

Second Presbyterian Church · June 24, 2018 · 6:00 p.m.

 \*Call to Worship
 David Bowen

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#### **†**Forever

Give thanks to the Lord, our God and King – His love endures forever. For He is good; He is above all things – His love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise.

With a mighty hand and an outstretched arm – His love endures forever. For the life that's been reborn – His love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise.

Forever, God is faithful. Forever, God is strong. Forever, God is with us – forever, forever.

From the rising to the setting sun – His love endures forever. And by the grace of God, we will carry on – His love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise.

#### **†How Great Is Our God**

The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty, Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice. He wraps Himself in light, and darkness tries to hide, And trembles at His voice, trembles at His voice.

How great is our God, sing with me, How great is our God, and all will see How great, how great is our God.

Age to age He stands, and time is in His hands, Beginning and the end, beginning and the end. The Godhead, three in one: Father, Spirit, Son, The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

Name above all names, worthy of all praise, My heart will sing how great is our God.

**†Invocation** (please raise hands)

### Worship of God with the Gifts of God

#### He Reigns

Our God is an awesome God, He reigns from Heaven above With wisdom, power, and love, our God is an awesome God.

You're marvelous, and You're glorious!

Your love has made me victorious!

You took away the fear in us –

Now we praise You 'cause You can deliver us.

There ain't no stoppin' us;

Devil, there ain't no blockin' us.

Come on and clap your hands with us!

He reigns!

He reigns forever and ever.

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

### **†**Greetings and Announcements

Scripture Reading	Romans 12:9-21
	(page 948 in the pew Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

<b>Sermon:</b> Cruciform Faith: Real Love	Mike Stokke
	Assistant Pastor, Middle Adults

#### Invitation to the Table

All who have publicly professed their faith and joined a Christian church are welcomed to receive communion tonight. We encourage children not to take communion until they have joined the church but do welcome them to come forward with their parents to receive a blessing. If you are unable to come forward, please raise your hand and an elder will serve you in your seat. All communion wafers are gluten free.

**Prayers of Confession** 

Assurance of Divine Pardon

Words of Institution

**Prayer of Consecration** 

## Songs for the Table

#### How He Loves Us

He loves us, O how He loves us.

O how He loves us, O how He loves.

He is jealous for me, loves like a hurricane, I am a tree,

Bending beneath the weight of His wind and mercy.

When all of a sudden, I am unaware of these afflictions eclipsed by glory,

And I realize just how beautiful You are,

And how great Your affections are for me.

And, O, how He loves us so;

O, how He loves us, how He loves us so.

#### Good, Good Father

You're a good, good Father. It's who You are, it's who You are. And we're loved by You, it's who You are.

You are perfect in all of Your ways, You are perfect in all of Your ways, You are perfect in all of Your ways to us!

## By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God in the light of creation's grand design, In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness, who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth with the power of His promise in their hearts Of a holy city built by God's own hand, a place where peace and justice reign.

We will stand as children of the promise We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul's reward. Till the race is finished and the work is done, We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day when the longed-for Messiah would appear With the power to break the chains of sin and death and rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith the church was called to go in the power of the Spirit to the lost To deliver captives and to preach good news in every corner of the earth.

By faith this mountain shall be moved and the power of the gospel shall prevail For we know in Christ all things are possible for all who call upon His name.

# **†Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**†Benediction** (please raise hands)

†Indicates standing

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Elders are available following the service for prayer and anointing with oil.

Singers: Jauna Ellis, Hannah Crowley, Ashley Harris, Mary Larkin Rumbarger, Ebeny Henderson, Maggie Zambetti, Haleigh Boykin, Mackenzie McCrae, Will Spearman, Drew Fitzgerald

> Musicians: Dawayne Anderson, Daniel Pollorena, Samuel Metzger, Robb Roaten, J Hickman, Kurt Ruleman, David Spencer, Michael Scott

## Connect with a Pastor

To find out more about who we are and how you can become part of our church community, or for help with specific concerns, you may contact a member of our pastoral team listed below by emailing firstname.lastname@2pc.org or calling (901) 454-0034.

David Bowen, Pastor to Middle Adults Dan Burns, Pastor of World Missions Todd Erickson, Pastoral Executive Artez Henderson, Pastoral Resident Barton Kimbro, Pastor to Young Adults Gerry Peak, Pastor to Senior Adults Brett Powell. Pastoral Resident Josh Preston, Pastoral Resident George Robertson, Senior Pastor Tim Russell, Pastor to Middle Adults Mike Stokke, Pastor to Middle Adults Brandon Terry, Pastor to Young Adults Brett Wynne, Pastoral Resident

