PARK LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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November 14, 2021

Order of Worship

10:30 am



GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements Time of Silence

Prelude Paraphrase on "Built on the Rock"

Phil Lehenbauer

Will Benton, organist

Choral Introit Give Thanks

Call to Worship (Psalm 146)

Protect me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord; I have no good apart from you."

The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot.

The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; I have a goodly heritage.

Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices; my body also rests secure.

You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy; in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Prayer of Praise and Adoration

*Hymn No. 39 Great is Thy Faithfulness

Scripture Reading Mark 13:1-8 pew Bible, NT, pg. 47

Call to Confession (1 John 1:8,9)

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. In humility and faith let us confess our sin to God.

Unison Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, we confess that we have failed to seek your will. You warn us of what is to come, but we ignore the signs of the times. You promise us a new creation, but we cling to the ruins of this world. Forgive us, God of grace. Wash away the stain of our sin and keep us faithful in love and in deed, while we await your coming in glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Declaration of Forgiveness

This is the promise of the Lord—

that by the power of the Holy Spirit, God will transform our lives and remember our sin no more. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God!

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

*Hymn No. 694

Great God of Every Blessing

THE WORD

Welcoming the Children

(Pre-k and elementary children may go downstairs to the Children's library for a worship activity)

Blessing of Children

tune - Hymn No. 748, Tallis Canon

Go with them, Lord, and guide their way, through this and every coming day.

That in Your spirit strong and true, their lives may be a gift to You.

Scripture Reading Hebrews 10:11-25 Pew Bible, NT pg. 210

Sermon What's Your Status? Dr. Dan DeBevoise

The Installation of Deacon Douglas Lawton

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Let the Praise Go Round William Boyce

Chancel Choir

The Dedication of 2022 Stewardship Pledges

Let us pray. Almighty God, by your holy Word, all that we know has come into existence: our universe, our world, our lives, our loved ones, and all that we have and hold so dear. By your holy Word, you sent forth your Son to bring us salvation through the cross of death and resurrection. By your holy Word, you have called us together to be a Church of love and service in the world. By your holy Word, we know that we live in grace and hope. Keep us ever close to your Word, that it might be written on our hearts.

We commit our lives to you, O God.

Help us to grow in faith and love toward you, so that we might always live in trust and hope.

We commit our hearts to you, O God.

Center us in routines that keep us close to you, O Lord. Center us in weekly worship.

We commit our daily living to you, O God.

Center us in daily prayer.

We commit our prayer time to you, O God.

Center us in knowledge of your Holy Scripture.

We commit our minds to you, O God.

Center us in the mission of the church.

We commit our outreach to you, O God.

Center us in lives of thankful giving and loving for all the blessings which you have poured out upon us.

We commit our lives to you, O God.

By your word, O Lord, guide our lives, forgive our sins, inspire our thoughts, shape our attitudes, lighten our darkness, give us eternal hope, and fill our hearts with joy, assuring us of your constant presence, until you bring us at last into the glories of your heavenly kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

*Hymn No. 697 Take My Life

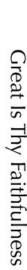
Charge and Blessing

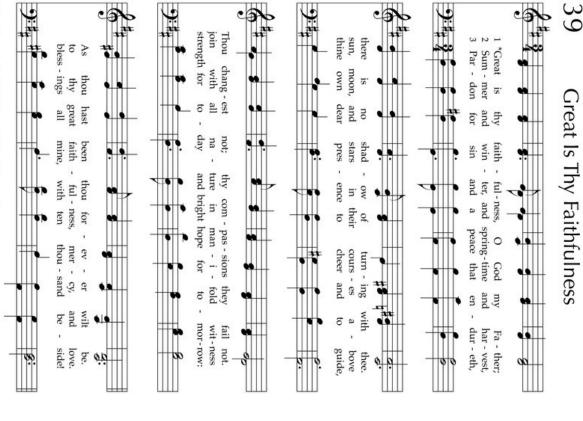
*Congregational Response Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise

Postlude Postlude William Mathias

Will Benton, organist

Today in worship we are dedicating our **2022 Stewardship pledges**. During the final hymn you are invited to bring your pledge forward to the chancel and place it in a basket. Additional pledge cards are available in the pews. If you would like more information about making a financial pledge to Park Lake for 2022 please contact the co-pastors or the financial secretary, Linda Castle.



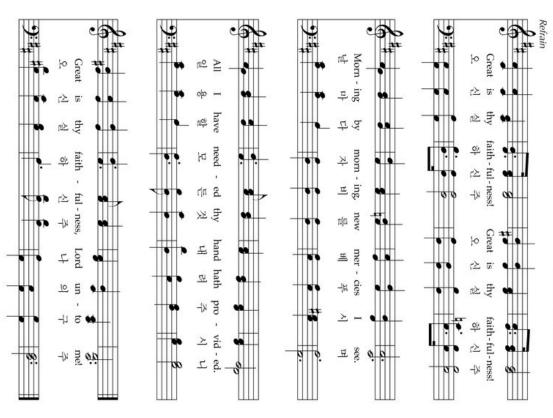


*Or "Great is thy faithfulness, O God, Creator."

Written as a meditation on Lamentations 3:22–23, this text is one of the few hymms among the 1200 poems by this Methodist writer and pastor that has gained much currency. The tune that appears here was composed especially for these words, and the pairing has proved enduring.

TEXT: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923 MUSIC: William Marion Runyan, 1923 Text and Music © 1923, ren. 1951 Hope Publishing Company

FAITHFULNESS 11.10.11.10 with refrain



694 Great God of Every Blessing



Written for the 500th anniversary of John Calvin's birth, this text sums up his liturgical theology, ending each stanza with his motto: *Cor meum tibi offero, Domine, prompte et sincere*. By moving from plural to singular the stanzas show how corporate faith becomes personal piety.



- 5 Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne, it shall be thy royal throne.
- 6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store; take myself and I will be ever, only, all for thee, ever, only, all for thee.

This hymn of consecration radiates from the repeated word "take," resulting in a remarkably full survey of a person's attributes and possessions and giving weight to the "all" at the end. The composer of the tune was influential in the renewal of Reformed hymnody in French.