

OAK HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH: ONLINE WORSHIP

August 23, 2020

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

10:30 a.m.

Gathering Music

Brian Beckmann & Paul Bordeaux

Welcome and Zoom Instructions

Rev. Erin Counihan

Prelude

Pie Jesu

Susan Brown

Call to Worship *(Adapted from Romans 12:1-8)*

Dena Roper

One: When times were hard and the people were worried, Paul reached out and told his siblings in faith, “Do not be conformed to this world,

Many: But be transformed by the renewing of your minds...”

One: Use that transformation to figure out what is good and acceptable and perfect and what is the will of God.

Many: Be transformed. Be renewed. Do not get squashed down.

Do not let this world break your heart, your spirit, or your body.

One: Be freed. Be open. Be wild. Be love.

Many: I appeal to you, therefore, siblings in Christ, by the mercies of God,

One: Don’t get squashed. Do not be crushed. Resist. Hold on. Shake loose.

Remember that your body was made to soar in the freedom of the Spirit, in service to God, in the grace of Jesus.

Many: And with these soaring free bodies, minds, and spirits, we gather in God’s presence.

One: With these gifts we’ve been given, every muscle, every thought, every movement, every cell, we celebrate what God has created, and what God is still creating.

Many: Beloved family, let us move and shake, study and sing, with love for our God!

One: Come, let us worship our God.

Special Music

O God Beyond All Praising

Kim Smith

Opening Prayer and Peace

Rev. Dr. Alan Meyers

Time for Growing Disciples

Rev. Erin Counihan

Scripture Reading

Exodus 1:8 – 2:10

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Reflection

Rev. Erin Counihan

Hymn

For the Troubles and the Sufferings
(see page 2 for lyrics and a link to sheet music)

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Prayer

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Announcements

Rev. Erin Counihan

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Benediction

Rev. Erin Counihan

***Fellowship Time**

In Zoom Break-Out Rooms

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HYMN #764 - For the Troubles and the Sufferings

Sheet music can be found here: <https://hymnary.org/hymn/GG2013/764>

For the troubles and the sufferings of the world,
God, we call upon your mercy:
the whole creation's laboring in pain!

Lend an ear to the rising cry for help
from oppressed and hopeless people.
Come! Hasten your salvation, healing love!

We pray for peace,
the blessed peace that comes from making justice,
to cover and embrace us.
Have mercy, Lord!

We pray for power,
the power that will sustain your people's witness:
until your Kingdom come,
Kyrie eleison!

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