

# Pewee Valley Presbyterian Church

*Drive-in Worship Service*

August 9, 2020 – 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

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## GATHERING ...

The Ringing of the Bell  
Words of Welcome

## PREPARING ...

### Call to Worship

Leader: Let us rejoice for morning has dawned.

**People: A new day has been born, as we are newly alive to enjoy it.**

Leader: We gather in our sanctuary to worship God and pledge ourselves to God's work in the world.

**People: May God continue to bless us that what we do in this time together may be honest, sacred, and filled with hope.**

**ALL: LET US SING TOGETHER!**

### Opening Hymn

#### Morning Has Broken

BUNESSAN

*Morning has broken like the first morning,  
Blackbird has spoken like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!  
Praise for them springing fresh from the Word!*

*Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven,  
Like the first dew fall on the first grass.  
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,  
Sprung in completeness where God's feet pass.*

*Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning  
Born of the one light Eden saw play!  
Praise with elation, praise every morning,  
God's creation of the new day!*

### Call to Confession and Prayer (*unison*)

Gracious God, as we open our hearts we confess our sins – against you, against our neighbor, against even ourselves. For the wrongs of our minds, our hearts, our hands, our spirits – forgive us. For our silence and lack of compassion – forgive us. For our self-love and self-hatred – forgive us. For our anger and our fear – forgive us. For our part, known and unknown, in the suffering of your creation – forgive us. For our failures in justice and peace and all the times we do not walk the way of love – forgive us. In the name of Jesus Christ who goes before us, so that we can know the Way, hear our silent prayers of return ... (*A Time of Silence for Personal Confession*)

### Assurance of Pardon (*unison*)

Leader: There is no greater joy in the heart of God than this moment right now!

**People: We have called upon God to grant us new life in the center of our wounded hearts.**

Leader: It is with great joy that God grants us new life and forgiveness for our sin!

**People: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven by grace.**

**ALL: WITH GREAT JOY WE ARE MADE ALIVE! THANKS BE TO GOD. AMEN**

### \*Response, No. 579

#### Glory Be to the Father

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. Amen.*

**HEARING ...**

<b>Anthem</b>	<u>Tune My Heart to Sing Thy Grace</u>	JOHN LEAVITT
<b>Scripture</b>	Matthew 5:21-24	
<b>Sermon</b>	JUDGED BY LOVE	<i>Rev. Joel Weible</i>

**RESPONDING ...**

**Affirmation of Faith** (*unison*)                      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*

**Time of Giving Thanks**

Announcements

Prayers of the People

**SENDING ...**

**Closing Hymn**                                      Let Us with a Gladsome Mind                                      MONKLAND

*Let us, with a gladsome mind praise the Lord, for he is kind:  
For God's mercies shall endure. Ever faithful, ever sure.*

*God, with all commanding might, filled the new-made world with light:  
For God's mercies shall endure. Ever faithful, ever sure.*

*All things living God does feed, with full measure meets their need:  
For God's mercies shall endure. Ever faithful, ever sure.*

*Let us with a gladsome mind praise the Lord who is so kind:  
For God's mercies shall endure. Ever faithful, ever sure.*

**Charge and Benediction**

**Benediction Response**