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* Please stand if you are able *

Being a community of devoted believers, we are:
Gathered by the Holy Spirit

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL to WORSHIP

- Leader: Gather us in, the brokenhearted and the joyful.
- ALL: Gather us in, the weak and the strong.**
- Leader: Gather us in, the fearful and the brave.
- ALL: Gather us in, the young and the old.**
- Leader: Gather us in, to sing of God's works.
- ALL: Gather us in, to praise Jesus Christ.**
- Leader: Gather us in, to worship and wonder.
- ALL: Gather us in, to know of God's love.**

***OPENING SONG † Gather Us In (vs. 1 & 4)**

Here in this place new light is streaming now is the darkness vanished away
 See in this space our fears and our dreamings brought here to you in the light of this day

Gather us in, the lost and forsaken, Gather us in, the blind and the lame
 Call to us now and we shall awaken we shall arise at the sound of our name

Not in the dark of buildings confining not in some heaven light years away
 But here in this place the new light is shining now is the kingdom, now is the day

Gather us in and hold us forever, Gather us in and make us your own
 Gather us in, all peoples together
 Fire of love in our flesh and our bones, Fire of love in our flesh and our bones

CALL to CONFESSION

PRAYER of CONFESSION

We cannot hide from You, Everlasting God, even if we were to go from one edge of creation to the next. You speak to us of compassion, but the ways in which we treat others show we have not been listening. You explain your hopes to us, and we act as if we don't have a clue as to what is going on. We run as fast, and as far, from You as we can, and wonder why we have no energy to follow Jesus. Yet You search for us in all the deserted places we flee to so You can take us by the hand to show us the way to life with You. You heal our broken hearts so we can offer them to others. You fill us with your strength so we can bind ourselves to Jesus, our Savior, following Him to serve all of your children.

PROCLAMATION of GRACE

*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.

*SHARING the PEACE OF CHRIST

*PRAISE RESPONSE † All the People Said Amen

*And all the people said Amen
And all the people said Amen
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends
And all the people said Amen*

Growing in faith

*HYMN #23 † God of Abraham Praise (vs. 1& 4)

The God of Abr'ham praise, who reigns enthroned above;
the Ancient of eternal days, and God of Love;
Jehovah, great I AM!
by earth and heaven confessed;
we bow and bless the sacred name forever blest.

The whole triumphant host give thanks to God on high;
"Hail, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!"
They ever cry;
Hail, Abraham's God and mine!
I join the heavenly lays; all might and majesty are Thine,
and endless praise.

PRAYER of ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE † Isaiah 40:21-31

SERMON † "Being Grasshoppers"

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LORD'S SUPPER

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' 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.

PRAISE SONG † I Know

sung by Pat Ambrose & Kenley Wood

You don't answer all my questions, but You hear me when I speak
You don't keep my heart from breakin'
but when it does, You weep with me

You're so close that I can feel You when I've lost the words to pray
And though my eyes have never seen You
I've seen enough to say

REFRAIN

***I know that You are good I know that You are kind
I know that You are so much more
Than what I leave behind
I know that I am loved I know that I am safe
'Cause even in the fire, to live is Christ, to die is gain
I know that You are good***

I don't understand the sorrow but You're calm within the storm
Sometimes this weight is overwhelming but I don't carry it alone

You're still close when I can't feel You I don't have to be afraid
And though my eyes have never seen You I've seen enough to say

REFRAIN

On my darkest day from my deepest pain
Through it all, my heart, will choose to sing Your praise **(3x)**

REFRAIN

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE with 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.

Going to share the good news of God's love

OFFERING of OUR LIVES and GIFTS

***DOXOLOGY**

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

***PRAYER of DEDICATION**

***CLOSING HYMN † It is Well With my Soul (vs. 1, 3 & 4)**

sung by Pat Ambrose

When peace like a river attendeth my way,
when sorrows like sea billows roll;
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
"It is well, it is well with my soul."

My sin oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!
my sin, not in part, but the whole,
is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more;
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!

REFRAIN

It is well with my soul; it is well, it is well with my soul.

O Lord haste the day when my faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;
the trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend;
even so, it is well with my soul.

REFRAIN (2x)

CHARGE and BLESSING

Carnegie Presbyterian Church is a caring and serving community of devoted believers in Jesus Christ called to inspire and nurture the spiritual health and physical well-being of our neighboring communities.



INSTRUCTIONS to CONNECT for WORSHIP

Connect by Phone, Computer or Smart Device.

Everything you need to join Sunday worship is listed below.
All the numbers remain the same from week to week.
Cut out and keep them handy!

PHONE CALL

Call: **1-312-626-6799**

Enter access code **634 764 368** with a #, and then another #

You will be able to hear the worship service.

COMPUTER *(with or without a camera)*

Enter link: **<https://zoom.us/j/634764368>**

It will take you to Zoom

Works best on Chrome, join with computer audio if you desire.

You may need to unlock video at the pop-up bar, bottom of the screen.

SMART DEVICE *(smartphone, tablets, etc.)*

Download the App – **Zoom Meeting App**

You will enter this meeting ID **634 764 368**

