

# Affton Presbyterian Church

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

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**August 28, 2022**

**22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**

## Service for the Lord's Day

Words of Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

↑Call to Worship

Sing out to the Lord, all the earth!

**Shout for joy, for sorrow, for rage and for resilience to God!**

God has done marvelous things for us;

**and God hears us when we call.**

God's steadfast love endures forever!

**Let us worship God!**

↑Hymn #473

"For The Beauty of the Earth"

Prayer of Confession

**Dearest God, we confess that we sometimes have a hard time with confession. You came to us in such humility, showing us that there is strength and beauty in vulnerability, but too often we follow the idols of perfection, people-pleasing, and prestige. We become wrapped up in the anxiety of what-others-think, rather than grounded in knowing-we-are-yours. Or we confuse humility with self-debasement, and forget that you called us very good. Instead of turning outward to meet you in others, trusting in our worth, we shut ourselves up, even to the point of causing harm to self, others, and the world. Forgive us. Help us. Draw us gently back to you, secure in the assurance that we belong to you.**

Assurance of Pardon

↑Response "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines On Me"

↑Passing the Peace

Prayer for Illumination

**Guide us, O God, by your Word and Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Scripture

Luke 14:1, 7-14

Sermon

↑Hymn #391

“Take My Life”

↑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

**Giving God, you call us to show hospitality to strangers. Turn this portion of your gifts we offer back to you into hospitality for all who are lost, alone, or despairing. Cultivate love in our hearts, spirits, and bodies, so that we might know ourselves to be loved, know everyone we meet to be loved, and know how to use the gifts you have given us to share Christ’s love with all. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.**

↑Hymn #472

“O Sing to the Lord”

↑Charge and Benediction

Postlude

**The people serving you...**

Musician: Lynette Milles  
Liturgist: Suzanne Baybo  
Pastor: Rev. Hannah Zyla

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

Suzanne Baybo, Jean Bush, Bill Campey, Barb Cavicchia, Joanne Goin, Joe Maze, Karen Murawski, 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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*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.*