



SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Valley Community Presbyterian Church
8060 SW Brentwood, Portland, Oregon 97225

August 8, 2010 at 10:00 AM

❖ *Please stand as you are able*
Bold Text is spoken by everyone

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

HYMN SING

WELCOME & COMMON CONCERNS

(Please sign and pass the friendship folder)

PURPOSE IN ACTION

Habitat for Humanity, Prayer Shawl

❖ CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

Gather Us In No. 2236
Verses 1 and 2 only

❖ CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist, Dan Rueff

Be glad and rejoice forever!

We shall enjoy the work of our hands. Children shall be raised in security, and old people shall live long and with honor. The natural world shall be in harmony, and no more shall there be human weeping or the cry of distress.

No one will hurt or destroy in all God's holy mountain.

God is creating a new heaven and a new earth.

God began with one resurrection. It is important to understand that we are part of that resurrected life.

God is putting an end to death.

God began with one life. It is important to understand that we are part of that one life.

❖ HYMN

Open My Eyes That I May See

No. 324

CALL TO CONFESSION

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, we find ourselves running down the street after lies, rather than walking with you. We find it easy to love other people, as long as they don't annoy or bother us. We hunger for love and search for affirmation, yet find it difficult to let others love us for who we are.

Forgive us, Compassionate God. You listen to the whispers of our hearts, and then sing of the promises of hope. You grace us with peace, so our hearts

can rest in you. You continue to transform us into Easter people, brothers and sisters of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

... *Silence is kept* ...

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Not everything has been revealed to us, but this we do know: as God's children, we are blessed, we are loved, and we are forgiven.

Our lives have been transformed by the abundant mercy given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord. Thanks be to God! Amen.

❖ RESPONSE OF PRAISE

Gloria Patri

No. 579

❖ THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you!

A TIME WITH THE YOUNG CHURCH

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

SPECIAL MUSIC

Like As We Do Put Our Trust

Wesley

Raoul Bellis-Squires, bass; Adam Steele, baritone

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Genesis 3:1-20 and 1 Corinthians 15:21-22, 45-47

Holy Wisdom, Holy Word
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Of the First Disobedience

Pastor Minshew

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER (p.16)

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

OFFERING

Call for the Offering
Offertory

(Note: After the offertory, please rise as the ushers pass your pew to present the offering for dedication.)

❖ Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 592

❖ Prayer of Dedication

God of grace and mercy, we sing you our praises, we recite our confessions, we offer our commitment in response to your love. You did not spare your Son, but gave him up so that we may be made whole. We pledge our trust in Christ to deliver us worthy of your call to discipleship. Bless what we give as signs of obedience as we seek to be faithful. Amen.

GO IN GOD'S NAME

❖ HYMN

Christ Is Risen

No. 109

❖ BENEDICTION

❖ CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Go Ye, Go Ye into the World

No. 2239

POSTLUDE

*You are invited to exit following the benediction,
or remain seated and conclude worship with the postlude.*