

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF PLAINVILLE  
Founded in 1840

A Congregation of the United Church of Christ

*An Open & Affirming and “God is Still Speaking” Church*

*The Congregational Church of Plainville serves the community  
in the Spirit of Christ.*

**All Welcomed. All Valued. All Loved.**



**The Order of Morning Worship  
Second Sunday after Pentecost**

**June 19, 2022**

**10A.M.**

\* please stand in body and/or spirit

**WELCOMING THE INWARD LIGHT OF CHRIST**

PRELUDE *Invention* John G. Barr

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Please take this opportunity to silence your phones. Thank you.*

**MINDFULNESS & PEACE**

INTRODUCTION TO SABBATH POEM

SABBATH POEM *The Gift* Li-Young Lee

HYMN *Come and Find the Quiet Center* see insert

INTRODUCTION TO SELAH

SELAH QUIET (3 minutes)

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC *Largo* Galliard

## LOVE & JUSTICE

AN OPEN & AFFIRMING CREED (in unison)

We are not alone,  
we live in God's world.

We believe in God:  
who has created and is creating,  
who has come in Jesus,  
the Word made flesh,  
to reconcile and make new,  
who works in us and others  
by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:  
to celebrate God's presence,  
to live with respect in Creation,  
to love and serve others,  
to seek justice and resist evil,  
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,  
our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,  
God is with us.

We are not alone.  
Thanks be to God.

## WISDOM & TRUTH

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| *HYMN                   | <i>Let There Be Light, O God of Hosts</i> | NCH #589 |
| GOD-TALK FOR YOUNG ONES |   |          |
| PSALM READING           | <i>Psalms 22:19-28</i>                    |          |
| NEW TESTAMENT READING   | <i>Galatians 3:23-29</i>                  |          |
| GOSPEL READING          | <i>Luke 8:35-39</i>                       |          |
| REFLECTION              | "The Lenient One"                         |          |
| *HYMN                   | <i>Great Is Your Faithfulness</i>         | NCH #423 |

**RESPONDING TO THE EXPANSIVE LOVE OF GOD**

JOYS, SORROWS OR CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

INVITATION TO SHARE & PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

\*DOXOLOGY

NCH #780

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise God all Creatures here below.  
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts,  
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*CLOSING WORDS

POSTLUDE

*Tocatta on Olde Hundredth*

Austin G. Lovelace

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*We hope you received God's comfort, insight and inspiration through worship, prayer  
and song that carries with you through the week.*  
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## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday 10:00 a.m. Worship Service  
~In-person Worship will be live-streamed via Facebook~

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Today's Deacon in Charge:

Diana Drachenberg  
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***In our Prayers this week, we remember:***

Ruth Seeds, Paul Stansel (Joanna Vastola's brother), Marianne Wright, Sue Piercy, Walter and Jackson (Robin Anderson's sons), Tommy McCormack (Bev Letendre's cousin), Students & Educators, Healthcare Workers, Essential Workers, Charlene Archambault, Marilyn Borry, Sandy Dombroski, Fran Rose, Charlotte Karabin, Gabriel Smykla, Bobbi & Norm Turcottte, Leslie Urbanski

**The families and friends of:** Annaliese Sabonis, Tom Kozlak, Chris Smith (Sue Piercy's Grandson's Dad), Mark Ouellette (Michael Fraychak's cousin), Beulah Robinson (Beth Fraychak's aunt), Jean Haltner (Russ Drachenberg's aunt), Walter Shelton (Herve Letendre's friend)

**Members and friends serving in the military:** Renny Astolfi Sr., Thomas Heslin, Beth Smith, Mark Joseloff, Adam Smith, Spencer Pelletier, James Palmer, Mark Terrill, Ryan Steikers, Shawn Ellis

For peace, wisdom, and compassion in our communities, state, nation, and world and in the leaders therein.