

The flowers this morning are given by
Carl Plaughter and Pam Weiger in memory of our dearest friend, Peggy.

This Week at Riverside

Sun	8/29	9:00 am	"Fusion" Youth Group - Pfeiffer Room (Ages 11-17)
		10:00 am	Worship - Sanctuary
		11:00 am	Fellowship Time - Fellowship Hall
Wed	8/31	10:00 am	Prayer Circle - Galilee
		7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study - Parlor/Zoom
Sun	9/5	9:00 am	Blood Drive (appointment encouraged, code #9534)

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Welcome

On behalf of Riverside Presbyterian, it is my pleasure to welcome you to worship this morning. The opportunity to worship together as the Family is one of God's great gifts.

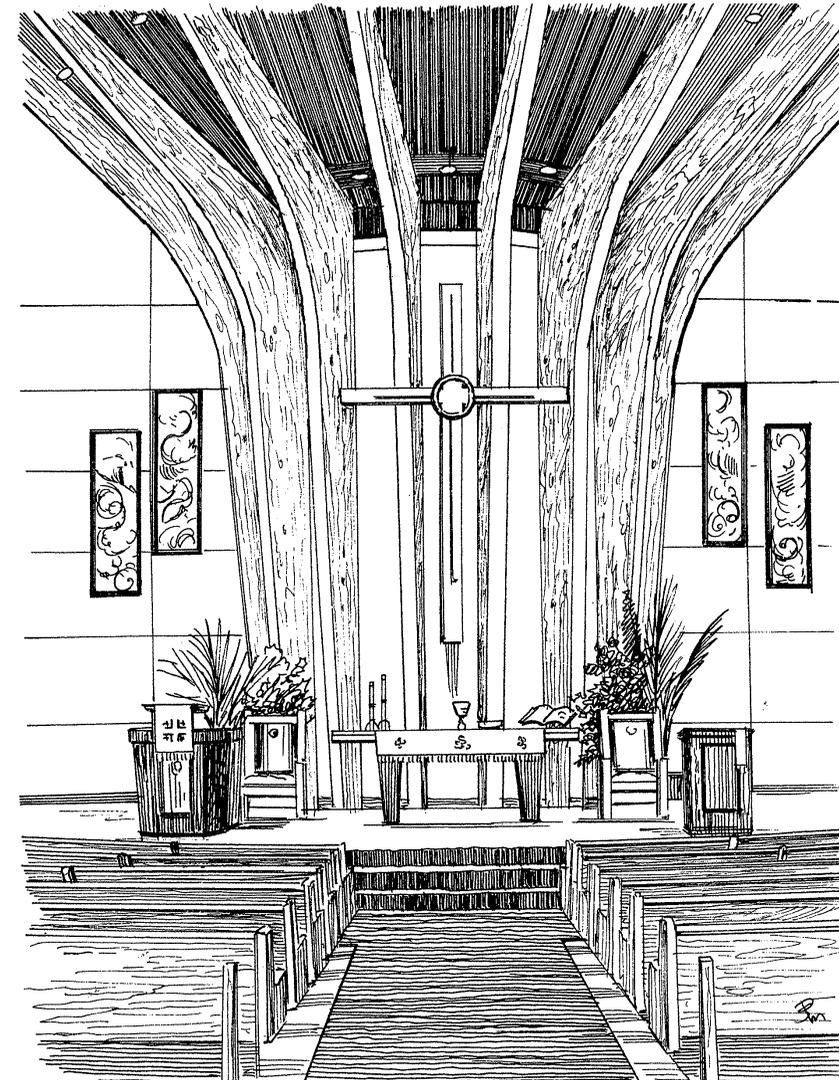
It is my hope that this time and place will be a grounding place for us all,
one that enables us to live as freely and fully as God intends.

Blessings on each and every one of your heads, Pastor Chris



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Monday-Thursday: 9am to 2 pm
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RIVERSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 29, 2021 ~ 10am WORSHIP

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News of the Kingdom

Prelude

Call To Worship (Psalm 45)

Nelson McCray, Lay Leader

One: My heart overflows; I address my verses to the King;
my tongue is like the pen of a ready scribe!

Many: **Your throne, O God, endures forever and ever!**
Let all of creation praise the King!

*Stirring of the Spirit

Praise Song

Pass Me Not

Psalm 66 Praise Band

Praise Song

10,000 Reasons

Psalm 66 Praise Band

Prayer of Confession, the Lord's Prayer and Silent Confession

Almighty and Everlasting God, we offer ourselves to you,
acknowledging the limitedness of our humanity, especially as it
compares to you. We know who we are, whose we are, and what is
expected of us. Yet, we find ourselves constantly turning from
Truth. Return us again to your care that the lives we lead might
be worthy of the truth you speak over us. In Jesus' Name we pray
as we've been taught ...

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.

* Please stand if you are able.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Passing of the Peace

Fusion Youth

*Hymn #15 *All Creatures of Our God and King, vs 1,2,4,6*

Epistle Reading

James 1:17-27

Special Music

Indescribable
Logan Denninghoff

Prayer of the People and for Illumination

Gospel Reading

Mark 7:1-4

Sermon

(), *Where Identity Lies*

Rev. Dr. Chris Carson

*Hymn #720

Jesus Calls Us

*Benediction

*Sending Song

This Little Light of Mine

Psalm 66 Praise Band

Postlude

Next Steps

Wondering what your Next Steps with Riverside might be? The Session would love to explore this with you! We meet the 1st Sunday of every month, 9:15am in the Judea Room in the Knox (office) building. All questions and people are welcome! See Pastor Chris for more info.



Worship Notes, August 29, 2021
Welcome to worship! We are excited you are here! As you attend worship today, use this sheet to help you stay engaged and learn.

Today's passage is Mark 7:1-4

7 Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around him, ² they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. ³ (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; ⁴ and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.)



What words did you hear but not understand?

Underline what you like in today's passage.

Circle what is confusing in the passage. Later today, ask someone to explain it to you.

Put a box around the main part. Tell another what you think is special about it.

If you were speaking about today's passage, what would you say?

What word did you hear over and over today? What does it mean?

What nice thing did you do for another today? What did you do?

What did you learn about God today?

Which of today's songs was your favorite? Why?

God loves you - and so does your church family!!!