

# SUNDAY WORSHIP

AUGUST 1, 2021

## PRELUDE

“Quiet Hymn Meditation”  
Kris Ward, handbells; Carol Frieburg, piano

arr. Christine D. Anderson

## WELCOME

Judy Hockenberry

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Bless the Lord, O My Soul, and all that is within me, bless God’s holy name.

All: **We will never forget the benefits of the Lord.**

One: It is God who redeems us.

All: **God crowns us with steadfast love and mercy.**

## \*HYMN 366

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

Hyfrydol

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

TC Anderson

God, you have called us to live lives worthy of the calling to which we have been called. But we confess to you and each other that we have not always spoken the truth in love; we have not always made every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. Forgive us and, by your grace, help us to grow in every way into him who is our head, Jesus Christ. Amen.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PSALM 51:1-12

## MESSAGE

“All In”  
Scripture: Ephesians 4:1-16

Judy Hockenberry

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

TC Anderson

## LORD’S PRAYER

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

## SHARING OUR GIFTS

“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”  
Kris Ward, handbells; Carol Frieburg, piano

arr. Christine D. Anderson

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## \*HYMN 688

“Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart”

Morecambe

## BENEDICTION

Judy Hockenberry

## POSTLUDE

“A Trumpet Fancy”

*Leon Nelson*

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\*Please stand as you are able.

Worship led by: Judy Hockenberry, TC Anderson

Music: Chris Urban, Carol Frieburg, and Kris Ward

Flowers: Elaine Chen

## CHURCH LIFE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** — Preschoolers – incoming 5th graders are invited to summer Sunday school at the Loaves & Fishes Garden. Join us to learn about creation care by planting and tending a garden, how a community garden benefits everyone, and some other fun things along the way! We will meet at 10:30 am on **August 8 and August 22**. For more information, please contact Katy Allen at [katyallen@firstpresah.org](mailto:katyallen@firstpresah.org).

**JOB OPPORTUNITY: JOIN THE FACILITIES TEAM** — The First Pres Facilities Team currently has two open positions for part-time facilities assistants. General duties include Sunday morning opening and closing of the building, light custodial work, set-up/breakdown for meetings and events, and other facility projects as assigned. This position is 8-10 hours per week. You must be available on Sundays from 7:30 am – 1:00 pm. Other times during the week are based on the church calendar. This is a perfect job for a high school student. If you would like to recommend someone or are interested, please contact Michele Holifield at 847-255-5900 or [micheleholifield@firstpresah.org](mailto:micheleholifield@firstpresah.org).



**MANDELA: STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM LEARNING FIELD TRIP** — **Sunday, August 29 / 1:00 pm / Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center** — Join Stone Catchers for a field trip to the Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center to experience the *Mandela: Struggle for Freedom* exhibit on Sunday, August 29. This exhibit traces the life and legacy of Nelson Mandela and his fight against apartheid and for equality for all. Adults and youth are welcome to attend. Admission to the exhibit and museum is \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children (under 17). Participants are responsible for getting themselves to and from the museum. We will meet at the front of the museum at 12:45 pm. Our docent-led tour begins at 1:00 pm. For your convenience, you may purchase lunch for \$7.00 per person (sandwich, chips, and a drink) to enjoy at church before leaving for the museum. Payment for tickets and lunch may be made on the church website, [firstpresah.org](http://firstpresah.org). Please select “Mandela Exhibit” from the dropdown menu and enter your total amount for tickets and lunch in the Give box. To register, visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C044DADAF29A7FB6-mandela>.

**FREE FRESH PRODUCE MARKET** — **Wednesdays, through September 1 / 6:00 pm / Parking Lot** — The free produce market will run through September 1 on Wednesday evenings from 6:00–7:00 pm. Bounty from the Loaves and Fishes Garden is distributed at the market to those in need. If you have a home garden, you can also donate your produce to be distributed at the free market. Donations can be brought to the church either on Sunday mornings (a table will be in the Narthex), or Wednesday evenings from 5:30-6:00 pm in the west parking lot. The market is co-sponsored by the Mission Committee and Children’s Ministries. Please contact Michele Holifield at [micheleholifield@firstpresah.org](mailto:micheleholifield@firstpresah.org) or Katy Allen at [katyallen@firstpresah.org](mailto:katyallen@firstpresah.org) with any questions.

**MULTI-AGENCY CLOTHES DRIVE** — A clothes drive will be held in the parking lot of Cross and Crown Lutheran Church (1122 W. Rand Road, AH) on Thursday, August 5, from 3:00-7:00 pm. The drive is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Arlington Heights. This year the following agencies will be the recipients of your generosity: The Harbour (a shelter for teen girls and young single mothers with facilities in Park Ridge and Des Plaines), Faith Community Homes (a ministry to bring families into housing with support and mentors in Arlington Heights, Palatine, and Schaumburg), the Ministry of Hope (the 16-year outreach of Cross and Crown to the homeless and jobless in the area), Catholic Charities in the NW suburbs, The Salvation Army in Des Plaines, and Pacific Garden Mission in Chicago.

**FILL OUR FOOD BARRELS!** — Please remember our food barrels, which are located throughout the church.



Donations of nonperishable food items benefit many families and individuals who are clients of several local organizations that we support. Please note that foods past their expiration dates will have to be thrown away. Let's see if we can fill the barrels!

**JOIN THE WALKING GROUP!** — Reconnect with church members and get some exercise while walking outdoors. Organized by the Community Life & Education Committee, the walking group will meet on the first Wednesday of the month. Meet in the church parking lot at 5:30 pm. Walks will last about 45 minutes. Contact Deb Artman at [debartman53@gmail.com](mailto:debartman53@gmail.com) if interested.



**JOIN THE MEN'S BIBLE STUDY!** — The Men's Bible Study is meeting every Monday at 8:00 am via Zoom and in person. If you are interested in joining the group or if you have questions, contact Bill Dillon at (847) 956-2871 or Dave Berkow at (847) 323-2800.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT** — Please keep your giving to the church up-to-date by mailing in a check or by going online. For those who plan to start joining us for in-person, inside worship, there will be offering plates in the back of the church on Sunday mornings. By continuing to give, you continue to help your church pay its bills, make its payroll, and be a light in the world. To give online:

1. Go to [www.firstpresah.org](http://www.firstpresah.org).
2. Click on "DONATE" which is the top line of the website.
3. Select the fund from the drop-down menu.

Online giving can be done on a one-time basis or you can set up a recurring gift. It is easy and our website uses Secure Socket Layering (SSL) to protect personal credit information.

**FLOWERS FOR WORSHIP** — All have enjoyed the beautiful touch of flowers in worship. The Presbyterian Women Flower Committee wishes to thank all those who have faithfully contributed. Please consider contributing to the PW flower fund so that we may all enjoy the beauty they add each Sunday! Suggested donation is \$25. There are two ways to donate:



**Online at [firstpresah.org](http://firstpresah.org):**

1. Click on "DONATE" at the top of the website.
2. Select "PW-Flowers-Sunday" from the drop down. **Important:** In the "Optional Memo" line, please add date requested and details of dedication.

**By check:**

Made out to First Presbyterian Church. On memo line, write PW Flowers and include date and details of dedication. Thank you for your support. Questions? Contact Sue Henderson at [suhenco@comcast.net](mailto:suhenco@comcast.net).

**FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA** — We want to encourage you, if you have not done so already, to follow First Pres on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter. We post lots of church news, events, and special announcements and every time you like and share our posts you are helping spread the good word about our great church and make us more visible in the community. You can find us on Facebook at [facebook.com/firstpresah](https://facebook.com/firstpresah), Instagram [@firstpresah](https://instagram.com/firstpresah/) at [instagram.com/firstpresah/](https://instagram.com/firstpresah/) and Twitter [@firstpresah](https://twitter.com/firstpresah) at [twitter.com/firstpresah](https://twitter.com/firstpresah).



**WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY**

August 8, 2021: Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

Worship: 10:30 am in the Sanctuary / online at [firstpresah.org/media/live-stream/](http://firstpresah.org/media/live-stream/)

Scriptures: Ephesians 4:17-24, Ephesians 4:25-32

Preacher: TC Anderson

Sermon Title: "It's Chaos, Be Kind"

Music: Kathy Sobeski, soprano; Nick Pulikowski, tenor

# Prayer Requests

## **Healing & Comfort**

Mario Alberico  
Brian Aldrich  
Pat Almlad  
Mark Bishop  
Wendy Blanck  
Betty Lou Bukowski  
Dan Carlson  
Elaine Chen  
Mary Clarbour  
Stan Conning  
Carol Dahn  
Alice Davitt — friend of Kris Ward  
Kenyatta Fletcher — friend of Dawn & Lee Bruce  
Richard Ford — friend of Dawn & Lee Bruce  
Karl Gates — friend of Mary Kiepora  
George Gerner — cousin of Kelsey Fuentes  
Bill Ginnodo  
Gloria — friend of June Johnson  
Dorita & Houston Godfrey  
Jeanne Holl — grandniece of Myrtle Jessogne  
Ella Hurley  
Marylyn Jirsa  
Marjorie Kalivoda  
Kaitlin Kulick — friend of the Hockenberrys  
John Lamb — friend of Kris Ward  
Jeff Leach  
Linda Lock — sister of Tim Lock

Penny Lumsden — mother of Stu Lumsden  
Quentin Mare'  
Sean McClory — friend of Mario Alberico  
John McFayden  
Scott and Laura Morrison — friends of Mario & Claudia Alberico  
Gloria Oak  
Katie Reid — daughter of Lee Nelson  
Jim Richardson — brother of Jan Richardson  
Betty Roach  
Theresa Scola — friend of Meg Haddad  
Emma Scott— sister-in-law of Richard Scott  
Susan Scott  
Dee Sievertsen  
Ed Slivovsky  
Je'Anna Paris Smith  
Arne Stollfuss  
David Stratton — brother-in-law of Elaine Chen  
Fred & Heather Tellez — friends of the Fick Family  
Jaquan Thompson  
Dan Tsutsumi  
Wes Upton — friend of Ralph Larsen  
Marilyn Votava — sister of Judy Ayers  
Mick Ward — friend of Kris Ward  
Dick Wewger — father-in-law of Mark Bishop  
Quintin White — friend of Dawn & Lee Bruce

## **Sympathy to**

The Arkin family, on the death of **Ed Arkin**

**Cynthia and Doug Hiskes** & family, on the death of Cynthia's father, Keith Rabe

## **Congratulations to**

Brian and Marilyn Yantis, on the birth of their grandchildren, Elijah George Yantis and Ella Louise Francis

## **Serving in the Armed Services**

AMN Charles Arthur Brousseau, Air Force — son of Liz Moses and Bob Wendling  
Lt. Jack Carroll, Air Force — grandson of Tom and Susan Carroll  
MU3 Wesley Carroll, Navy — son of Kevin and Amy Carroll, grandson of JoAnn Thompson  
Maj. Michael B. Ford, US Army Reserves — stepson of Kris Ford  
Brandon Latuzek — nephew of Elaine Chen  
Geoffrey Martineau — brother of Lisa Martineau  
E5MM Marc Robert McGrath, Jr., Navy — grandson of Donald and Jacqueline Schultz  
Capt. John Olszewski, USMC — nephew of Steve and Lisa Olszewski  
2 LT Kristen Reese, Army — daughter of Jim and Becky Reese, sister of Adam and Brian Reese  
Sergeant Benjamin David Schultz, Air Force — grandson of Donald and Jacqueline Schultz  
Colonel Gretchen Wiltse — sister of Vincent and Heidi Wiltse