



Sunday, September 13, 2020 Service – Ohana - Online

Faith Presbyterian Church

Sierra Vista, Arizona



PRELUDE “Blue Hawaii” - Robin and Ranger - Janis Wheat, Piano

INTROIT “Oceans” - Heather Carter, Patricia & Bianca Garcia and Christina Wyatt
accompanied by Anne Olson (2019)

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsively)

One: Those who do the will of God are Christ’s mother and sisters and brothers,

All: There are no outcasts in the family of God.

One: For all of you are one in Christ Jesus our Lord,

All: There are no dividing walls of hostility in the kingdom of God.

One: For there will be a great multitude that no one can count,

All: From every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages.

One: Of all ages and abilities, every one of us made in God’s image;

All: We are loved. We belong. We are the whole people of God.

OPENING HYMN “Come! Live in the Light!” #749

1. Come! live in the light!
Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom,
to live in the freedom of the city of God!

Refrain: We are called to act with justice.
We are called to love tenderly.
We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

2. Come! Open your heart!
Show your mercy to all those in fear!
We are called to be hope for the hopeless,
so all hatred and blindness will be no more!

Refrain: We are called to act with justice.
We are called to love tenderly.
We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

3. Sing! Sing a new song!
Sing of that great day when all will be one!
God will reign and we'll walk with each other as sisters
and brothers united in love!

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PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

**Merciful God, when we think of all the people Jesus ate with,
we discover they weren't much different from us.**

Sometimes they were afraid of the unknown.

Sometimes they felt they needed to appear powerful and in control.

Other times, they just needed to be told they were loved and cherished.

They weren't much different from us.

Sometimes they messed up and needed to be forgiven.

Sometimes they fell down and needed to be picked up.

Other times they hurt others and had no idea the pain they caused another.

**What we know today is that your table is wide enough and big enough
to accommodate all of us – just we are!**

**Help us to show the same love and grace to others in our Ohana
as we seek to follow the way of Jesus.**

Loving one another. Forgiving each other. Enjoying everyone! Amen.

Time of Silent Prayer

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: I believe that God forgives and sets us free

**All: and at the day's beginning, we commit ourselves
to following where Christ calls us and to loving one another. Amen.**

KEIKI SERMON Richard Carter

SPECIAL MUSIC "Song of the Islands" - Fred Whitley and George Wheat - Duet

New Testament Scripture – Luke 17:11-19

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³ they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶ He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they?" ¹⁸ Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

Holy Wisdom, Holy Word. Thanks be to God.

SERMON "All In The Family"

RESPONSE - Affirming the Church's Mission from the Iona Community

***We affirm that we worship one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit
In whose image we are made***

To whose service we are summoned,

By whose presence we are renewed:

This we believe.

We affirm that it is central to the mission of Christ

That we participate through word and action

To rejoice in the diversity of human culture,

To preserve the earth in all its beauty and frailty,

To witness to the love of God for every person,

And to invite all to share in that converting experience.

This we believe.

We affirm that through the power of the Holy Spirit,

The persecuted shall be lifted up and the wicked will fall,

The heartfelt prayers and hidden actions of God's people

Shall change for good the course of human history,

The ancient words of scripture shall continue to startle us with fresh insight.

This we believe

And to this we are committed

For the love of God, in the way of Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit.

DOXOLOGY (Traditional) #606

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.

ALOHA KAKOU AND OHANA LIFE / 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

CLOSING HYMN "God of the Sparrow" #22

1. God of the sparrow

God of the whale

God of the swirling stars

How does the creature say Awe

How does the creature say Praise

2. God of the earthquake

God of the storm

God of the trumpet blast

How does the creature cry Woe

How does the creature cry Save

3. God of the rainbow

God of the cross

God of the empty grave

How does the creature say Grace

How does the creature say Thanks

4. God of the hungry

God of the sick

God of the prodigal

How does the creature say Care

How does the creature say Life

5. God of the neighbour
God of the foe
God of the pruning hook
How does the creature say Love
How does the creature say Peace

6. God of the ages
God near at hand
God of the loving heart
How do your children say Joy
How do your children say Home

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

“ALOHA ‘OE” (Farewell to Thee) - Queen Lili'uokalani - Heather Carter and Richard Carter

A-lo-ha-'oe, A-lo-ha-'oe
Come Holy Spirit dwell among us now
One fond embrace, before we now depart
Until we meet again.

A-lo-ha-'oe, A-lo-ha-'oe
Come Holy Spirit dwell among us now
One fond farewell, before we now depart
Until we meet again.

POSTLUDE

“Maori Farewell Song” Kaihau & Scott - Janis Wheat, Piano

PARTICIPANTS:

The Reverend Renée Rico, Preacher
Deacon Paul Lewis - Worship Leader
Elders Heather & Richard Carter - Introit and Children's Time
Sharon Keene & Janis Wheat - Musicians
Elder Paul Hay - Video/Tech
Elder Judy Mayhew - Photos

ZOOM COFFEE HOUR Happens at 11:15 a.m.

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