

The Lord's Day Worship

May 5, 2024

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

The congregation's responses are in *bold italics*.

**Please stand as you are able*

Prelude *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* arr. Oliver Holden

Reading of the Law *I Timothy 6:11-14*

The Lord be with you.
And also with you!

***Hymns of Grace #110**

Thine is the Glory

Confession of Sin *William Bridge (1600-1670)*

Lord, You have made a covenant of grace with a poor man, a covenant which says, "I will put my law within them." So now, Lord, seeing that Jesus Christ has founded this covenant in His blood, and I am one of those for whom He made satisfaction: write Your law in my inward parts, that I may do all Your will. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon *James 1:12*

***The Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you!
And also with you!

***Song of Praise** *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.*

***Profession of Faith** *Apostles' Creed (Traditional)*

*I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
Born of the Virgin Mary,
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, dead, and buried;
He descended into hell;
The third day he rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
The holy catholic church;*

*The communion of saints;
The forgiveness of sins;
The resurrection of the body;
And the life everlasting. Amen.*

Call To Offering *Hebrews 13:14-16*

Offertory *Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts* Palmer/Baker

***Song of Thanksgiving** *Doxology*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Prayer of Dedication *I Kings 8:56-58*

Anthem *Do This In Remembrance of Me* arr. Hal Hopson

Minute for Missions

Scripture *Genesis 21:1-7* **p. 15**

The Word of God for the People of God!
Thanks be to God!

Sermon *"A Son is Given"*

Invitation and Prayer

John Knox's Liturgy (1550)

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 and ever. Amen.*

Words of Institution

I Corinthians 11:23-26

Sharing in the Bread and the Cup

Prayer after the Meal

Westminster Directory of Public Worship (1645)

*** Hymns of Grace #354**

The Church's One Foundation

***Charge & Benediction**

***Postlude** *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee* arr. Beethoven/Marsh

Sermon Notes

Servers

Today's Lay Reader	Linda Janiak
Usher	Sang-il Lee
Communion Server	Chip Roark

Prayer Requests

Our session & church leaders	Aaron Albrecht
Our nation & elected leaders	Glenn Jefferson
God's guidance at APC	Silas Allen
Ezra Soto	Collin Adams
Margaret Liebchen	William (Jo Jo) Phillips
Alice Barkdoll	Kay Gagnon
Billy Robertson	Emily Ragsdale
Essie Moore	Jo Ann Houchins
Mike Smith	Sue Pearson

People at APC

Session Elders

Gary Andrews ('24)
Administration

Kevin deBernard ('24)
Outreach

Stephanie Moehlenkamp ('24)
Discipleship

Barbie Andrews ('25)
Congregational Care

Ron Coleman ('25)
Congregational Care

Mark Younkin ('25)
Congregational Care

John Erb
Clerk of Session

Staff

Rev. Ed Soto
Minister of Word & Sacrament

Nancy Dalton
Church Secretary

Stephanie Moehlenkamp
Choir Director

Linda Giles
Organist & Pianist

Gary Andrews
Co-Treasurer

Mark Younkin
Co-Treasurer

May Events

May 1 12 PM Men's Lunch - Colonial Restaurant

May 2 4-5:30 PM Craft & Connect

May 5 10 AM Worship/Communion
Collect Two Cents-A-Meal Offering

May 9 4-5:30 PM Craft & Connect

May 12 10 AM Worship/Communion

May 13 4:00 PM Administration Meeting

May 14 4:30 PM Discipleship Meeting

May 15 12 PM Men's Lunch - Taste of Italy

May 16 4-5:30 PM Craft & Connect

May 18 8 AM Session Retreat

May 19 10 AM Worship/Communion

May 20 5 PM Outreach Committee Meeting

May 23 June Newsletter Deadline
4-5:30 PM Craft & Connect

May 23 -26 Ed at Ligonier National Conference

May 26 10 AM Worship/Communion

May 27 Memorial Day - APC Office Closed

May 30 4-5:30 PM Craft & Connect

Announcements

The sanctuary flowers this morning are given by the Rev. Glenn & Cynthia Coleman to the Glory of God.

Volunteers needed to help with Children's Church in May Sign-up sheet can be found on the bulletin board.

May Operation Christmas Child Donation Items: Small Flashlights with Batteries, Socks for 2-4 Yr. Old Girls, Socks for 2-4 Yr. Old Boys

Pastor Ed will at the Ligonier National Conference, May 23 - 26. If you have a pastoral concern, please contact the church office or a session elder.

10:00 AM

Welcome to worship at
**ALTAVISTA PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**



Greetings!

We welcome all to this service of worship. If you are a Christian visiting with us today, we greet you in the name of our common Lord. If you are not a believer, we greet you as a friend and trust that you will sense the warmth and genuineness of our reception. We invite everyone here to participate with our congregation as we sing, pray, and give attention to God's Word.

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*Equipping the saints for ministry,
Building up the body of Christ.
Eph. 4:12*