

Altavista Presbyterian Church

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in the Presbytery of the Peaks

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Our Mission

As members of the Body of Christ is to be His voice and hands helping all people.

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Worship for the Lord's Day

June 21, 2020 Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 10:00 AM

The congregation's responses are in **bold italics**.

Welcome The Lord be with you. *And also with you.*

Announcements Please see the bulletin insert for all announcements.

Prelude Beside Still Waters Martha Keen

In order to prepare for worship, you are invited to pray silently during the prelude.

Call to Worship Psalm 86:1-10 (NKJV) p.513

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Beloved, in the risen Christ, we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God!

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Romans 6:1-11 (ESV) p.981 **Lesson**

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!

Call to Offering

Offertory Immortal Love

Brian Glyn Cannon

During the offertory, you are invited to bring your offering to the communion table.

Prayer of Dedication

Pastoral Prayer

Old Testament

Deut. 5:1-5, 8-10 (NASB)

p.156

Lesson

The word of God for the People of God. *Thanks be to* God!

"Thou Shalt... The Second Commandment" Sermon

Charge and Benediction

Postlude Stand Up for Jesus arr. Lani Smith

Recommendations for a safe Return to Worship

- 1. There is no obligation to come to worship. We will continue to post services online, I will continue to post short Bible Study videos, and the office will continue to receive pledges by mail.
- 2. Only come if you are healthy and consider staying home if you have a pre-existing condition that could be worsened by coronavirus or are anxious about being around others.
- 3. The choir is not obligated to sing, but is at liberty to reconvene at the discretion of the choir director and accompanist.
- 4. Household units are to maintain a six-foot distance between other, non-relative households.
- 5. Masks are encouraged for the sake of the peace of mind of others.
- 6. Please do not shake hands or come in physical contact with persons outside of your household, this includes myself and our musicians.
- 7. The offering will be collected at the front, where the plates will remain. Congregants are invited to come forward during the offertory.
- 8. Our sexton, Mr. Joe Barbour, will be instructed to thoroughly clean the sanctuary, especially doorknobs.

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Joys and Concerns for Prayer

Please contact the church office if you have prayer concerns.

Prayers For....

- God's church here at APC and for His guidance.
- Our session & church leaders.
- Our nation and all our elected leaders.
- Hospice patients and their caregivers.
- Dianne Emmett
- Ryan Hedgepeth
- Carol Moorefield
- Al Smith

- Carolyn Lees
- Margaret Liebchen
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- Joyce Coleman
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- Kathi Bogert
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The **Lay Reader** today is **Martha Moore**.

We are in need of **Sunday Participants** (Lay Readers and Ushers) to serve in the ministry of the church for the month of July. Please sign-up on the bulletin board if you are available.

People to Contact at APC

Session (Active Elders)

Harrison Bell ('22) Ministry Support

Keegan deBernard ('21) Youth Elder

Kevin deBernard ('22)

Christian Education

Cynthia Erb ('22) Worship

> John Erb ('21) Clerk of Session

Linda Janiak ('22)

Ministry Beyond the Congregation

Barbara Podrebarac ('21)

Ministry Beyond the Congregation

Chip Roark ('21)

Property

Janette Walker ('21)
Ministry Within the Congregation

Rev. Ed Soto Moderator of Session

Staff

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Carolyn Doss
Church Secretary

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