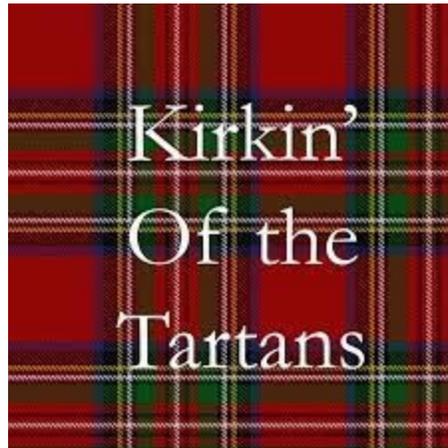


# Poland Presbyterian Church



Worship for the Lord's Day  
June 26, 2022

## WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

The beginning of the Prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

### Meditation Before Worship

“God knows, I'm not the thing I should be, Nor am I even the thing I could be.”

Robert Burns

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

\* Call to Worship (Responsive)

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

**O come, let us bow down; for He is our God; and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand.**

Come let us Worship, the Lord our God.

*(Church of Scotland Book of Common Order, 1940)*

\* Hymn

“O Jesus, I Have Promised”

\* Prayer of Confession and Silent Confession (unison)

**Eternal God and most merciful Father, we confess and acknowledge here before Thy divine majesty that we are miserable sinners conceived and born in sin and iniquity, so that in us there is not goodness. For the flesh evermore rebels against the Spirit, whereby we continually transgress Thy just judgement, death, and damnation. Notwithstanding, O Heavenly Father for as much as we are displeased with ourselves for the sins that we committed against Thee and do repent of the same; we most humble beseech Thee, for Christ's sake, to shower the Holy Spirit upon us, to forgive us all our sins, and to increase Thy Spirit in us. This we ask, not from our own worthiness, but from the merits of Thy beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our only Saviour. (John Knox, 1560)**

\* The Good News of God's Grace

Friends, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel!

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

\* The Gloria Patri

\* Roll Call of the Clans

Dave Scott

\* Greetings in Christian Friendship

Children's Time

Ms. Erika Carcelli

Anthem

Prayer for Illumination (Liturgist)

Most Gracious God, out of Your great love and wisdom, You have bestowed upon us Thy most precious Word. May we listen to scripture intently, and be guided by what You would have us know and do. Amen.

Scripture Reading Psalm 16 (Liturgist)

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.” As for the holy ones in the land, they are the noble ones in whom is all my delight. Those who choose another god multiply their sorrows; their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out or take their names upon my lips. 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. I bless the LORD, who gives me counsel; in the night also my heart instructs me. I keep the LORD always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved. Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices; my body also rests secure. For you do not give me up to Sheol or let your faithful one see the Pit. You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy; in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Offering  
Offertory

\* Prayer of Dedication and Doxology

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)

Sermon Text Luke 9:49-56 (Liturgist)

John answered, "Master, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him because he does not follow with us." But Jesus said to him, "Do not stop him, for whoever is not against you is for you." When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to prepare for his arrival, but they did not receive him because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw this, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village.

The Word Proclaimed

"Are We An Accepting People?"

Rev. Paul W. Anderson

Affirmation of Faith – Scots Confession of 1560, 3.16 (unison)

Dave Scott

**As we believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, so we firmly believe that from the beginning there has been, now is, and to the end of the world shall be, one Kirk, that is to say, one company and multitude of men chosen by God, who rightly worship and embrace Him in true faith in Christ Jesus, who is the only Head of the Kirk, even as it is the body and spouse of Christ Jesus. This Kirk is Catholic, that is, universal, because it contains the chosen of all ages, of all realms, nations, and tongues, be they of the Jews or be they of the Gentiles, who have communion and society with God, and with His Son, Christ Jesus, through the sanctification of His Holy Spirit. It is therefore called the communion, not of profane persons, but of saints, who, as citizens of the heavenly Jerusalem, have the fruit of inestimable benefits, one God, one Lord Jesus, one faith, and one baptism. Out of this Kirk there is neither life nor eternal felicity. Therefore we utterly abhor the blasphemy of those who hold that men who live according to equity and justice shall be saved, no matter what religion they profess. For since there is neither life nor salvation without Christ Jesus; so shall none have part therein but those whom the Father hath given unto His Son Christ Jesus, and those who in time come to Him, avow His doctrine, and believe in Him. (We include the children with the believing parents.) This Kirk is invisible, known only to God, who alone knows whom He has chosen, and includes both the chosen who are departed, the Kirk triumphant, those who yet live and fight against sin and Satan, and those who shall live hereafter.**

\* Closing Hymn

"Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound"

\* Benediction

Postlude

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\* Please stand if you are able.

*The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God by Frank and Nan Bennett  
in loving memory of Hank and Becky Bennett, who were both born in June.*

### Church Staff

Rev. Dr. Paul W. Anderson, Pastor/Head of Staff  
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Lewis Schaft, Audio Visual Technician  
Carly Carcelli, Director of Nursery  
Rob Zedaker, Interim Property Manager

### *In Our Prayers...*

**Kitty Heineman** (Hampton Woods, Rehab)  
**Lucy Stanley**  
**Jeanette VanBrocklin** (Woodlands)  
**Sandy Nittinger** (Park Vista)

**Barbara Moore** (Omni Manor)  
**Brandon Todd Aldan** (Rehab)  
**Phyllis Benton** (Home)  
**Cloy Stewart** (Hampton Woods)

**Lemonade Table** We are looking for people to host the lemonade table after the summer services. Lemonade and paper products will be provided. All that is needed are your favorite treats and your smiles to share. The sign-up link can be found on our website, Facebook page and in MailChimp.

**Vacation Bible School** will be held July 11<sup>th</sup> through July 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-8:15 p.m. The theme for this years VBS is County Fair.

**Grief Support Group**—The Rev. Dr. Debra May Cerra is leading a Zoom Grief Support Group the first and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month. Please contact Rev. Cerra if you do not have the log-in information.

### Officers of the Poland Presbyterian Church

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John Braden-Kaneski

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### Calendar for the week of June 26, 2022

#### Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup>

10:00-Kirkin' O' the Tartan Outdoor Worship Service

11:00-Lemonade Table

#### Monday, June 27<sup>th</sup>

7:00-Boy Scouts, YH

#### Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup>

8:00-Tuesday Evening Group, CR

#### Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>

9:00-Staff Meeting, Zoom

#### Thursday, June 30<sup>th</sup>

12:30-Zoom Luncheon

#### Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup>

#### Saturday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>

#### Sunday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>

10:00-Outdoor Worship Service

11:00-Lemonade Table