



Carrollton Presbyterian Church

A Heart In The City

A SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

11:00 AM



PREPARING TO WORSHIP GOD

We welcome you to Carrollton Presbyterian Church. Let the Musical Meditation be a call to reverent silence in which all may become aware of His presence.

CENTERING MOMENT

Come, sing O church in joy! Come, join O church in song! For Christ the Lord has led us through the ages long. In bold accord- come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!

MUSICAL MEDITATIONS

Come Sing, O Church in Joy!

John Darwell

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

OPENING SENTENCES

Greg Stewart

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made!
People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Greg Stewart

PRELUDE

For the Beauty of the Earth

by Joel Raney

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Greg Stewart

Leader: In sacred times of word, wonder, and awe, in ordinary days of work and play:

People: **in every moment, God is with us.**

Leader: As we honor what is behind us,

People: **in every person, God is with us.**

Leader: Whether we are stuck in doubt's mud, or standing on faith's shoreline:

People: **in every place, God is with us.**

Leader: As we look ahead to what is across the water;

People: **in every place, God is with us.**

*HYMN

Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain

GTG # 234

*CALL TO CONFESSION

Greg Stewart

Jesus Christ gave himself as a ransom for all who fall short of the goodness of God. Trusting in God's mercy, let us turn to God and make our confession.

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Greg Stewart

Holy God, we confess that we are too concerned with our own peace. We seek the comfort of silence, and ignore the cries of the oppressed. We are inwardly focused, missing your call to serve the world in justice and love. Forgive us, O God. Equip us to fulfill your will for a world in which all know dignity and all are treated with equity, as your beloved children.

*ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

Leader: Believe the Good News of the Gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

People: Thanks be to God

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

Leader: Just as we have been forgiven in Christ, let us forgive and be at peace with one another.

The peace of our Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you!**

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

*GLORIA PATRI

GTG # 581

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! A-men. A-men.

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalms 114

Pew Bible OT Page # 563

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

I'm Gonna Sing

arr. Marc Douglas

TORAH READING

Exodus 14:10-31

Pew Bible NT Page #60

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Looking Across the Water

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD***HYMN**

Come and Seek the Ways of Wisdom

GTG # 174

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH- THE APOSTLES' CREED**

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

I believe in God the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

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.

THE PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Greg Stewart

God has told us what is good; and what does the Lord require? To do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with our God. Let us offer the gifts of our lives and our labors to God.

OFFERTORY

Beautiful Isle of Somewhere

*(You are invited to bring your offering to the plate on the Communion Table)****THE DOXOLOGY**

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

GTG # 606

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

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

FOLLOWING GOD INTO THE WORLD***HYMN**

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

GTG # 65

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes

***POSTLUDE**

Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!

by Mary McDonald

The livestream does not end until the conclusion of the Postlude.
Please refrain from talking until after the Postlude.

* You are invited to stand, if able

We are live streaming this service so people can join us wherever they are; therefore, your image may show up on our broadcast. Thanks to everyone who is viewing from home. You are as much a part of this service as anyone attending in person. You add power to our congregation's prayer and praise.

WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

<u>Interim Pastor:</u>	Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes
<u>Liturgist:</u>	Greg Stewart
<u>Music Director:</u>	Julie Lowry
<u>Organist:</u>	Bryant Hand
<u>Pianist:</u>	Leslie Goldsmith
<u>Musical Meditations:</u>	Mary Ann Taylor
<u>Acolyte:</u>	Elliot Snyder
<u>Virtual Worship Technicians:</u>	Keith and Robin Ellison, Stephen Gross, Jared Price, & Jane Taylor
<u>Ushers:</u>	Chase Robinson



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Today, we welcome our new Interim Pastor, Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes, to lead worship for the first time here at Carrollton Presbyterian Church.

Following today's worship service, please join us for a reception in Westminster Hall as we properly welcome Rev. Kate to CPC!