Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church Asheville, North Carolina

www.gcpcusa.org October 2, 2022 World Communion Sunday Sacrament of the Lord's Supper



Let us prepare our hearts and minds for worship.

Prelude	Psalm 1 (Tim Moe, trombone)
Call to Worship	

* Hymn 409

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God Is Here!

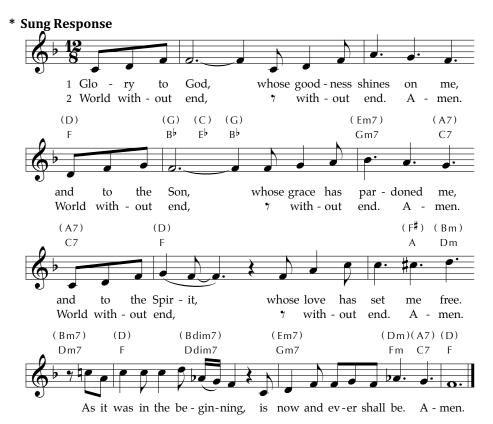
Call to Reconciliation

* Prayer of Confession

ABBOT'S LEIGH

Emma Lou Diemer

* Assurance of God's Grace and Love



Passing of the Peace The Peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.

Faith Sharing

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Welcome & Announcements

Prayer for Illumination

Epistle Lesson

2 Timothy 1:1-14

Sermon	"Trust Call"	Marcia Mount Shoop
Anthem	We've Come A Long Way, Lord	arr. Wendell Glick

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to The Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise...**

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.

Words of Institution

Communion of the People (All bread is gluten-free.)

Prayer After Communion

Offering Offertory The Peace May Be Exchanged Dan Locklair Prayer of Dedication For Everyone Born FOR EVERYONE BORN

* Charge & Benediction

Postlude	The People Respond, "Amen!"	Dan Locklair		

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me © 2008 Paul M. Vasile, Used by permission.

Please remain seated during the Postlude. * Please Stand in Body or Spirit.

We gather to worship God who is larger than all our imaginations! We encourage all persons to sing the nouns and pronouns they prefer in referring to God.

Liturgists: Anna Hamel, John Legerton Stewardship Moment: Russell Kominski Head Usher: Cathy Froehlich Deacon of the Week: Skip Stansell | email: skipstansell1@gmail.com Thank you to Jeannette Williams for the flowers that decorate the sanctuary this morning, given to the glory of God and with Happy Birthday wishes to good friend, Cindy Nicholson Bono.

Large print bulletins are available from an usher.

Welcome Visitors!

Please take a moment to fill out the visitor card found in your pew to let us know more about you and place it in the offering boxes right outside the sanctuary.

Childcare is available for children, birth to 4 years of age. Check-in is by the Welcome Desk in the narthex.



Announcement info





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Bill Neeriemer Anne Raustol Martha Seddon

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WELCOME STATEMENT

Trusting that God's grace embraces and desires covenant with all people, Grace Covenant seeks to be an inclusive and hospitable place of spiritual growth. All persons are welcomed into this fellowship and membership regardless of age, sexual orientation, ethnic, racial, or gender identity, economic position, residency status, or political affiliation. We trust that God is always at work transforming each life and our life together, helping us to better follow Christ's example of love and courageous welcome.

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