirmation of Faith No. 519** *You Are My All in All*

THANKSGIVING

Offering

Offertory (8:30) *Two-Part Invention in C (BWV 772)*
(11:00) *Softly and Tenderly*

J. S. Bach
Thompson/arr. Clausen

***Doxology No. 606**

***Prayer of Dedication**

Communion (8:30 only)

(All are invited to the Table of our Lord. The distribution of the elements will be shared by intinction, the dipping of bread into a common cup. The congregation will receive communion using the center aisle. Please return using the side aisles. Pre-packaged elements and gluten-free bread are available if preferred.)

***Choral Invitation No. 507** *Come to the Table of Grace (verses 1 and 2)*

Invitation to the Table

Prayer over the Table

Words of Institution

Sharing of Bread and Cup Together

Communion Music *I Am the Bread of Life*

Toolan arr. Carter

Prayer

SENDING

***Hymn No. 821** *My Life Flows On*

***Blessing**

***(11:00) Choral Benediction**

***Dismissal**

We stand while the bell is rung three times, remembering that God, Creator, Redeemer and Renewer of Life goes with us. Go in Peace!

Postlude (8:30) *Ellacombe*
(11:00) *Fughetta on "Engelberg"*

Weston
Proulx

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Worship Leaders

Interim Head Pastor, Rev. Dr. Robert Bayley
Liturgist, Joseph Gray
Director of Music, Cindy Litzinger
Choir Director, Bryan Hughes

Organist/Pianist, Sara Bryant
Violinist, Beverly Andrews
Adult Choir and Adult Handbells (11:00)

Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) Updates:

PNC Listening & Feedback Sessions

With Holy Cow Leader, Emily Swanson

May 18, 6-8pm, Brown Hall **5:30 Pizza Dinner

May 19, 4-6pm, Kardia Classroom (Rm. 224)

May 24, 6:30-8:30pm, Zoom (link will be sent out)