

SUGAR CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)



Connecting in Christ's friendship

Growing in God's grace

Serving where the Spirit sends



We Welcome you to Sugar Creek this morning!

We are here to connect with God, and each other. We are here to grow in our faith.

We are here to serve. Worship the Lord. Join in song and prayer.

Listen for God's Word to you.

Sunday, July 2, 2017 ~ 10:00 AM

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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Sunday, July 2, 2017 ☞ Proper 8, Lectionary 13 ☞ 10:00 AM

Nursery care is available for infants to age 2. +Those who are able please stand.

Gathering around the Word

Welcome

Rev. Brad Dardaganian

Prelude

My Country, Tis of Thee arr. Chatham
Michael Hefner, piano; Carole Misenko, organ

Call to Worship

Carolyn Reno, Liturgist

Come to the waters; come, eat and drink.

The Lord gives us food in due season.

Come to Christ; come, eat and be filled.

By the grace of God, there is plenty for all.

+Hymn of Praise *Lord, We Have Come at Your Own Invitation* Blue #516

+Call to Confession

+Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Almighty God, mother of mercy, father of grace: You have called us to one table, but we have pursued our own course. You have promised us the abundance of all creation, but in our greed, and in our envy, the world goes without. You have promised us the bread of life itself, but in our pride, and in our arrogance, the world goes hungry. You have promised us the waters of peace and justice, but in our violence, and in our discord, the world goes thirsty. And now we are famished, too, Lord. Have mercy on us. Forgive us, again. Transform us, at this table, and for this table, and send us from this table as servants of your righteousness, by the power of your Son, our Lord. Amen.

(A time for self-examination and silent prayer.)

+Assurance of Pardon

God's love has been poured into our hearts through the gift of the Holy Spirit. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

All: Thanks be to God.

+Glory to God

Glory Be to the Father

Blue #581

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

Blessing the Youngest Disciples

Children, age 3 through 5th grade, are invited to come forward for a time with the Pastor. After the Blessing Song, children will depart together to KCC.

Discover Your Strength in God

Feel your heartbeat, signal boldly.

Feel the courage, God's given you.

Call upon the Lord on high!

Search and you will find.

Discover your strength in God,

Discover your strength in God,

Discover your strength in God today.

Proclaiming the Word

Scripture Reading

Exodus 16:1-8

(OT p.62-63)

Sermon

“Breaking Bread Together” Rev. Brad Dardaganian

Matthew 26:17-30

(NT p. 30)

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

+Hymn

Let Us Break Bread Together

Blue #513

Responding to the Word

Prayers of the People

Sharing Our Petitions and Thanksgivings

A time when worshipers speak their name and briefly share joys and concerns as part of their offering to God their prayer requests, thanks and praises.

Pastoral Prayer

Dedicating Ourselves to the Way of Jesus

Offering and Offertory *God Bless America*

Berlin

+Doxology (unison) and Prayer of Dedication

Blue #592

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Communion will be served by Intinction this morning.

Please come forward by the center aisle and return to your seats by the side aisles.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer (In Unison)

Blue Hymnal p. 16

Bearing and Following the Word in the World

+Hymn

Take My Life, and Let It Be

Blue #391

+Charge & Benediction

+Postlude

Battle Hymn of the Republic

arr. Chatham



Following the service, please enjoy a time of fellowship.

Rev. Brad Dardaganian

PASTOR

Wendy D. Berkshire
DIRECTOR OF FAMILY MINISTRIES

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