

# Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, September 7, 2014  
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

*Let us enter the Sanctuary in a spirit of meditation in preparation for worship.*

Welcome – Greeting of the People – Announcements

Prelude

“Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals”  
*organ, brass, and percussion*

Sigfid Karg-Elert

\*Congregational Introit

“All People That on Earth Do Dwell”

Old Hundredth  
arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams

All people that on earth do dwell, sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;  
Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell. Come ye before Him and rejoice.

O enter then His gates with praise; approach with joy His courts unto;  
Praise, laud, and bless His name always, for it is seemly so to do.

\*Prayer of Invocation and Adoration

\*Hymn of Adoration

“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

Westminster Abbey



1. Christ is made the sure foun-da - tion, Christ the head and  
2. To this tem - ple, where we call Thee, Come, O Lord of  
3. Here vouch-safe to all Thy serv - ants What they ask\_\_ of  
4. Laud and hon - or to the Fa - ther, Laud and hon - or



cor - ner - stone, Chos - en of the Lord and pre - cious,  
hosts, to - day; With ac - cus - tomed lov - ing - kind - nes  
Thee to gain, What they gain from Thee for - ev - er  
to the Son, Laud and hon - or to the Spir - it,



Bind - ing all\_\_ the Church in one, Ho - ly Zi - on's  
Hear Thy peo - ple as\_\_ they pray, And Thy full - est  
With the bless - ed to\_\_ re - tain, And here - aft - er  
Ev - er Three and ev - er One, One in might and



help for - ev - er, And her con - fi - dence a - lone.  
ben - e - dic - tion She with - in its walls al - way.  
in Thy glo - ry Ev - er - more with Thee to reign.  
One in glo - ry While un - end - ing a - ges run.

Dr. Robert M. Norris, *Senior Pastor*, Dr. Todd Smedley, *Senior Associate Pastor*;  
Rev. Corey Gray, Rev. Ron Meyer, and Rev. David O'Connell, *Pastors*

Sharing of Family News

Prayer of Intercession

8:00 Dr. Todd Smedley

9:30 Rev. Dave O'Connell

11:00 Rev. Corey Gray

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 4:1-9

page 47, pew Bible

\*Hymn

"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind"

Repton  
arr. Douglas Mears



1. Dear Lord and Fa - ther\_\_ of man - kind, For  
2. In sim - ple trust like\_\_ theirs who heard, Be -  
3. Drop Thy still dews of\_\_ qui - et - ness, Till  
4. Breathe through the heats of\_\_ our de - sire Thy



give our fool - ish ways! Re - clothe us in our  
side the Syr - ian Sea, The gra - cious call - ing  
all our striv - ings cease; Take from our souls the  
cool - ness and Thy balm; Let sense be dumb, let



right - ful mind; In pur - er lives Thy serv - ice find, In\_\_  
of the Lord, Let us, like them, with - out a\_\_ word, Rise  
strain and stress, And let our or - dered lives con - fess The  
flesh re - tire; Speak through the earth - quake, wind, and fire, O\_\_



deep - er rev - 'rence, praise, In deep - er rev - 'rence praise.  
up and fol - low - Thee, Rise up and fol - low Thee.  
beau - ty of Thy\_\_ peace, The beau - ty of Thy peace.  
still small voice of\_\_ calm, O still small voice of calm!

Call for the Offering and Prayer of Dedication

Passing of Friendship Register

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

"O Glorious Light"

George Fredric Handel

*Sanctuary Choir, organ, brass and percussion*

O Glorious Light, pure brightness of heaven,  
O Son, the giver of Life!

We sing Thy praise and rejoice, and say:  
Praise ye the Lord.

May the Lord reign forever, Alleluia, Amen.

New Testament Reading

2 Timothy 1:1-5

page 995, pew Bible

Sermon

“Spiritual Relationships”  
*1st in a series, “Keeping the Faith”*

Dr. Robert M. Norris

\*Hymn No. 285

“In Christ There Is No East or West”

St. Peter

## CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

### Invitation to Communion

#### \*Declaration of Faith—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 Spirit, 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### \*Prayer of Confession

Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before You our sinful nature, our shortcomings, and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your way, in wasting Your gifts, and in forgetting Your love. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, who are ashamed and sorry for all that displeases You. Teach us to hate our errors, cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins for the sake of Jesus Christ, Your own dear Son. Speak afresh to us the Gospel of Your grace, and remind us that if we confess our sins, You are faithful and just to forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. In Your Son is our salvation, in Your promises our hope. Take us for Your children and give us the Spirit of Your Son, and in the end receive us into Your glory, through Jesus Christ our only Savior. Amen.

#### Words of Institution

#### Prayer of Consecration and the Lord’s Prayer

#### Distribution of the Elements of the Lord’s Supper

#### \*Passing of the Peace

\*Communion Response No. 74

“Majesty”

Majesty

#### Benediction

#### Postlude

“Finale Jubilante”

Healey Willan

#### Participating Officers:

8:00 Sid Menkis

9:30 Mike Strauss

11:00 Mike Looney

*Elders are available for prayer or ministry at the front of the Sanctuary at the conclusion of each service.*

*Sanctuary flowers are a ministry of the Women of Fourth Flower Committee.*

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*We welcome our instrumentalists to the morning services today, and thank them for participating with us in worship: Tim White, trumpet, Fred Marcellus, trumpet, Chris Gekker, trumpet, Bryan Bourne, trombone, Chris Clark, trombone, Chris Matten, bass trombone, Erica Montgomery, timpani, Daniel Mears, percussion.*

## Tonight's Evening Service, 6pm

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"Faith and Fear"  
*Luke 8:40-56*  
Mr. Robert Yancey

### Stewardship & Finance

#### GENERAL GIVING

Annual Budget	\$ 4,760,418
Year to Date Budget	\$ 2,813,575
Year to Date Received	\$ 2,359,617

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### Next Sunday, September 14

#### Morning Service

8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

"Prepared for Service"

*2 Timothy 1:6-9*

Dr. Robert M. Norris

#### Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

"Proclaiming the Kingdom"

*Luke 9:1-6; 10:17*

Dr. Todd Smedley

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.*