

# *First Presbyterian Church of Rumson, NJ*



*Our Mission Statement - "We, the First Presbyterian Church of Rumson, are called by God to be a spiritual and visible presence by living out our faith and sharing our gifts among God's people."*

# *Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost*

*November 6, 2022 : 9:45AM*

## *Assemble In God's Name*

PRELUDE "*I Will Trust in the Lord*" ..... Arranged by Chuck Marohnic

**RINGING OF THE BELL**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

INTROIT "*My Lord! What a Morning*" ..... Arranged by Jay Althouse  
~ Offered by *Suzanne Parmly* ~

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Leader:*        *Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;*

**People:**        **Break forth into joyous song and sing praises.**

*Leader:*        *Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, With the lyre and the sound of melody.*

**People:**        **With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King,  
the Lord.**

*Leader:*        *Come, make a joyful noise, sing praises!*

**People:**        **Come, let us worship the Lord!**

**\*HYMN #35 "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"** ..... Lobe Den Herren

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (in unison)

Holy God, we confess that too often we ignore your assured presence. We try to forge our own paths and chart our own waters. Preferring independence, we ignore your aid, your comfort, and your peace. Wrapped up in ourselves, we ignore the needs of others. Hear us, forgive us, and heal us, dear God. Embrace us in your steadfast love, and help us continue to learn how to be faithful followers of Jesus. Amen.

**TIME OF SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*GLORIA PATRI (#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. A - men, A - men.**

**THE PEACE**

## *Listen for God's Word*

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING ..... Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21 (pg. 714 OT)

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING ..... Luke 20:27-38 (pg. 103 NT)

SERMON “*Asking Better Questions*” ..... Rev. Linda Goeddel  
\*HYMN #707 “*Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord*” ..... Hall

## *Respond to God*

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

WE GIVE OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “*Blessed Are You, Lord God of All Creation*” ..... Joe Cox

\*THE DOXOLOGY (#607)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;      Praise Holy Spirit ever more;  
Praise Christ, all people here below;      Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

## *The Sacrament of Communion*

INVITATION

*Leader: The Lord be with you.*

**People: And also with you.**

*Leader: Lift up your hearts.*

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

*Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND THE LORD’S PRAYER..... Spoken

*Leader: ...we praise you and join their unending hymn:*

**All:      Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
            God of power and might,  
            heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
            Hosanna in the highest.  
            Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
            Hosanna in the highest.**

“The Lord’s Prayer” ..... Spoken

BREAKING OF THE BREAD AND THE GIVING OF THE CUP

## *Go in God’s Name*

\*HYMN #716 “*God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending*” ..... Beach Spring

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION “*Benediction*” ..... Jay Althouse

*\*Please stand if you are able*

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**Sunday Service**  
**9:45am**

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