



PART 2

# WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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*Please silence your cell phones.*

*\*All who are able may stand.*

## THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

June 27, 2021

11:00 A.M.

### GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude

“There Is a Redeemer” with arr. by Lloyd Larson  
“I Know That My Redeemer Lives”

*I know that my Redeemer lives, glory, hallelujah!*

*What comfort this sweet sentence gives, glory, hallelujah!*

*Shout on, pray on, we're gaining ground, glory, hallelujah!*

*The dead's alive and the lost is found, glory hallelujah!*

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Sentences

Elder Hope Turnbull

*Leader: Which commandment in the law is greatest?*

**All: Love your God.**

*Leader: And the second?*

**All: Love your neighbor as yourself.**

*Leader: Love with all your heart.*

**All: Love with all your soul.**

*Leader: Love with all your mind.*

**All: Love with all your strength.**

*Leader: On these commandments hang all the law and the prophets.*

**All: Blessed are those whose delight is in the law of our God.**

\*Hymn #443

“There Is a Redeemer”

GREEN

\*Unison Prayer of Confession

**Lord, no matter how righteous we imagine ourselves to be, your perfect word reveals our imperfections all too clearly. No matter how hard we strive to fulfill the requirements of your law, we always fall short. We have forgotten that righteousness and perfection come not from rules and regulations but from faith. We have ignored the truth that your righteousness comes from faith. Open our eyes to see that all we have accomplished is nothing compared to knowing Christ as our Lord. Let us count everything as loss, that we might press on toward the goal for the prize of your heavenly call in Christ Jesus. In the name of the Savior we pray. Lord, hear our prayers. . .**

**(A time for silent prayers of confession . . .)**

The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

“There are two ways, one of life and one of death, and there is a great difference between the two ways. The way of life is this. First of all, you shall love the God who made you. Second, love your neighbor as yourself. And all things you would not want done to you, do not do to another person.”  
From *The Didache* (“The Teaching”), a first-century A.D. writing on ethics, rituals, and church organization

*“Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.”*

*Romans 12:21*

*“Being a Christian is less about cautiously avoiding sin than about courageously and actively doing God’s will.” Eric Metaxas, Summary of some of Dietrich Bonhoeffer (1906-1945) German Lutheran pastor, theologian, anti-Nazi dissident who was martyred by the Nazis*

\*Responsive Assurance of Pardon

*Leader: Our Holy God, Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, forgives our sins in Jesus Christ.*

**All: May we always walk in the mercy and paths of God’s righteousness. Thanks be to God!**

\*Gloria Patri

**Glory Be to the Father**

**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.**

## **PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD**

Children’s Sermon

Prayer for Illumination *(based on Ephesians 1:17-19)*

**God of our Lord Jesus Christ, may you give us a spirit of wisdom and revelation as we come to know you, so that, with the eyes of our hearts enlightened, we may know what is the hope to which you have called us, what are the riches of your glorious inheritance among us, and what is the immeasurable greatness of your power for us who believe, according to the working of your great power. Amen.**

Old Testament Lesson

*Exodus 20:1-17*

Elder Hope Turnbull

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 5:21-48

Sermon

**THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT** Dr. Philip K. Gladden

“Think Again! Part 2”

A Time for Reflection

Pastoral Prayer with the 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.**

## **GIVING THANKS TO GOD**

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*“You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the Lord.”*

*Leviticus 19:18*

*“In everything do to others as you would have them do to you; for this is the law and the prophets.”*  
*Matthew 7:12*

Offertory

**“There Is a Redeemer”** arr. by Phillip Keveren

*Thank you O my Father, for giving us Your Son,  
And leaving Your Spirit ‘til the work on earth is done.*

\*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

*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.*

\*The Affirmation of Faith *From “The Heidelberg Catechism” (1563)*

*Q: What is your only comfort in life and in death?*

**A: That I am not my own, but belong — body and soul, in life and in death — to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.**

*Q: What must you know to live and die in the joy of this comfort?*

**A: Three things: first, how great my sin and misery are; second, how I am set free from all my sins and misery; third, how much I am to thank God for such deliverance.**

\*Hymn #435

**“There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy”**

IN BABILONE

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

*\*All who are able may stand.*



**SAVE THE DATE!  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10  
CAMP KIRKWOOD SUNDAY  
WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION  
LUNCH**

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

Sunday, June 27	9:30 am	Alternative Sunday School Class via Zoom
	10:00 am	Living Stones (Children) Sunday School Class via Zoom
	11:00 am	Worship in-person and live-stream
Monday, June 28	7:00-8:00 pm	Zoom Bible Study
Wednesday, June 30	10:00-11:00 am	Zoom Bible study

**NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

\* **Please join** the minister for a Zoom Bible Study on either Monday, June 28 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. or Wednesday, June 30 from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Check your email on Monday for the Zoom links. This week we will read and discuss Matthew 6:1-18. Do you consider yourself to be a pious person? Does that strike you as positive or negative? Let's find out what Jesus has to say about "practicing your piety."



*The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary today are given in loving memory of William J. Carone, Sr., by Mary Carone and family. We love you, We miss you!*



**The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper  
Sunday, July 4**

We will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper during worship (in-person and lifestream) on Sunday, July 4. Individual, pre-packaged communion sets will be available as you enter the sanctuary. If you are worshipping online, please have your elements of bread and cup ready so you can participate in the communion with our Lord and one another.