

Olean First Presbyterian Church  
July 17, 2022, at 10am

Prelude ~ *Priere a Notre Dame* ~ L. Boellmann

Good Morning Saints

Announcements

God is Good

**Everyday**

And Everyday

**God is Good**

Call to Worship

**In Jesus Christ all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell.  
Through him God was reconciled to all things  
in heaven and on earth, even to us,  
that we might be holy and blameless before God.  
In awe and gratitude,  
let us worship the Lord our God.**

Opening Prayer.

Almighty God, you brought creation into being through Christ, and in Christ all things find their purpose. Deliver us from a small-minded faith that fails to see your majesty. Open our eyes to see the world as your gift and to use your gifts for the sake of Christ, that through the witness of our lives the gospel may be proclaimed to all people. Amen.

Opening Hymn ~ *Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!* ~ No. 305

Come sing, O church, in joy!  
Come join, O church, in song!  
For Christ the Lord has led us  
through the ages long!

*Refrain:*

In bold accord,  
come celebrate the journey now  
and praise the Lord!

Long years have come and gone,  
and still God reigns supreme,  
empowering us to catch the vision,  
dream the dream! (*Refrain*)

Let courage be our friend;  
let wisdom be our guide,  
as we in mission magnify  
the Crucified! (*Refrain*)

Come sing, O church, in joy!  
Come join, O church, in song!  
For Christ the Lord has triumphed o'er  
the ages long! (*Refrain*)

Prayer of Confession

**Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

Presentation of the Offering

Doxology ~ No. 606

**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 Thanksgiving

Prayers of the People

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.**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings

*Psalm 15*

<sup>1</sup>O Lord, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill?

<sup>2</sup>Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, and speak the truth from their heart;

<sup>3</sup>who do not slander with their tongue, and do no evil to their friends, nor take up a reproach against their neighbors;

<sup>4</sup>in whose eyes the wicked are despised, but who honor those who fear the Lord; who stand by their oath even to their hurt;

<sup>5</sup>who do not lend money at interest, and do not take a bribe against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be moved.

*Luke 10:38-42*

<sup>38</sup>Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. <sup>39</sup>She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and

listened to what he was saying. <sup>40</sup>But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, “Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me.” <sup>41</sup>But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; <sup>42</sup>there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her.”

The Word of God  
**The Word of Life**

Message

Music for Meditation ~ *Rustle of Spring* ~ C. Sinding

Hymn ~ *Let Us Build a House* ~ No. 301

Let us build a house where love can dwell  
and all can safely live,  
a place where saints and children tell  
how hearts learn to forgive.  
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,  
rock of faith and vault of grace;  
here the love of Christ shall end divisions:

*Refrain:*

all are welcome; all are welcome; all are welcome in this place.

Let us build a house where hands will reach  
beyond the wood and stone  
to heal and strengthen, serve and teach,  
and live the Word they've known.  
Here the outcast and the stranger  
bear the image of God's face;  
let us bring an end to fear and danger: (*Refrain*)

Let us build a house where all are named,  
their songs and visions heard  
and loved and treasured,  
taught and claimed as words within the Word.  
Built of tears and cries and laughter,  
prayers of faith and songs of grace;  
let this house proclaim from floor to rafter: (*Refrain*)

Blessing

Postlude ~ *Voluntary in D Major* ~ William Boyce

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Prayer List

Margaret Quigley	Emily Kennedy	Matt Isenberg
Amy Trass	Martin Hatch	Craig Polson
David Cross	Colt Matz	Chase Ewoldt
Michael Eade	Barb & Chuck Compher	Avrie Sinesiou
Joseph Kwiatkowski	Kimberley Smith	Gretchen Randon
Dale Isenberg	Family of Michael Ahrens	Renee Ensell
Fred Eade	Stacey MacRae	Family Needing Prayers
Diane Trippany	Alyssa Daly and Family	Kaleb Green

*\*\*Please let the office know who can be removed and who needs to be added.  
Thank you for your help! \*\**

Happy Birthday to:  
21 ~ Mary Daugherty

Happy Anniversary to:  
17 ~ Bryan & Molly Petryszak

CHURCH CALENDAR WEEK OF 7/17/22

- Sunday – July 17                      10am Worship
- Tuesday - July 19                      10am Tea with Bruce and Phil at Union Tea
- Friday – July 22                      10am Coffee & Conversation at the Bigleys'
- Sunday – July 24                      10am Worship

If you wish to speak with Pastor Bruce, please call 716-378-6773.

*Please note:* July 18th at 6:30pm, the Bartlett House is hosting an evening with Mike Winicki and the Railroad History of Wayne Street. See the bulletin board in Fellowship Hall for more details.



*Mark your calendars!*

*Dinner Out will be Tuesday, July 26,  
at J-Allen's (formerly the Chuck Wagon) at 6pm.*

*Signup sheet in Fellowship Hall.*