

Order of Worship

Prelude "Rigaudon" Andre Campra / arr. S. Drummond Wolff

Welcome and Announcements Rev. H. Neely Gaston, D. D.

Call to Worship (from Psalm 40:5 and Psalm 77:11, 13-14)

Let us remember the deeds of the LORD; and His wonders of old.

Many, O LORD, are the wonders which You have done, And Your thoughts toward us; There is none to compare with You. If we would declare and speak of them, they would be too numerous to count.

Your way, O God, is holy; What god is great like our God?

You are the God who works wonders; You have made known Your strength among the peoples.

Let us worship, remember, and give thanks to God for all He has done for us

*Bible Song 314 "God's Kindness to His Church" LYONS

*Invocation and 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.

Hymn 699 "Like a River Glorious" WYE VALLEY

Psalter Reading Psalm 40:1-11 (*Trinity Hymnal* page 799)

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; and 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. *universal or world-wide

Gloria Patri "Glory Be to the Father" [TH 734] MEINEKE

Children's Sermon

Silent Prayer "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" arr. Wilbur Held

Prayer

Offertory "Meditation on Psalm 121" Don Michael Dicie

*Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow" [TH 731] OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer

Scripture Joshua 4:1-10

¹ When the whole nation had finished crossing the Jordan, the LORD said to Joshua, ² "Choose twelve men from among the people, one from each tribe, ³ and tell them to take up twelve stones from the middle of the Jordan, from right where the priests are standing, and carry them over with you and put them down at the place where you stay tonight." ⁴ So Joshua called together the twelve men he had appointed from the Israelites, one from each tribe, ⁵ and said to them, "Go over before the ark of the LORD your God into the middle of the Jordan. Each of you is to take up a stone on his shoulder, according to the number of the tribes of the Israelites, ⁶ to serve as a sign among you. In the future, when your children ask you, 'What do these stones mean?' ⁷ tell them that the flow of the Jordan was cut off before the ark of the covenant of the LORD. When it crossed the Jordan, the waters of the Jordan were cut off. These stones are to be a memorial to the people of Israel forever." ⁸ So the Israelites did as Joshua commanded them. They took twelve stones from the middle of the Jordan, according to the number of the tribes of the Israelites, as the LORD had told Joshua; and they carried them over with them to their camp, where they put them down. ⁹ Joshua set up the twelve stones that had been in the middle of the Jordan at the spot where the priests who carried the ark of the covenant had stood. And they are there to this day. ¹⁰ Now the priests who carried the ark remained standing in the middle of the Jordan until everything the LORD had commanded Joshua was done by the people, just as Moses had directed Joshua. The people hurried over,

Sermon "Crossing Over"

Prayer

*Hymn 635 "How Good It Is to Thank the Lord" ST. PETERSBURG

*Closing Prayer

*Benediction

*Postlude "C Major Postlude: Allegro Moderato" Franciszek Walczynski

Announcements for May 8, 2022

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of Lyn Gaston on her birthday, Libby Gaston, and Ann Simpson by Neely Gaston.

Thanks to all of our incredible volunteers who helped make our Teacher Appreciation Meal a success.

The Session meets Sunday, May 15th and the WOC meets Sunday, May 29th.

The WOC are sponsoring a Community Yard Sale on Saturday, May 14th from 8:00-1:00 p.m. Table rental is \$25. We will also sell BBQ plates. All of our proceeds are going to Ukraine Relief and Rwanda Missions. If you are interested in participating in the yard sale contact Mary Beth Burton.

The York County Choral Society will present A German Requiem by Johannes Brahms at Oakland Baptist Church on Sunday, May 22, 2022. The concert begins at 4:00pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door or on-line at www.yorkcountychoralsociety.org for \$20 (general), \$10 (seniors 65+), and \$5 (students).

When using the church facilities, please make sure to turn off all lights and lock all doors.

Special Offerings:

In Honor of John Agee by Lucy Melton

Donations for "The Graduate Survival Guide":

- Union ARP Church
- Women's Ministry
- Gene & Nancy Bailey
- David & Jane McCain
- Bill & Terry Gladden
- Jerry & Carolyn Locke - In Honor of Dean, Steve, and Margo Jackson
- Rob & Katherine Dodson
- Barry & Robin Dodson

Upcoming Events

Wednesday May 11, 2022

6:00 p.m. - Fellowship Meal, Bible Study, Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 12, 2022

6:00-8:00 p.m. - Girl Scouts meet in Fellowship Hall

Sunday, May 15, 2022

- 10:00 a.m. - Adult Bible Study
- 11:00 a.m. - Worship
- Session Meets in Conference Room

May Birthdays & Anniversaries

May 8 – Scott & Kathy Rishebarger	May 23 – Andy & Sandy Bennett
May 10 – Lyn Gaston	May 24 – Ann Simpson
May 10 – Scott Rishebarger	May 25 – Reid Carrico
May 11 – Kathy Rishebarger	May 26 – Rob Dodson
May 14 – Alissa Smith	May 26 – Pete & Mary Beth Burton
May 20 – Nancy Bailey	May 27 – Mark & Debbie Bennett

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2022
THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER
MOTHERS' DAY



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Welcome in the name of Christ to all who gather for worship at Union Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. As you join us for worship, we hope that you will sense God's presence, be caught up in joyful praise, be challenged by God's Word, and leave strengthened to live for Christ in the world. If you do not have a church home in this community, we encourage you to consider uniting with us in our work and worship.