



# WYCKOFF

REFORMED CHURCH

WORSHIP GUIDE  
JUNE 6, 2021

Thanks for joining us for this week's worship service. As you gather this morning, take a moment to notice God's creation around you. Give thanks to God for what you see, hear, smell, and feel. Give thanks for the opportunity to gather together. Notice God's presence and welcome God in.

These resources are also available at [www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides)  
To participate in this service online, join us at [wrclive.org](http://wrclive.org) or on Facebook Live.

While we are all overjoyed to be together, please do not neglect our physical distancing guidelines. Six feet of separation should be maintained between individuals from different households. Masks should be worn while entering or exiting, but may be removed while seated. There are disposable masks and hand sanitizer on the tables at the entrance if you need either.

If you need to use a restroom, they are available through the Nursery School entrance of the Education Building, near the playground. Please wear your mask, use the hand sanitizer inside the entrance, limit the number of people using the restroom at one time, wash your hands properly afterwards, and please do not venture into the rest of the building.

There will not be a children's lesson today.

**Bold sections will be read aloud together**

\* Invites you to rise in body or in spirit

## GATHERED BY GOD

### GATHERING MUSIC

"SWEET HOUR OF PRAYER"  
The Bell Choir

### WELCOME

Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth, **Amen.**

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ!

### LIGHTING THE CANDLE

One: Jesus Christ

**All: is the Light of the World.**

One: The Light shines in the darkness,

**All: and the darkness did not overcome it.**

## INVITATION TO WORSHIP

PSALM 66:1-2, 4 (NRSV)

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;  
Sing the glory of his name;  
Give to him glorious praise!  
All the earth worships you;  
They sing praises to you,  
Sing praises to your name.

## \*SONG OF PRAISE

"ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING"

All creatures of our God and King,  
lift up your voice and with us sing:  
alleluia, alleluia!  
O burning sun with golden beam,  
and shining moon with silver gleam,  
O praise him, O praise him,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Earth ever fertile, day by day  
bring forth your blessings on our way;  
alleluia, alleluia!  
All flowers and fruits that in you grow,  
let this his glory also show:  
O praise him, O praise him,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,  
and worship him in humbleness,  
alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
and praise the Spirit, Three in One:  
O praise him, O praise him,  
alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

## SONG OF RENEWAL

"COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING"

Come, thou Fount of every blessing,  
tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
streams of mercy, never ceasing,  
call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount- I'm fixed upon it-  
mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer;  
hither by thy help I've come;  
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,  
safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger,  
wandering from the fold of God;  
he, to rescue me from danger,  
interposed his precious blood.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor  
daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let that grace now like a fetter,  
bind my wandering heart to thee:  
prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,  
prone to leave the God I love;  
here's my heart, oh, take and seal it;  
seal it for thy courts above.

### **PRAYER FOR RENEWAL**

### **WORSHIP SOURCEBOOK**

Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone. As we remember the lavish gift of your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. Amen.

### **PROMISE OF GRACE**

### **EZEKIEL 36:25-28 (NRSV)**

"I will sprinkle clean water upon you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. A new heart I will give you, and a new spirit I will put within you; and I will remove from your body the heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. I will put my spirit within you, and make you follow my statutes and be careful to observe my ordinances. Then you shall live in the land that I gave to your ancestors; and you shall be my people, and I will be your God."

### **FAMILY MOMENT**

Sara Christie

### **OFFERING**

*We respond to the love and grace of Jesus by giving back our whole lives to God in worship. In this offering, we give our financial gifts as a symbol that all we have comes from God and is to be used for God's glory. Please continue to support us! To give your gift online visit [www.wyckoffreformed.org/give](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/give); feel free to mail your offering, or leave it in the offering box in the Welcome Tent.*

## **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.

## **LISTENING TO GOD**

### **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

### **SCRIPTURE**

PSALM 1

### **SERMON**

"WHICH WAY?"  
Rev. Andy Kadzban

## **RESPONDING TO GOD**

### **CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM**

Annabelle Goodman  
Vivienne Leimer

### **CELEBRATION OF CONFIRMATION**

Alexa Carlson, Brandon Chanley, Madilyn Chanley, Sophia Del Buono, Carson DeMarco,  
Aidan Mack, Ella Turnamian

### **\*APOSTLES' CREED**

We join our voices together with Christians throughout the ages and across the world to proclaim these words:

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.**

**He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION**

As we celebrate communion this week, we ask you to bring your own grape juice and bread or cracker. For those who are unable to gather their own elements, a small number of pre-packaged elements will be available from the Welcome Tent when you arrive. If you are joining us from home, please feel free to join in communion as well! This is the table of Christ, and he welcomes ALL who are trusting in him for their salvation. Come, drink deeply and eat heartily, the body and blood of Jesus Christ!

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

### **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.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **\*SONG OF SENDING**

You were the Word at the beginning  
One with God, the Lord most high  
Your hidden glory in creation  
Now revealed in you, our Christ

### **"WHAT A BEAUTIFUL NAME"**

What a beautiful name it is  
What a beautiful name it is  
The name of Jesus Christ, our Lord  
What a beautiful name it is  
Nothing compares to this  
What a beautiful name it is  
The name of Jesus

You didn't want heaven without us  
So, Jesus you brought heaven down  
My sin was great, your love was greater  
What can separate us now

What a wonderful name it is

What a wonderful name it is  
The name of Jesus Christ, our Lord  
What a wonderful name it is  
Nothing compares to this  
What a wonderful name it is  
The name of Jesus

Death could not hold you, the veil tore before you  
You silence the boast of sin and grave  
The heavens are roaring the praise of your glory  
For you are raised to life again  
You have no rival, you have no equal  
Now and forever, God you reign  
Yours is the kingdom, yours is the glory  
Yours is the name above all names

What a powerful name it is  
What a powerful name it is  
The name of Jesus Christ, our Lord  
What a powerful name it is  
Nothing compares to this  
What a powerful name it is  
The name of Jesus

### **SENT WITH GOD'S BLESSING**

NUMBERS 6:24-26

"May the Lord bless you and keep you.  
May the Lord make his face to shine upon you  
and be gracious to you.  
May the Lord lift up his presence to you  
and give you his peace, now and always. Amen."

### **POSTLUDE**

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