

CHORUS 1a

in Your Pres - ence, Lord. Ho - ly Spir - it, You are
wel - come here; Come flood this place and fill the at - mos - phere; Your glo - ry, God, is what our

The musical notation for Chorus 1a is written on two staves in G major (one sharp). The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. It contains a whole rest followed by a quarter rest, then a half note G, a quarter note A, a half note B, a quarter note C, a half note D, a quarter note E, a half note F#, and a quarter note G. The second staff continues with a half note A, a quarter note B, a half note C, a quarter note D, a half note E, a quarter note F#, a half note G, a quarter note A, a half note B, a quarter note C, a half note D, a quarter note E, a half note F#, and a quarter note G. The lyrics are written below the notes.

INTERLUDE 1

hearts long for, to be o - ver - come by Your Pres - ence, Lord.
Your Pres - ence, Lord. Pres - ence, Lord. Pres - ence, Lord.

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INTERLUDE 2

Your Pres - ence, Lord. Your Pres - ence, oh God,

The musical notation for Interlude 2 is written on two staves in G major. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. It contains a whole rest followed by a quarter rest, then a half note G, a quarter note A, a half note B, a quarter note C, a half note D, a quarter note E, a half note F#, and a quarter note G. The second staff continues with a half note A, a quarter note B, a half note C, a quarter note D, a half note E, a quarter note F#, a half note G, a quarter note A, a half note B, a quarter note C, a half note D, a quarter note E, a half note F#, and a quarter note G. The lyrics are written below the notes.

BRIDGE 1a

how we love Your Pres - ence, Lord. Let us be - come more a - ware
of Your Pres - ence; Let us ex - per - i - ence the glo - ry of Your good - ness.

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BRIDGE 1b



Let us be - come more a - ware of Your Pres - ence; Let us ex - per - i - ence the glo-

CHORUS 1b



ry of Your good - ness. Lord. Ho - ly Spir - it, You are



wel - come here; Come flood this place and fill the at - mos - phere; Your glo - ry, God, is what our



hearts long for, to be o - ver - come by Your Pres - ence, Lord._____

The Welcome

Jesus Christ and our faith community welcome you to worship today.

We are a community that prays for and with one another. If you wish, we invite you to fill out a Joys & Concerns card (in the pew rack) to share your prayer request. If you are a visitor and would like us to get in touch with you, please provide your information on the back of the Joys & Concerns card. An usher will collect them later in the service.

During the service, you are invited to stand as you are able where an asterisk () is printed, and speak or sing in unison all passages in bold.*

Let us take a few moments of silence as we prepare our hearts to worship God.

*Call to Worship

Leader: Rejoice in the Lord always! The Lord is near!

People: **With prayer and thanksgiving we set aside our worries, asking God for what we need.**

Leader: And so the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding,

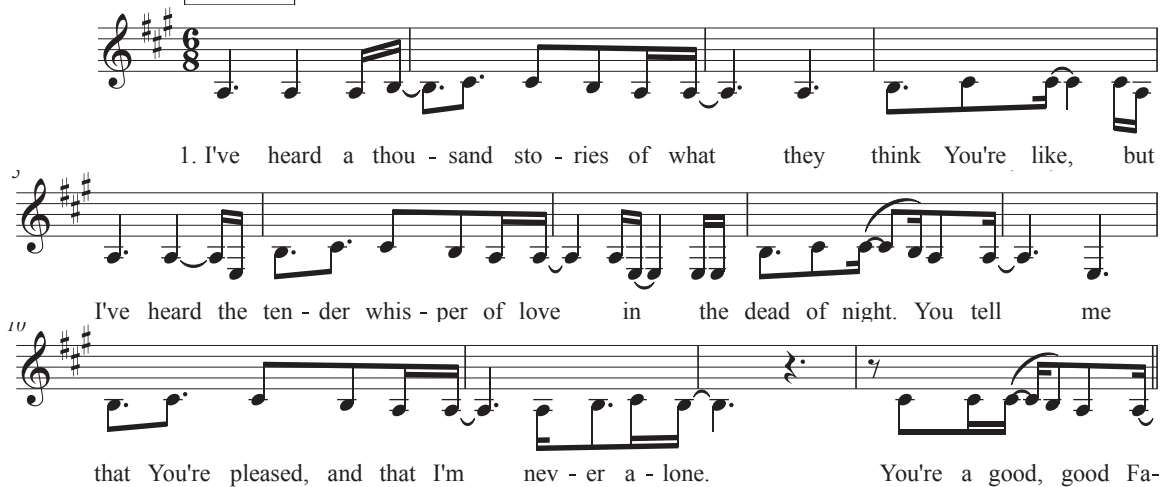
People: **Will keep our hearts and our minds in Christ.**

*Song of Praise

Good Good Father

Anthony Brown

VERSE 1



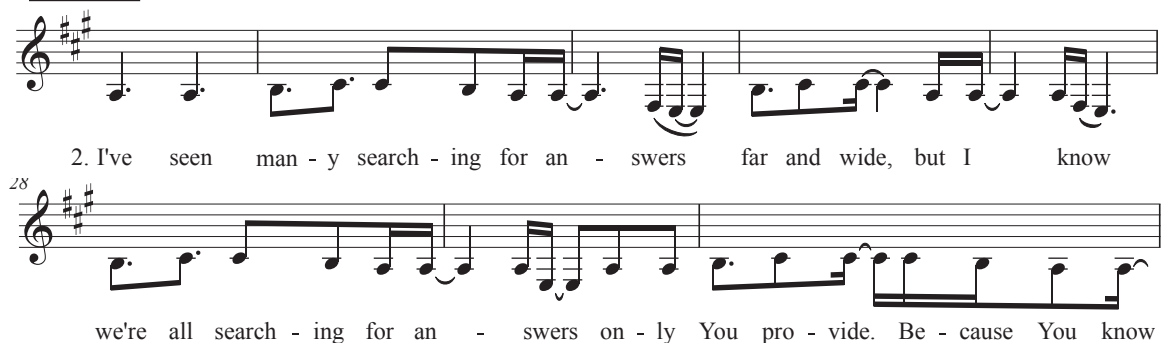
1. I've heard a thou - sand sto - ries of what they think You're like, but
I've heard the ten - der whis - per of love in the dead of night. You tell me
that You're pleased, and that I'm nev - er a - lone. You're a good, good Fa-

CHORUS



ther; it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are. And I'm loved by You;
it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am.

VERSE 2



2. I've seen man - y search - ing for an - swers far and wide, but I know
we're all search - ing for an - swers on - ly You pro - vide. Be - cause You know

31 just what we need be - fore we say a word. You're a good, good Fa-

CHORUS

ther; it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are. And I'm loved by You;

38 it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am. You're a good, good Fa

BRIDGE

42 it's who I am. You are per - fect in all of Your ways. You are

46 Bm7 A D2 F#m7
per - fect in all of Your ways. You are per - fect in all of Your ways to

INSTRUMENTAL

50 1 2
E(4) E(4) A Asus A5
us. You are us.

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VERSE 3

30

3. Love so un - de - ni - a - ble, I can

61

hard - ly speak. Peace so un - ex - plain - a - ble, I can hard - ly think as You call

66

me deep - er still, as You call me deep - er still, as You call me

deep - er still in - to love, love, love. You're a good, good Fa

*Confession and Assurance

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

— The Sacrament of Baptism —

Receiving the sacrament of baptism today is

Colette Eloise Cioromski,

child of **Elizabeth and Nick Cioromski,**

sponsored by **Grace Cioromski and Patrick Murray.**

Congregational Question

Leader: Friends, do we, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture this child by word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging her to know and follow Jesus, and to be a faithful member of His church?

People: **We do.**

***The Apostles' Creed** *(unison)*

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 sin; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Baptism

The Welcome *(unison)*

With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's church.
We are all members of the household of God and family through Jesus Christ.

Sung Response NO. 188 *(stanza 1)*

Jesus Loves Me!

TUNE: JESUS LOVES ME

***Jesus loves me, this I know,
For the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to Him belong.
They are weak, but He is strong.***

***Refrain: Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
The Bible tells me so.***

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 103:8-14

(Old Testament, page 554 in pew Bible)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

New Testament Reading

Colossians 3:12-17

(New Testament, page 201 in pew Bible)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Fighting with Family; Passing the Peace:
The Ordinary Work of Shalom"

Rev. Clinton G. Roberts

Offering

Improvisation on "Gift of Love"



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A Moment for Mission

Ryc Loope and Lynne Beyer

Sharing of Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer 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.

*Song of Sending

*Charge and Benediction

*Sending

An Update on the All-Church Survey

After review of the data and weeks of discussion, the Survey Task Force presented their recommendations to Session on Monday, June 26, for the new worship schedule in the coming fall. Session voted to accept the recommendations for new worship times starting Sunday, September 10. See the schedule below or scan the QR code to read to learn details about worship this fall!

Thank you to everyone who participated in the All Church Survey! We received a total of 274 responses, and we appreciate you taking your time in giving us your feedback.



The "Making Sunday Work for Everyone" Task Force:

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Worship Services

SUNDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

SUNDAYS at 9:30 AM starting Festival Sunday, September 10 in the Sanctuary
Predominantly traditional musical offering with the Organ and Sanctuary Choir
Childcare from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM, Children's Faith Building during worship

Sunday School Sundays during worship

The 9:30 AM service will have Sunday School for children ages 3 – 4th grade, exploring Bible lessons with the Spark Curriculum. The children will start in worship in the Sanctuary and go to Sunday School in the upstairs classrooms after the Word for Children. On Communion Sundays (the first Sunday of the month) they will return to worship for Communion with their families.

WEDNESDAYS at 6:30 PM starting September 13 in the Sanctuary
Contemporary and casual worship with music from the Worship Ensemble
Childcare from 6:00 PM – 7:45 PM, Children's Faith Building 6:00 – 6:30 PM

Coming up...



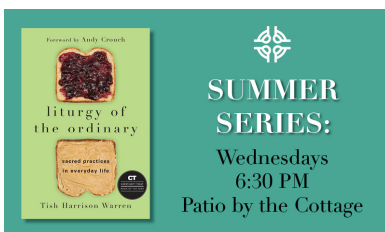
Celebrate Mission: An Evening in the Garden

Join us in celebrating Mission and raising funds for our neighbors, near and far, on Saturday, September 16. It will be an evening of fellowship, live music, appetizers, and drinks, featuring an auction for unique experiences and a tour of Westmoreland Farm. Details and registration opens on Monday, July 24! Watch our social media and your inbox!



Congregational Meeting on July 30

The Session has called for a Meeting of the Congregation to act on Rev. Clinton G. Roberts' request to retire as Pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Lake Forest on August 1 and the dissolution of his relationship with the congregation. The meeting will take place in the Sanctuary (and via Zoom) during worship on Sunday, July 30. Zoom link will be emailed to active members on Sunday morning.



Summer Series: Liturgy of the Ordinary

This summer, we are exploring Tish Harrison Warren's book *Liturgy of the Ordinary: Sacred Practices in Everyday Life*. It will be the theme of our Sunday worship, and there are drop-in conversations every week! Join the 30-minute pastor-led discussions on the patio beside the cottage on Wednesdays at 6:30 PM. Books are available for \$12.

Contact Information for Susan Noble, Director of Children's Music

For any Children's Music questions or concerns, please note that the email for Susan Noble has changed to childrensmusic@firstchurchlf.org.

View our Weekly Schedule of ministries, and find details and Zoom links on our church website: www.firstchurchlf.org/ministries

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This Week's Calendar

TODAY

- 9:45 AM** Nursery open until 11:15 AM, Room 212
10:00 Worship, Sanctuary
Playground Church, Playground
11:00 Fellowship, Great Room

MON

- 9:30 AM** Rummage Sorting, Rummage Sorting Room
7:00 Mom's Bible Study, Bride's Room

TUE

- 1:00 PM** Prayer Shawl Ministry, South Parlor
5:00 Staff Support Team Cmte. Mtg., Parish House/Zoom

WED

- 10:00 AM** Wednesday Women's Bible Study, S. Parlor/Zoom
11:00 Resource Grp: Caregivers of Terminally Ill, Bride's Rm
5:30 PM Wednesday Night Supper, Outdoors
6:30 Summer Series: Liturgy of the Ordinary, Patio
7:00 Worship Ensemble Rehearsal, Sanctuary

THU

- 6:30 AM** Daybreakers Men's Ministry, Great Room/Zoom
9:30 Rummage Sorting, Rummage Sorting Room

FRI

- 7:00 AM** Men of Corinth Bible Study, South Parlor/Zoom

A Reception for Pastor Clint

Join us as we celebrate the pastorate of Rev. Clinton Roberts with our love and thanks for four years of ministry at First Presbyterian Church of Lake Forest.



Sunday, July 30, 11:00 AM
in the Great Room

As is our custom, a parting gift will be collected.

If you wish to contribute, please do so by Tuesday, August 15. Please make any checks out to First Presbyterian Church of Lake Forest, and note in your gift that it is for Pastor Clint.



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Rev. Kristie W. Finley
Christina Maldonado
Nathan Fivecoate
Worship Ensemble
Georgia Sottosanto-Sorenson, AV Support
Ryder Gamrath, AV Support

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Jeff Hinch
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Dick Johnson
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