



**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF ANAHEIM**

**NOVEMBER 8, 2020**

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **CHORAL INTROIT**

*Take My Life*

arr. Kevin Memley

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory,  
**The Lord of hosts is with us.**

Let us lift up our hearts!

**We lift them up to the Lord!**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

**It is a good and joyful thing to give God thanks and praise!**

### **HYMNS WE KNOW BY HEART**

#### **HYMN**

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the eye of sinfulness Thy glory may not see,  
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**God of wonder and joy, we look in the mirror and do not see holiness reflected back.**

**We yearn to be more compassionate, yet it is often spite and malice we offer to others.**

**We are so busy listening to those internal voices, that we have trouble hearing the cries of loneliness coming from those around us. Forgive us, O God, for you long to be enthroned in our hearts.**

**You call us to different lives, so we might make a difference for all who hurt.**

**You invite us into your kingdom, so we might show the others the way.**

**You challenge us to take a risk by following Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior,  
so we might live as your children once again.**

### **ANTHEM**

*Let the Hungry Come to Me*

arr. Shawn Kirchner

### **SCRIPTURE**

Isaiah 6:1-8

## SERMON

“Here I Am, Here We Go”

## AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

by Rev. Kathleen Henrion

I believe in God, creator of all things, whose heavenly song sent the planets into motion. Even when we go astray, God calls us back, showing us the fullness of life and giving us new songs of praise for each and every day. I believe in Jesus Christ who lived for us and among us, healing the sick, easing the burdens of all people, and teaching us the new song of God's kingdom. He showed His love for all God's children in His death and the hope for eternal life in His resurrection. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the breath of life who sings God's grace through all time and space. I listen for the Holy Spirit through the history of songs sung by all the communion of saints and through the unwritten songs of all who are to come in the future. I believe that God has a song for my life as well. Amen.

## PRAYER & 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.

## HYMN

*Here I Am Lord*

*I, the Lord of sea and sky. I have heard My people cry, All who dwell in deepest sin.  
My hand will save. I who make the stars of night; I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?*

*Refrain: Here I am, Lord. It is I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, where you lead me; I will hold Your people in my heart.*

*I the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain. I have wept for love of them,  
They turn away. I will break their hearts of stone; Give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak My word to them. Whom shall I send? [refrain]*

*I the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame; I will set a feast for them  
My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide Till their hearts be satisfied  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? [refrain]*

## BENEDICTION

## CHORAL RESPONSE

## POSTLUDE

*Allegro*

J.S. Bach

## Today's Worship Leaders:

Kim Skilling, Pastor

David Hughes, Director of Music Carol Hughes, Accompanist

Kyrstin Ohta, Soloist AFPC's Intern Choir

Carol Talbot and Harvey Taylor, Heart Hymn Storytellers

Abbott Hatch, Video and Sound