Grace and Peace Presbyterian Church

Order for the Worship of God — 10:30 a.m. on October 4th, 2020

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 100

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

OPENING HYMN Rejoice, All Ye Believers (TH# 320)
Laurentius Lurenti (1700)

Rejoice, all ye believers, and let your lights appear; the evening is advancing, and darker night is near: the Bridegroom is arising, and soon he draweth nigh; up, pray, and watch, and wrestle: at midnight comes the cry.

Our hope and expectation, O Jesus, now appear; arise, thou sun so longed for, o'er this benighted sphere. With hearts and hands uplifted, we plead, O Lord to see the day of earth's redemption that brings us unto thee.

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended to the dead.

The third day He arose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 126

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen

SCRIPTURE READING

Haggai 2:10-19

SERMON

Hope for the Contaminated

John Hayward

PRAYER

THE LORD'S SUPPER

CLOSING HYMN

We are God's People (TH# 355) Bryan Jeffery Leech (1976)

We are God's people, the chosen of the Lord, Born of His Spirit, established by His Word; Our cornerstone is Christ alone, And strong in Him we stand: O let us live transparently And walk heart to heart and hand in hand.

We are God's loved ones, the Bride of Christ our Lord, For we have known it, the love of God outpoured; Now let us learn how to return The gift of love once given:

O let us share each joy and care,
And live with a zeal that pleases Heaven.

BENEDICTION

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Sermon Notes Haggai 2:10-19 Hope for the Contaminated John Hayward

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John Hayward comes to us from the Susquehanna Valley Presbytery where he is licensed to preach and serves as Upper School Dean of Covenant Christian Academy in Harrisburg. He is married to Heidi and they have 3 children, Katherine (4), Joel (almost 3), and Alaina (1.5). He will be ministering the Word of God for 4 weeks.