

# Affton Presbyterian Church

Calling, equipping, and sending people to experience life with Jesus Christ

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**August 21, 2022**

**21<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**

**Service for the Lord's Day**

Words of Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

↑Call to Worship

The Spirit and the Church say, "Come."

**The people of the Word say, "Come."**

Let everyone who is thirsty come.

**Receive the gift of the water of life.**

↑Hymn #273

"O God the Creator"

Prayer of Confession

**Gracious God,  
our sins are too heavy to carry,  
too real to hide,  
and too deep to undo.  
forgive what our lips tremble to name,  
what our hearts can no longer bear,  
and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment.**

**Set us free from a past we cannot change;  
open us to a future in which we can be changed;  
and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and  
image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.**

Assurance of Pardon

#276 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

↑Passing the Peace

Prayer for Illumination

**Loving God, fountain of every blessing, open us to your life-giving word, and fill us with your Holy Spirit so that living water may flow through our hearts— a spring of hope for a thirsty world; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Scripture

Matthew 6:25-34 Sermon

↑Hymn #278      “Our God to whom We Turn”

↑Affirmation of Faith      *The Apostle’s Creed*

**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.**

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Offering

↑Response of Praise      “Doxology”

↑Prayer of Dedication

**God of Love, thank you for your word and presence here today. Thank you for all you have poured into our lives. We ask to become full and active participants in the great work you are doing in the world. Continue to fill us everyday with your life and love. Let us share your peace, kindness, love, and life with all we meet. Amen.**

↑Hymn #267      “All Things Bright and Beautiful”

↑Charge and Benediction

Postlude

**The people serving you...**

Musician:      Lynette Milles

Liturgist:      Verna Pickles

Leading Worship: Erin-Duffy-Burke\*

## **Please remember in your prayers...**

Bill Campey, Barb Cavicchia, Joanne Goin, Joe Maze, Mary Philips

### **Getting in touch with the pastor:**

If you are a visitor wanting to know more about Affton Presbyterian Church, a lifelong member looking for information or care, or just want to say hello, please don't hesitate to reach out to Pastor Hannah Zyla. She would be happy to meet and talk with you at your convenience.

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\*Erin Duffy-Burke is originally from Chicago, IL but loves making St. Louis her home. She has served as a campus minister in Dallas, TX and at UMSL here in St. Louis, and attended graduate school in theology and ministry in Berkeley, California, at the Graduate Theological Union. She holds master's degrees in Multicultural Ministry and Christian Spirituality. Today, she is called into service as a spiritual director, preacher and presider, birth doula, writer, and co-founder of Sophia Rising, an emergent collaborative ministry of women's spirituality. She is joyful to be with you today to celebrate our life in Christ.

### *ZOOM Instructions for homebound:*

*Meet with us online or via phone at 10 am:*

*Look under "Updates" on our site to join online.*

*or call 312-626-6799 and when prompted.*

*enter the Meeting ID: 942 617 477 (followed by #).*

*When asks for a Participant ID number, dial #.*

*On the phone, dial \*6 to mute or unmute yourself.*

*If asked for a password, enter 3410.*