
SENDING GOD'S PEOPLE

Benediction | The Rev. Tim Dyck

Recessional | The Saints' Hallelujah *setting by* Luther Henderson

*please stand as you are able

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Administrative Commission

Elder Larry Lamont, First Presbyterian Church, Monticello, IA (moderator)
The Rev. Howard Chapman, First Presbyterian Church, Marion
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The Rev. Matt Paul, St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, Iowa City
The Rev. Deb Kinney, First Presbyterian Church, Burlington

Also Participating

Rev. Lucille King, Honorably Retired, Cedar Rapids
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Elder Paul Synder, Postville (saxophone)
St. Andrew Brass Ensemble (Lee Rabe, director)
Elder Lora Morgan Dunham, St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, Iowa City (soloist)
Matthew Penning (organ + piano)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All are invited to the Fellowship Hall following worship for a reception and to congratulate Rev. Dyck.

The John D. McCann Scholarship is a grant and scholarship program specifically for Seminary Students under care of the Presbytery of East Iowa. The fund was established in 1985 in memory and in honor of the Rev. John D. McCann. Rev. McCann served in the Presbytery of East Iowa for nearly two decades. He was Director of Clinical Pastoral Education for the Alcohol Treatment Center of the University of Iowa. He served for many years on the Committee on Preparation for Ministry.



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SERVICE of ORDINATION | Timothy Dyck

November 13, 2011 3:00 pm

And I heard
the voice of the Lord saying,
"Whom shall I send,
and who will go for us?"
Then I said,
"Here I am! Send me."

-Isaiah 6:8

GATHERING GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude | Triumphant March on Now Thank We All Our God *by* Sigfrid Karg-Elert

***Call to Worship** | *from* Psalm 47 *led by* Elder Ann Luedtka

Clap your hands, all you peoples; shout to God with loud songs of joy.

For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome, a great king over all the earth.

God has gone up with a shout, the LORD with the sound of a trumpet.

Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises.

***Gathering Hymn** | All Creatures of Our God and King *blue hymnal, #455*

1: All, *in unison and harmony*

2: Men

3: Organ only

4: All, *in unison and harmony*

5: Women + Children

6: All, *in unison*

***Call to Confession** | Elder Paul Heidger

The proof of God's amazing love is this: While we were sinners, Christ died for us.

**Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness,
so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.**

Trusting in God's faithfulness and compassion, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

***Prayer of Confession + Assurance of Pardon**

O Lord, in your word you tell us that when we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves. We confess that we continually find ourselves in that deception. We seek to go our own way and to do the ministries to which you have called us in our strength and power. We often ignore you, your timing and your ways in our desire to bring about your kingdom. Like Abraham and Sarah of old, we often seek to fulfill your purposes through our own efforts. Forgive us for serving you in our own way instead of following in the footsteps of Jesus.

If anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

Men: What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us?

Women and children: He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else?

Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us.

Thanks be to God.

*Sharing God's Peace

May the peace, love and grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you

And also with you.

Let us greet one another in the name of the Lord.

HEARING GOD'S WORD

*Sung Prayer of Illumination | Speak, O Lord *see insert stanza 1:* solo by Elder Lora Morgan Dunham

Old Testament Readings | Exodus 19:3-6, Psalm 103:1-5 + Isaiah 40:27-31

as read and interpreted by Pastor Dr. Jackie Thompson, dance; Elder Paul Synder, saxophone; Matthew Penning, piano; and Rev. Matt Paul, reader.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon Reading | Jonah 3

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

OT Bible, pg. 860

Sermon | The Rev. Howard Chapman

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Today's offering will benefit the John D. McCann Scholarship for seminary students (see back)

Offertory | In Christ Alone *setting by Mark Hayes*

*Congregational Response | The Doxology *blue hymnal, #593*

*Prayer of Dedication | Rev. Matt Paul

Almighty God and Loving Father, you have given us all the good things we have in life.

So we offer to you our whole lives – our possessions, our time and our abilities - with joy and thanksgiving. We thank you for your gracious love. Please take these offerings and use them to your glory. May our lives be transformed as we live for the sake of him who offered himself for us - our risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Congregational Hymn | In Christ Alone *see insert*

Service of Ordination

Moderator Elder Larry Lamont, The Rev. Nancy Oehler Love, The Rev. Lucille King

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

We shall affirm our faith in God's love for the world and its people:

God so loved the world that he gave his only son, that whosoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. God sent his son into the world not to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved. This is our faith. Lord, help our faith to grow.

Congregational Hymn | The Power of the Cross *see insert*

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

It is our delight, God of the universe, to give you thanks through Jesus Christ. You said, 'Let there be light', and the light came, to shine on in our darkness. For you the earth has brought forth life in all its forms. You have created us to hear your word, to do your will, and to be filled with your love.

It is right to thank you.

You sent your Son to be for us the way we need to follow and the truth we need to know.

Your Son came to give us life and to set us free from sin. His cross takes our guilt away. You send your Holy Spirit to strengthen and to guide, to warn and to revive your Church. Therefore, with all who love you, who surround us on every side, countless as heaven's stars, we praise you for our creation and our calling, with loving and joyful hearts.

Holy God, holy and merciful, holy and just, glory and goodness come from you.

Glory to you, most high and gracious God.

The Words of Institution

God of the past and the present, with this bread and wine we remember your son.

We thank you for his life, his death, and his resurrection.

We look for his coming in glory and, in him, we give ourselves to you.

God of love, send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that as we receive this bread and wine we remember Jesus' great love in that his body was torn and his life's blood was poured out for us and not for us only, but for the whole world.

Called to follow him, help us to reconcile and unite.

Called to serve, give us hope in our calling.

Prayers of the People + The Lord's Prayer | Rev. Deb Kinney

blue hymnal, pg. 16 (Traditional)

Distribution of the Elements

Deck Yourself, My Soul, with Gladness *setting by J.S. Bach text at blue hymnal, #506*

Closing Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, we thank you with all our heart for your mercy and grace. Give us now and in the days to come a living hope in you; and as we serve you in the world, help us look and work for that day when at your name every knee shall bow, and every tongue confess you Lord to the glory of God the Father. Amen.