

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of BROKEN BOW, NEBRASKA**  
**WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY**

June 5, 2016

10:00 A.M.

**Third Sunday After Pentecost, Proper 5**

We extend an enthusiastic welcome to all who would worship here or join us in fellowship. We affirm that there can be no exclusion within the body of Christ. If you need assistance, please check with the ushers. If you have a prayer request, please fill out a request slip found in the pews and place it in the offering plate or send it to the church office.

*If you would like to have a conversation about joining our church, please contact Pastor Gary Smith.*

\* Please rise in body or spirit

**Bold** - Read in Unison

Preparation for Worship

Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ, that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you, our Rock and our Redeemer.

PRELUDE:

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS – Gary Smith

SHARING THE PEACE:

The Peace of Christ be with you. **And Also with You.** Let us share the peace of Christ with those among us

\* COLLECT/OPENING PRAYER –

Gary Smith

\* CALL TO WORSHIP: Responsive -Liturgist- Molly Woodward

Praise the Lord, O my soul!

**Happy are those whose help  
is in the God of Jacob.**

The Lord sets prisoners free  
and opens the eyes of the blind.

**God lifts those who are bowed down,  
and loves the righteous.**

God watches over strangers  
and upholds widows and orphans.

**Praise the Lord, God of all generations.**

Let us worship God.

**“O for a Thousand Tongues To Sing!”**

\* **HYMN # 610**

\***CALL TO CONFESSION –**

**Gary Smith**

\* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION — Unison – Liturgist Molly Woodward**

**God of the prophets, we confess that we have failed to heed your word.**

**You have the power to help and heal, yet we cling to our own provisions.**

**You are able to raise us up to new life, yet we fail to trust what you can do.**

**Forgive us, God of grace. Change our hearts and lives and challenge us to expect great things from your mighty acts of mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

\***DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS – Gary Smith**

**Thanks be to God.**

\***RESPONSE-** “Glory be To The Father”

HYMN# 581

**CHILDREN'S TIME –**

**Pastor Gary Smith**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION – Liturgist Molly Woodward - Unison**

**Spirit of truth, Breath of life,  
as the Word is read and proclaimed,  
teach us what we need to know.  
Inspire us; breathe in and through us.  
Lead us with your fiery presence,  
so that we may follow you without fear.**

PREPARATION – Liturgist Molly Woodward

The Word is near to us,  
on our lips and in our hearts.

Romans 10:8

First Reading

Psalm 146 Liturgist Molly Woodward  
The Word of the Lord...**Thanks be to God**

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Second Reading

Luke 7:11-17

Gary Smith

Page 82 NT

MESSAGE

“He Did What?!”

Pastor Gary Smith

\*HYMN #787

“God Weeps with Us Who Weep and Mourn”

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – Unison

**We believe that God is the one who wishes to bring about justice and true peace among people. We believe that God, in a world full of injustice and enmity, is in a special way the God of the destitute, the poor, and the wronged.**

*Adapted from the Confession of Belhar*

\*TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\* DOXOLGY

No. 606

CELEBRATION OF LORD’S SUPPER - INSERT

PRAYERS

\*HYMN #792

“There Is a Balm in Gilead”

\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

\*SUNG BENEDICTION “They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love”

**---(Everyone stand and join hands while singing) ---**

**We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,**

**We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,**

**And we pray that all unity may one day be restored:**

**And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;**

**Yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.**

\*POSTLUDE

A special **THANK YOU** to everyone that helped with worship.

Bill Reichert ~ Organist

Jan Dobesh ~ Pianist

Greeters/Ushers ~ Andrew Miller, Marcus Miller & Grant Reynolds

Liturgists ~ Molly Woodward



**SUNDAY June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016**  
**Communion Sunday**  
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**Thanksgiving**

With joy we praise you... the whole creation to proclaim the glory of your name.

**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.**

**Thanksgiving for the Work of Christ**

We give thanks to God the Father that our Savior, Jesus Christ...we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**Memorial**

**Christ has died,  
Christ is risen,  
Christ will come again.**

*Prayer for the Work of the Spirit*

Lord, our God, send your Holy Spirit ... O Lord, into the glory of your kingdom.

*The Lord's Prayer*

[breaking the bread]

*Distribution*

*Bread is held for everyone to partake together.*

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*Acclamation*

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