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ARCH STREET
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 9, 2024 /10:45 a.m.

**"We are God's lighthouse:
a compassionate and inclusive community
that welcomes everyone to join us as
we do justice, promote equity,
show kindness, love mercy,
and walk humbly with God."**

ASPC's Revised Mission Statement

Order of Worship

Prelude

J. Donald Dumpson

Work of the Community

Carla Jones Brown

***Song of Praise**

O Give Thanks

Congregation

O give thanks unto the Lord for He is good! He is good (2x)!

He is worthy, worthy! He is good, yes, He is good (2x)!

Call to Worship

Leader: We gather to give thanks to You, O Lord,

People: with all our heart!

Leader: We will sing Your praises before all creation,

People: and rejoice in Your steadfast love!

Leader: You have created us O Lord, and made us for Yourself,

People: In You we become everything You have made us to be!

***Hymn** (*see insert*)

All Things Bright And Beautiful

Congregation

Invitation to Tell The Truth

Prayer of Confession

O God of compassion, if you kept a record of our sins, who could stand? We come before you with our brokenness and our wounds for all to see. We bring our anger, our bitterness, our unwholesome talk, and our deceitfulness. We try to do good, but sometimes fail. We choose to do evil, and sometimes succeed. Keep your promise to forgive us when we confess to you completely. Without you, we have no hope.

A moment for silent reflection and confession

Leader: We entrust these prayers to you O God. Amen

All: Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Sacrament of Baptism

Carla Jones Brown and Lawyer Chapman

Children are welcome to come forward and take a seat near the baptismal font.

Promise of the Family

Promise of the Congregation

Prayer

Baptism

Presentation of the Newly Baptized

***Passing the Peace** Amen, Amen, Amen! Congregation
Leader: Peace of Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.

***Sung Response of Thanksgiving** Thank You, Lord Congregation
Thank You Lord (3x), I just want to thank you Lord.
Been So Good (3x), I just want to thank you Lord.
Saved My Soul (3x) I just want to thank you Lord.

Scripture Reading Psalm 138:1-8 NRSV

I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise; I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness; for you have exalted your name and your word above everything. On the day I called, you answered me, you increased my strength of soul. All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O LORD, for they have heard the words of your mouth. They shall sing of the ways of the LORD, for great is the glory of the LORD.

For though the LORD is high, he regards the lowly; but the haughty he perceives from far away. Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve me against the wrath of my enemies; you stretch out your hand, and your right hand delivers me. The LORD will fulfill his purpose for me; your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever. Do not forsake the work of your hands.

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God
People: Thanks be to God

Sermon A Song of Profound Gratitude Carla Jones Brown

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Leader: The Lord be with you

People: And also with you

Leader: Lift up your hearts

People: We lift them up to the Lord

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Prayer of Thanksgiving 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.

Distribution of Elements

Communion Music Let Us Break Bread Together Congregation
Let us break bread together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us break bread together on our knees.

Refrain:

**When I fall on my knees,
with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)**

Let us drink wine together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us drink wine together on our knees. (Refrain)

Let us praise God together on our knees; (on our knees)
let us praise God together on our knees. (Refrain)

Offering of Self

Carla Jones Brown

***Offering Music**

ASPC Choir and Congregation

***Benediction**

Carla Jones Brown

****Please stand as you are able.***

20 All Things Bright and Beautiful

Refrain

All things bright and beau-ti - ful, all crea-tures great and small,

all things wise and won-der - ful, the Lord God made them all. *Fine*

1 Each lit - tle flower that o - pens, each lit - tle bird that sings,
2 The pur - ple-head-ed moun-tain, the riv - er run-ning by,
3 The cold wind in the win - ter, the pleas-ant sum-mer sun,
4 God gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell

God made their glow-ing col - ors; God made their ti - ny wings.
the sun - set, and the morn - ing that bright-ens up the sky:
the ripe fruits in the gar - den, God made them ev - ery one.
how great is God Al - might - y, who has made all things well. *to Refrain*

One of a series of hymns the author wrote for children on the Apostles' Creed, this text (originally in seven stanzas) expands "Maker of heaven and earth." The first stanza became the refrain when the text was later set to a popular tune from the age of King Charles II.



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Sunday, June 9, 2024 @ 4:00PM

A free-will offering will be received.



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1724 Arch Street Philadelphia, PA 19103
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Psalms 138:1-3; 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

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faithfulness	stouthearted	continually	everything	answered
thankful	ceasing	exalted	rejoice	without
Always	called	praise	temple	thanks
above	Jesus	bold	holy	lord
love	pray	sing		

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