

# Pewee Valley Presbyterian Church

Online Worship Service

September 13, 2020 – 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

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## GATHERING ...

**The Ringing of the Bell  
Words of Welcome**

## PREPARING ...

### **Call to Worship**

*Ashia Stoess*

As we gather, may the peace of God rest upon our busy lives so that we may be quieted into prayer.

**May the love of God flow through our worship words that we may become alive with opportunities for service.**

May the grace of God seek out our every need.

**And may the restless gospel set our hearts on fire.**

**LET US WORSHIP OUR GOD TOGETHER!**

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

God who loves us, you have always given us what we need. You have taken care of us even when we could not care for ourselves. You have given us breath and life. Why is it that we still doubt you? Why do we still go on our own way, rebelling against you? Why do we persist in doing everything our own way? God, we have hurt ourselves and others by being so fiercely independent. Give us courage enough to place our trust in you. In Christ's name, hear our silent prayers of return ... (*A Time of Silence for Personal Confession*)

### **Assurance of Pardon** (*unison*)

With God, there is no chasm that cannot be bridged, no loss that cannot be recovered, no mistake that cannot be forgiven, and no life that cannot be redeemed.

**By the grace of God in Christ Jesus, our sins are forgiven and the ability to begin again is ours.**

Glory be to God who makes all things new!

### **\*Response, No. 298**

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

IN BABILONE

*There's a wideness in God's mercy, like the wideness of the sea.*

*There's a kindness in God's justice, which is more than liberty.*

*There is no place where earth's sorrows are more felt than up in heaven.*

*There is no place where earth's failings have such kindly judgment given.*

## HEARING ...

### **Scripture**

Philippians 2:5-8

### **Sermon**

BEING FOUND IN HUMAN FORM

*Rev. Joel Weible*

### **Anthem**

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

*PVPC Men's Quartet*

ELLACOMBE

## RESPONDING ...

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

from THE IONA COMMUNITY

We believe that God hopes and works for a world where all shall be included in the feast of life and that in Christ we see how costly it is to bring that world about.

We believe that God of all the earth is at work beyond the churches as well as within them, working for justice so that all may have a say in what happens to them.

We long for the time when all who hunger and thirst for justice shall be satisfied and we believe that despite the persistence of evil, now is always the time when more good can be done and we *can* make a difference. Amen.

**Time of Giving Thanks**

Announcements

*Recognition of our Christian Education Teachers and Leaders for 2020-2021*

Prayers of the People and for our Teachers

The Lord's Prayer

**SENDING ...**

**Charge and Benediction**

**Benediction Response**

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Communications

*This Week's Birthdays:*

-Andrew Warren (9/15) -Emma MacNiven (9/16) -Debbie Thompson (9/18)

*Wedding Anniversaries:*

-John & Kathy Bott (9/18)

*To dedicate flowers for an upcoming Sunday, contact the Church Office.*