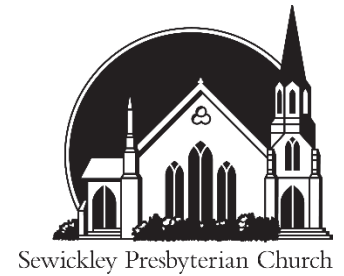


Order of Worship | August 04, 2024

10 AM



Prelude

Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho

Jane Shadle and Michael Hammer, piano

Introit

Every Time I Feel the Spirit

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Emily I. Miller

Call to Worship

Leader : Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

Many : Worship the Lord with gladness; come into God's presence with singing.

Leader : Know that the Lord is God.

Many : It is God who made us, and we are God's people.

Leader : Give thanks to God and bless his name.

Many : Let's worship God today with joyful praise!

Opening Hymn #487

These Treasured Children Present Now

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Book of Common Worship 1993 version

Gracious God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us improve what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to your glory.

In Jesus' name. Amen.

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

One: Friends, this is the good news of the gospel.

Many: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

Confession Response

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, amen.

Anthem

Thanks God
VBS Kids

Children's Sermon

Children going into preschool through 3rd grade are invited to leave for Children's Church following the Children's Sermon.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

John 13:34-35

'I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Friends
Rev. Emily I. Miller

Offering & Offertory

You've Got a Friend in Me

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.**

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response
Amen (#600)

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Music during Communion
Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

Prayer

Closing Hymn #465

What A Friend We Have in Jesus

Benediction

Postlude

Doctor Gradus ad Parnassum from "Children's Corner" suite

The flowers today are given in

Loving Memory of

Nick and Helen Kaiser

By

Madelaine and Colvin

McCrary

Worship Participants

Sr. Pastor : Rev. Dr. Derek R. Davenport

Assoc. Pastor : Rev. Emily I. Miller

Assoc. Pastor : Rev. G. Michael Creamer

Choir Director/Organist: Dr. Michael Hammer

Musician(s): Jane Shadle, VBS Kids

Soloists:

Ray Blackwell, baritone

XiuRu Liu, contralto

Anna Singer, soprano

Paul Yeater, tenor

Summer Choir

Ushers: Jenny Valente, Greg Shipley, Wayne

Murphy, Sally Shipley

Communion Servers: Sandy Cooper, Sally Shipley,

Jane Shadle, Bruce McAdams, Gretchen

McAdams, Don Birnie, Gretchen Burnham, Bob

Burnham, Jane Raymond

Tech Crew: Matt Doebler, Rici Brockinson,

Lexie Merritt

Credits

Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho, *arr. Lloyd Larson*

Every Time I Feel the Spirit, *African-American Spiritual*

These Treasured Children Present Now, (#487)

Gloria Patri, *Gloria Patri*

Thanks God

Amen, (#600)

You Got a Friend in Me, *Randy Newman*

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring, *J.S. Bach*

Doxology

What A Friend We Have in Jesus, (#465)

Doctor Gradus ad Parnassum from "Children's Corner"
suite, Claude Debussy

IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME HERE?

Thank you for visiting our church this morning. We'd love to reach out to you. Let us know you were here by putting your name and contact information in one of the pew pads. We welcome you to visit our website to learn more about ways you can take part in groups, classes, and events. If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Sharon Barber (sbarber@sewickleypresby.org/412.741.4550).

Visit our website for complete details on events and groups that meet during the week.

www.sewickleypresby.org

PRAYER NEEDS

PRAYERS FOR PRESENCE AND HEALING

- Johnathan Arkell (Betsy Thomas' grandson/Pat and Eric Fulmer's nephew)
- Bobbi Bonnett
- Mary Ellen Fletcher (friend of Suzie Gilliland)
- Ruth Larsen
- Dotti Miller (Rick Miller's wife)
- Russell & Patsy Walker (son and daughter-in-law of Ann Walker)

PRAYERS FOR COMFORT

- For Jane Van Kirk and her family on the death of her son-in-law, Justin Ochs.

Please find a full list of Prayer Needs in the Robinson Room and near the entrance to the Sanctuary

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