



9:00 AM WORSHIP

WELCOME

Judy Hockenberry

✦ CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We gather for instruction.

All: **We come to learn about the ways of God.**

One: We gather to praise our Creator.

All: **We come seeking wisdom and discernment.**

One: Let us worship God.

✦ “BE THOU MY VISION”

arr. Hendrickson

✦ PASSING THE PEACE

One: The peace of Jesus Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

One: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROVERBS 1:2-7

MESSAGE

“The Golden Ticket”

Alex Lang

Scripture: 1 Kings 10:1-7; 23-24

COMMISSIONING OF MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION TRIP

PARTICIPANTS

TC Anderson

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

SHARING OUR GIFTS

“Everyday People”

Sylvester Stewart

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✦ “LET IT BE”

Lennon & McCartney

✦ BENEDICTION

Alex Lang

✦ Please stand as you are able.

Compass: Ellen Anderson, vocals; TC Anderson, guitar/vocals; Amy Carroll, keyboard; Grace Carroll, vocals; Kevin Carroll, bass; AJ Coleman, drums; Adam Hendrickson, guitar/vocals; Beth Osborn, vocals; Greg Schultz, saxophone/synth

WELCOME, GUESTS!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning.

Please sign the Friendship Pad, pass it along the pew, and introduce yourself to those around you after the service. Stop by the Welcome Center in the Narthex (lobby) to pick up information that will acquaint you with our church services and programs. You are also invited to join the conversation on Facebook, at facebook.com/firstpresah, and Twitter, at @FirstPresAH. We look forward to connecting with you again.

CHILD CARE

Children of all ages are warmly welcomed and encouraged to participate in worship. Child care is available (infants through age four) in the Christian Education Wing (8:45 am – 11:45 am).

CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

From September through May, Sunday morning Christian education classes are held for all ages. These include classes for preschool, elementary, middle school, and high school students, as well as education and discussion groups for adults. To learn more, visit firstpresah.org or call the church office at 847-255-5900.

SPECIAL ASSISTANCE

For worship in the Sanctuary, large print bulletins, large print hymn packets, and hearing amplifiers (some with T-Coil lanyard adapters) are available from the ushers.

IMPORTANT WORSHIP REMINDERS

Please silence cell phones and refrain from taking photos or recording the worship service. Services are webcast live at firstpresah.org/media/live-stream. To download or listen to a podcast of today’s sermon (available soon), visit firstpresah.org/media/podcast. Past sermons and other educational broadcasts are available through the Media section of our website.

**First Presbyterian Church
of Arlington Heights**

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Organized in 1855*



“The purpose of education is to give to the body
and to the soul all the beauty
and all the perfection of which they are capable.”
— Plato

**SERVICE FOR THE LORD’S DAY
TRINITY SUNDAY**

**JUNE 16, 2019
9:00 & 10:30 AM**

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10:30 AM WORSHIP

GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE "Holy, Holy, Holy" *arr. Mark Hayes*
with Toccata from Symphony No. 5 by C.M. Widor
Chuck Beech, piano; Chris Urban, organ
The prelude is your invitation to quiet preparation
for the worship of Almighty God.

WELCOME Alex Lang

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✦ HYMN 1 "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" Nicaea

CALL TO CONFESSION TC Anderson

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy and merciful God, we can be so sure of what we know that we fail to make room for the wisdom of others. We confess the sins of arrogance and pride. We confess the sin of having a closed mind, unwilling to hear the wisdom of others. Forgive us when we judge others by the titles attached to their names. Forgive us when we fail to learn from life experiences instead of just books. Open our hearts and minds to learn from those who have been taught through life experience. Create a fertile space within us, that we might receive the gift of your wisdom.

SILENT CONFESSION

...in Jesus' name we pray. **Amen.**

WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

✦ GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 581)

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.

✦ PASSING THE PEACE

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COMMUNITY LIFE

HEARING GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION TC Anderson

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Proverbs 1:2-7
(Pew Bible, p. 509) TC Anderson
The Word of the Lord/**Thanks be to God!**

ANTHEM "Be Thou My Vision" *arr. Robert Hunter*
Text from Hymn 450
Men's Chorus

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING 1 Kings 10:1-7; 23-24
(Pew Bible, p. 274) Alex Lang
The Word of the Lord/**Thanks be to God!**

SERMON "The Golden Ticket" Alex Lang

TIME OF SILENT REFLECTION

✦ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (The 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.

✦ HYMN 684 "Faith Begins by Letting Go" Lux Prima

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Judy Hockenberry

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OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Holy Lord of All" *Frances Williams*
"All the saints in heav'n adore Thee, Holy, holy Lord of all. Sun and moon bow down before Thee, Heav'n and earth before Thee fall. Now the heav'ns resound with singing, now the earth brings back the call; Glory to Thy name be given. Holy, holy Lord of all. To Thy works be glory given, in the earth, the sky and sea. Know we there is none beside Thee, Lord of all, we worship Thee. Let the earth resound with singing, let all people heed Thy call. Glory to Thy name be given. Holy, holy Lord of all."
Men's Chorus

✦ DOXOLOGY (Hymn 606)

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.

✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

GOING FORTH IN GOD'S NAME

✦ HYMN 307 "God of Grace and God of Glory" CWM Rhondda

✦ BENEDICTION Alex Lang

POSTLUDE "Fanfare" *C. S. Lang*

✦ Please stand as you are able.

Preaching: Alex Lang

Flowers: **June Hemsey**—In memory of daughter, Cheryl
Jim and Mary Mayer—Remembering our fathers, Norbert Mayer and N.C. Jaynes

Pastors: Alex Lang, Judy Hockenberry, TC Anderson

Director of Music and Worship: Adam Hendrickson

Associate Director of Music and Organist: Christopher Urban

Praise Band: Compass (9:00 am service)

WORSHIP NOTES