

First Presbyterian Church Kasson, Mn.

Rev. Amanda Boss

Sunday School

Dan Kaufeld - Music

9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

October 17, 2021

We Approach God

Gathering Music: "My Lord, What Love is This" by Graham Kendrick

Announcements:

Prelude: "I Was There to Hear Your Morning Cry"
(hymn #488) by John Ylvisaker. Flute: Hayle Kaufeld, Keyboard: Dan Kaufeld

Introit: "Song of Gladness" Words & Music by Joseph M. Martin

***Call to Worship** Kristy Johnson- Liturgist

L: Power and might and majesty belong to God who created and is creating.

P: Thanks be to God for God's mighty wonders.

L: Like the image of the powerful wind, and heavens as a garment, God's majesty is revealed in all creation.

P: We look around us at the wonders and marvel and the infinite variety and beauty which God has created.

L: Who are we, that God should pay attention to us?

P: We are God's beloved children, the stewards whom God has selected to care for God's world. Amen.

* Hymn No. 486 "Child of Blessing, Child of Promise"

***Prayer of Confession**

We can get caught up in selfish pursuits and completely overlook the wonders of your creation, O God. All around us are majestic reminders of the beauty you offer to us. But we are weak and easily trapped into attitudes of indifference or destructive behavior. You have not given this world to us that we should destroy it, but rather that we should cherish it and make sure that all receive from its bounty.

Forgive our overwhelming greed and selfishness.

Help us to let go of the petty desires for wealth, position, and power, and bring us into a ministry which proclaims your love and justice for all your people.

These things we pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

***Assurance of Grace**

God hears the cries of our hearts, sees our actions, knows our attitudes. In the midst of our sinfulness, God reaches out to heal and forgive us. Receive the forgiveness which God has offered to us. Live in God's love. Amen.

***Gloria Patri Hymn No. 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.*

We are Inspired by God

Hymn No. 2233 "Where Children Belong"
This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshipping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

Children's Time- children are invited to come forward to witness the baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism

Case Edward Dutton, son of Taylor and Dylan Dutton

Choir Anthem: "The Gift of Children"
Lyrics by Jan McGuire & Music by Lloyd Larson

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Psalm 104

L: Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, you are very great. You are clothed with honor and majesty,

P: Wrapped in light as with a garment. You stretch out the heavens like a tent,

L: you set the beams of your chambers on the waters, you make the clouds your chariot, you ride on the wings of the wind,

P: you make the winds your messengers, fire and flame your ministers.

L: You set the earth on its foundations, so that it shall never be shaken.

P: You cover it with the deep as with a garment; the waters stood above the mountains.

L: At your rebuke they flee; at the sound of your thunder they take to flight.

P: They rose up to the mountains, ran down to the valleys to the place that you appointed for them.

L: You set a boundary that they may not pass, so that they might not again cover the earth.

P: O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. Praise the Lord!

Choir Anthem: "10,000 Reasons, Bless the Lord, O My Soul"
Words & Music by Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman

Scripture Reading: Mark 10:35-45
Hebrews 5:1-10

Sermon: "Called to Serve" Rev. Amanda Boss

Select a Hymn

We Respond to God

*** Affirmation of Faith from the Apostles Creed (in Unison)**
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 at 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.

Choral Call to Prayer

Pastoral Prayer and 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.**

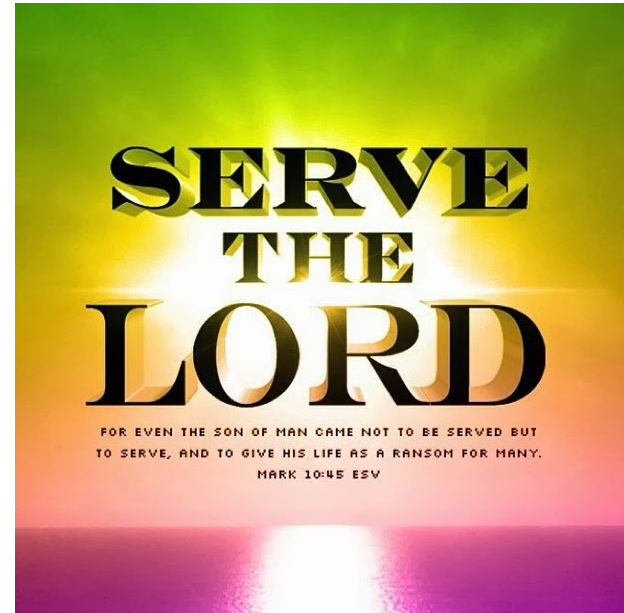
Choral Amen (Pg. 601)

Call for Offering

Offertory: "I Am a New Creation"
By Dave Bilbrough, arr. by Simon Lesley

***Doxology No. 606**

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101 6th Ave. NW

Kasson, MN

***Prayer of Dedication (in Unison)**

God of love, we know that all good things come from you. As we return these gifts to you, we pray that they will bring you joy. We pray that you will show us how to use them to serve you, your church, and your people that you may be glorified. We pray this in the name of the one who modeled servant love for us, Jesus Christ. Amen.

***Hymn No 12** *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”*

***Benediction**

***Dismissal Hymn 2241 “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve”**
“Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim. God’s Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus’ name.”

***Postlude:** *“Go Forth in Faith”* by Frank Ritter

Liturgy written by Shelli Latham, Presbyterian Outlook, 2021

WELCOME VISITORS. Thank you for coming to worship with us.

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Bulletin Announcements:

*Choir practice is on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 PM.

*No Bible Study this week on October 19.

***Treasurer’s Report:**

Receipts September 2021	\$ 5,272.06
Expenses September 2021	\$ 8,204.00
Balance September 2021	\$ (2,931.94)
Needed weekly	\$ 2,375.16
Needed monthly	\$ 10,292.35

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