## First Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 3, 2016 10:00 a.m.

### **ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME**

Hymn Sing (9:45) Concerns of the Church Prelude

"Prelude" Albinoni

Call to Worship
This is the day the Lord has made!
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
Sing praise to the Lord, all you faithful:
give thanks in holy remembrance.

\* Hymn 667 "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

Ushers will collect prayer request cards from the center aisle.

- \* Call to Confession
- \* Prayer of Confession

Source of all that gives us life, we have turned away from your authority to our own small concerns.

Forgive us for our failure to bear one another's burdens, for boasting of anything but your cross, for believing in our own power to justify our lives, and for denying your call to take comfort in you alone. Lead us to the river of life that in all we do, we may honor your name.

- \* Silent Confession
- \* Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace
- \* Response 390 "Praise, Praise, Praise the Lord!"

Praise, praise, praise the Lord! Praise God's holy name. Alleluia! (repeat)
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#### PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Isaiah 66:10-14 (OT, p. 697)

Psalter: Psalm 30 (Hymnal 798)

Special Music "Song for the Unsung Hero" Martin

Second Lesson: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20 (NT, p. 71)

Sermon: "Can't Stay Here" Rev. Carter

#### RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\* Hymn 295 "Go to the World"

\* Affirmation of Faith: Apostles' Creed (Hymnal, p. 35)

Offering

Offertory "Go Ye Into the World" Sleeth

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer (Hymnal, p. 8)

The Words of Institution

Communion of the People

Please hold the bread until all are served, so that we might share it as a sign of our unity in Christ. As a sign of individual devotion and commitment, you may drink the cup as you are served.

### **GO IN GOD'S NAME**

\* Hymn 298 "Lord, You Give the Great Commission"

\* Charge and Benediction

\* Postlude "Melita" arr. Smith

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\* All who are able shall stand.

**The flowers** this morning have been given by Sandra and Steuart Bailey to the glory of God with love and in honor of their 58<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

#### PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Rev. William G. Carter Pastor Organist Kay Ten Eyck Liturgist John Weiss Ushers Gayle Hamilton, Andrew Taylor Welcomers Sandra and Steuart Bailey Instrumentalists Connie Weiss, oboe; Beverly Bright, piano; John Weiss, cello Vocalists Jenna Ash, Barbara Norton, Shirley McLaughlin, sopranos Barbara Brown, Meg Hatch, Connie Weiss, altos Max Earl, Ben Kontz, Andy Kepler, tenors Chris Norton, John Weiss, basses



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The Harvest is Plentiful, but the Laborers are Few...

### Isaiah 66:10-14

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her— that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom. For thus says the Lord: I will extend prosperity to her like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm, and dandled on her knees. As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass; and it shall be known that the hand of the Lord is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

# Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and

say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' "Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me."

The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."