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8th Sunday after Pentecost

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WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn: God of Grace and God of Glory

CWM Rhondda

(vs.1) God of grace and God of glory, on thy people pour Thy power;
crown Thine ancient church's story; bring its bud to glorious flower.

Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.

(vs. 4) Set our feet on lofty places; gird our lives that they may be
armored with all Christ-like graces, pledges to set the captives free.

Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, that we fail not them nor Thee! That we fail not them nor Thee!

(vs. 5) Save us from weak resignation to the evils we deplore;
let the gift of Thy salvation be our glory evermore.

Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, serving Thee whom we adore, serving Thee whom we adore.

Prayer of the Day and the 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.**

Doxology

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

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Lesson: Ephesians 2:1-10

"Rooted in Grace and Faith"

Peter Thompson

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn: We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight

Dunlap's Creek

(Vs. 1) We walk by faith and not by sight; no gracious words we hear
From Christ who spoke as none e'er spoke; but we believe Him near.

(Vs. 2) We may not touch his hands and side, nor follow where He trod;
But in His promise we rejoice, and cry "My Lord and God!"

(Vs. 3) Help then, O Lord, our unbelief; and may our faith abound
To call on You when You are near and seek where You are found:

(Vs. 4) That, when our life of faith is done, in realms of clearer light
We may behold You as You are, with full and endless sight.

Prayers of the People

Call to Offering

Offertory Anthem

O the Love of my Redeemer

J. Caterer

Russ Hovda, Soloist

*Highest heights or darkest deeps, Be there pain or poverty There is nothing than can keep, My Redeemer's love from me
All alone though I may feel, All the world my enemy Still there's no one that can steal, My Redeemer's loves from Me
O the love of my redeemer, Never failing come what may He has purchased my forgiveness, and has washed my sins Away
Although burdened by the weight, of great trial or tragedy None of these can separate, my Redeemer's love from me
Though the earth's foundation shake, driving wind or raging Sea Neither death nor life can take,
my Redeemer's love from me
O the love of my redeemer, Never failing come what may He has purchased my forgiveness, and has washed my sins Away
Through this worlds few passing days, and through all Eternity I will never cease to praise my Redeemer's love for me
O the love of my redeemer, Never failing come what may He has purchased my forgiveness, and has washed my sins Away
He has purchased my forgiveness, and has washed my sins Away*

WE GO OUT IN GOD'S SERVICE

Prayer of Dedication and Benediction

Postlude

March-Sortie

T. Dubois

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

RE-Opening: The sanctuary remains closed for worship on Sunday mornings until further notice. Worship at 10:30am will continue to be live on radio and Facebook.

Worship Outdoors on August 2 will include Communion using individual servings: You are invited to participate in a parking lot worship including prayer and the Word on Sunday mornings at 9:00am (weather permitting). Come as you are. Stay in your car. Bring a blanket and/or chair. Worship will be about 30 minutes.

Offices and Facility: The church offices are open M-F from 8:30am to 5:00pm **by appointment and reservation only**. Please call the church office to schedule. Self-screening, temperature checks, face masks, and hand washing will be required for entry.

Check out our website and/or Facebook for current information! We want to continue to encourage you to visit www.fpclly.org or FPCLY's Facebook page for updates and information on how you can be more connected during this time. Whether it is a scripture verse and prayer of the day, devotional, book reading, or chat board, we welcome your participation! We welcome all to share your stories and songs as to what you have going on in your life, family, home, or neighborhood.

If you have an emergency and need to talk with Peter, please call him directly. Members Helping Members are also available by phone.

Pastor on Call:

Peter Thompson (336) 269-7270

Members Helping Members for July (phone only):

Winston Green (434) 384-5939 and Ellie Hubbard (434) 384-1586

Members Helping Members for August (phone only):

Janice Berkley (434) 384-6925 and Lynn Shelton (434) 384-3742

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To schedule your photo session, please call the church office at (434) 384-6231 or use this link:

<https://www.fpclly.org/family-photography-sessions.html>