

August 14th, 2022

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

10:15 a.m.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Home Across the River Medley" **Victor Labenske**

CALL TO WORSHIP **Mary Ellenberger**

One: Look at the heavens!

All: They are shouting the glory of God!

One: The days and nights declare the magnificence of God's creative works.

All: Their voice goes through all the earth and their words reach the ends of the world.

One: Let our words of praise be acceptable to you,

All: Our Lord, our rock, our redeemer!

OPENING PRAYER

*****HYMN** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" **PH #464**

*****PRAYER OF CONFESSION** **Mary Ellenberger**

You have called us, O God, and we have refused to listen; you have stretched out your hand and we have not taken it. We have taken what you have given us and used those gifts to hurt others and defy you. Forgive our inability to recognize you and live out the reality of your gospel. Give us the insight we need to understand your place in our lives, so that our words and actions reflect the glory of God in the lives of others; in the name of Christ, we pray. Amen.

(MOMENT OF SILENT CONFESSION)

*****ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

*****GLORIA PATRI** **PH No. 579**

"Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen."

*****PASSING THE PEACE**

One: The Peace of Christ be with You!

All: And also with You!

SPECIAL MUSIC **Melissa Fyr &**

"It Is Well With My Soul" **Emily Bounds**

A TIME WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH **Craig Matzes**

SCRIPTURE **1 Corinthians 13:1-13**
John 14:22-31

One: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON The Gift of Love **Rev. Robert Jensen**
(Agape, That Is)

*****HYMN** "Though I May Speak" **PH #335**

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on Earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And, forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And, lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

MOMENT FOR MISSION **Blessing Bags**

OFFERTORY "Father, I Adore You" **Carl Bounds**

*****DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*****PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

*****CLOSING HYMN** "Blest Be the Tie that Binds Us" **PH #438**
v.1-3

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*****RESPONSE HYMN** "Blest Be the Tie that Binds Us" **PH #438**
v.4

POSTLUDE "O Mio Babbino Caro" **Victor Labenske**

*****Please stand if you are comfortable and able.**

"Please note that today's worship is being live-streamed to our YouTube channel and your image may appear online."

Leading Worship Today:

Pastor: Rev. Patrick Gruber
 Liturgist: Mary Ellenberger
 Accompanist: Emily Bounds
 Choir Director: Aaron Bounds
 CE Coordinator: Craig Matzes
 Livestream: Andrew Brehe
 Sound Board: Kevin Carpenter
 Nursery Supervisor: Heather Miller
 Ushers: Steve & Nancy Sebastian
 Greeters: Tom & Lois Kempf



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This Week at PCW

Tuesday	6:30p	Personnel Committee Mtg.
Tuesday	7:00p	Christian Ed. Committee Mtg.
Wednesday	6:30p	Outreach Committee Mtg.
Thursday	9:00a	Prayer Group
	7:00p	Worship Committee Mtg.
Saturday	10:30a	Meals on Wheels



Rev. Bob Jensen is a retired Presbyterian Teaching Elder, having served congregations in Coal City, IL, Tulsa, OK, and Delafield, WI for 30 years before moving to this area in 2016. He and his spouse Jan live in Swansea, IL, where they enjoy doting on their grandchildren, traveling, and exploring all the St. Louis and Metro East areas have to offer.

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