

PEWEE VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

“Learning, Glorifying, Celebrating, and Following ...”

GATHERING ...

Gathering Music
The Ringing of the Bell
Words of Welcome

PREPARING ...

Prelude Plainchant

F. COUPERIN

***Call to Worship**

Leader: We come to this day of rest with our burdens and cares.

**People: We come, placing our lives in the loving hands of God,
that God will heal our spirits and strengthen us.**

Leader: We come, bringing our worries to God, who is always with us.

People: We come in faith and trust.

**ALL: WE COME TO WORSHIP THE GOD OF HEALING
MERCIES.**

***Hymn 681** This Is the Day the Lord Hath Made

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Call to Confession and Prayer (*unison*)

Wise and loving God, you know how we are. We spend so much time getting ready for the next event, the next season, the unknown future. We spend time planning when and how we shall relax, where we might go on vacation. We grow tired just working on how to gain some peace in our lives. Forgive us, Lord, when we have focused so much time on these things and have not sought your healing, restoring love. Teach us how to rest in you. Give us peace. In Christ's name, hear our silent prayers of return ...

(A Time of Silence for Personal Confession: Pray the above prayer again, but this time substitute “I, my, and me” for “we, our, and us”.)

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: When we come to Christ, we find rest.

People: There is healing and rest in the Lord.

Leader: Through the Lord, we are given the love and peace of God for all of our days.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD. AMEN.

***Response 581**

Glory Be to the Father

GLORIA PATRI

Passing of the Peace

HEARING ...

Sacred Space and Prayers for the Children

Rev. Joel Weible

Anthem

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

JANE HOLSTEIN

Scripture

Genesis 1:26 – 2:3

Sermon

SABBATH: Rest With God

Rev. Joel Weible

***Hymn 32**

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

ELLACOMBE

RESPONDING ...

***Affirmation of Faith** (*unison*) The Apostles' Creed

HYMNAL, p. 35ff

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 and the Lord's Prayer

Call to Offering and Offertory

Offertory O Jesus I Have Promised

arr. K. LOWENBERG

***Doxology 606** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

***Prayer of Dedication** (*unison*)

God, as we offer up our gifts, help us to receive with joy the gift of rest. We ask that you use these gifts to bring rest to those who are weary, and to refresh the hearts of those who hunger for your love, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SENDING ...

***Hymn 393** O Day of Rest and Gladness

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***Charge and Benediction**

The Ringing of the Bell

***Postlude** O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

arr. M. THOMPSON

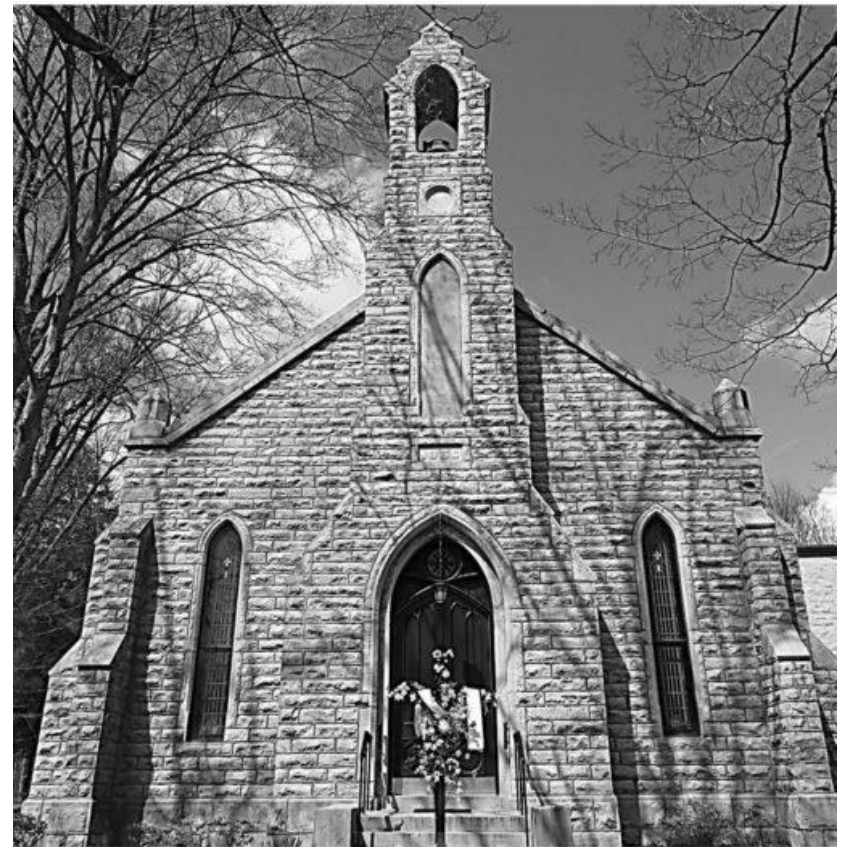
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***"We have found in this church a spiritual home
where we learn to serve others,
enjoy and glorify God,
celebrate differences,
and faithfully follow the Lord Jesus Christ."***

Sunday Morning Worship

January 29, 2023 – 4th Sunday after Epiphany