

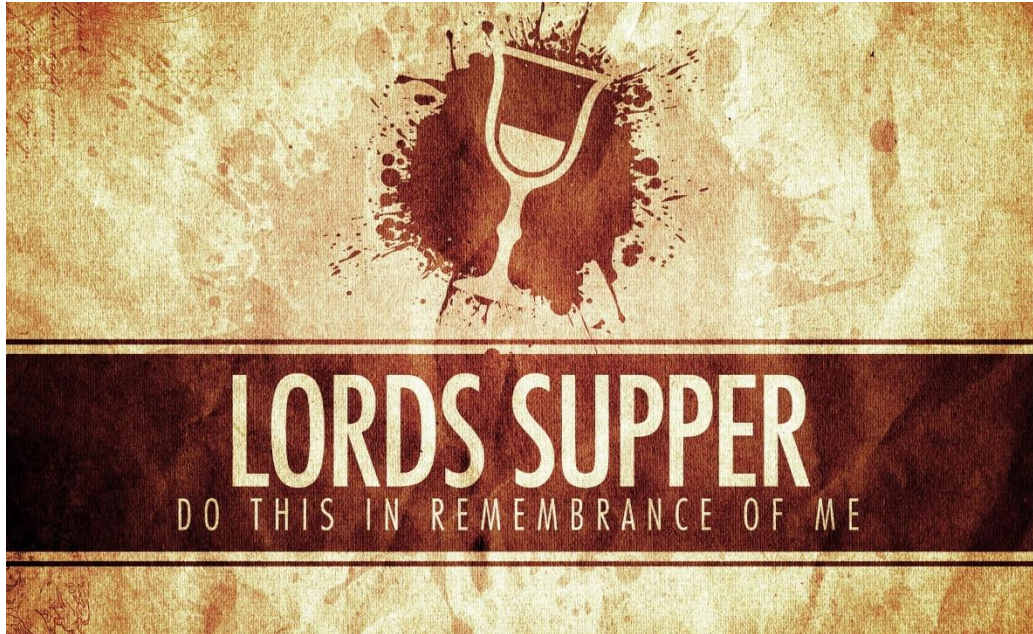
SUGAR CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)



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 23, 2017 ~ 10:00 AM

SUGAR CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)
THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Sunday, July 23, 2017 ☞ Proper 11, Lectionary 16 ☞ 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

When in Our Music God is Glorified
John O'Malley, oboe; Carole, piano

Engelberg

Call to Worship

Tony Peters, Liturgist

People of God, let us gather to worship and praise God's name.

I give thanks to you, O God, with my whole heart.

I will glorify your name forever!

For great is your steadfast love for me.

You have delivered my soul from the depths.

God says, "Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go."

+Hymn of Praise

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

Blue #551

+Call to Confession

+Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Merciful God, your creatures cry—creation groans—but we turn away; we surround ourselves with noise. We are quick to excuse ourselves from responsibility: we are young; we are old; we are tired; we are busy. It is hard to imagine that we might make a difference.

Life-giving God, wash us clean. Restore our imaginations and our hearts. Let your courage and compassion flow through our veins until we love with abandon and our hands reach out in blessing, for the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God. Amen.

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

+Assurance of Pardon

...So be reconciled with God and at peace with one another.

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 12:1-11

(OT pg 58)

Sermon

“Community and Communion”

Rev. Brad Dardaganian

Luke 22:7-23

(NT p. 86)

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

+Hymn

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

Blue #510

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 *Nearer, My God, to Thee*

Bethany

+Doxology (unison) and Prayer of Dedication

Blue #592

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Communion will be served by intinction. When indicted by the pastor, please come forward by way of the center aisle and return to your seat by the side aisles. If you cannot come forward, you will be served where you are seated.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Lord's Prayer

Blue hymnal pg 16

Prayer after Communion

Bearing and Following the Word in the World

+Hymn *Arise, Your Light is Come!* Blue #411

+Charge & Benediction

+Postlude *When the Roll is Called up Yonder* arr. Albrecht



Following the service, please enjoy a time of fellowship.

Rev. Brad Dardaganian
PASTOR

Wendy D. Berkshire
DIRECTOR OF FAMILY MINISTRIES

Carole Misenko
ORGANIST

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