

# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SEBASTIAN



*Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid;  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Spirit,  
that we may more rightly love you, and magnify your name;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

*29th Sunday of Pentecost*

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## Carillon Chimes

### Welcome and Announcements

**Call to Worship<sup>1</sup> (Unison):** Isaiah 55:6-7 **Seek the LORD while he may be found, call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the LORD, that he may have mercy on them, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.**

### **\*Affirmation of Faith<sup>2</sup>**

Apostles' Creed

### **\*Hymn 43** *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

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All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all;  
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall,  
'Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all;  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe On this terrestrial ball,  
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all;  
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng We at His feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all;  
We'll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all!

### Invitation to Confession

#### Prayer of Confession (in unison)

**Lord Jesus, You gave Your life for us that we might receive pardon and peace. Mercifully cleanse us from all sin, and evermore keep us in Your favor and love. You live and reign with the Father and the Spirit and we are grateful. Hear our prayer made in Jesus' name.** *(Silence for Individual Confession)*

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1. Please silence electronic devices

2. Catholic means universal, not the Catholic church

\* Please stand if you are able.

## **\*Assurance of Pardon**

### **\*Sung Response: #347 v. 4 *And Can It Be?***

No condemnation now I dread; Jesus, and all in Him is mine!  
Alive in Him, my living Head,  
And clothed in righteousness divine;  
Bold I approach th' eternal throne  
And claim the crown, thro' Christ, my own.  
Amazing love! How can it be  
That my God, shouldst die for me?

**Scripture Lesson**          Psalm 150                          Liturgist: Juanita Leioatts

**Choir Anthem**                  *Borning Cry*                                  DANIEL KALMAN  
Sue Heitmeyer, soloist; Rochelle Sallee, pianist

## **Sermon Scripture**

**Sermon**    Pastor Jeff Wood

## **Hymn Sing**

## **Invitation to Offering and Offering**

## **Prayer of Dedication and Lord's Prayer**

**Ascription of Praise**    Jude 24-25

Now to him who is able to keep you from falling, and to make you stand without blemish in the presence of his glory with rejoicing, to the only God our Saviour, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, power, and authority, before all time and now and for ever. Amen.

**\*Hymn 682**    *Guide Me, O Thy Great Jehovah*

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Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,  
Pilgrim through this barren land;  
I am weak, but Thou art mighty;  
Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand;  
Bread of Heaven; Bread of Heaven,  
Feed me till I want no more,  
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain,  
Whence the healing stream doth flow;  
Let the fire and cloudy pillar  
Lead me all my journey through;  
Strong Deliv'rer, strong Deliv'rer,  
Be Thou still my strength and shield,  
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,  
Bid my anxious fears subside;  
Bear me through the swelling current,  
Land me safe on Canaan's side;  
Songs of praises, songs of praises  
I will ever give to Thee, I will ever give to Thee.

**\*Charge and Benediction**

Wherever you are, Christ has put you there.  
There is something He wants to do through you there.  
Wherever you go, Christ is sending you.  
The indwelling Christ has something  
He wants to do through you there.  
Believe this and rely on His power,  
His grace, and His love.

*--Adapted from R. Halverson, former Chaplain of the Senate*

**\*Response**                    **"Shalom"**

**Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends.  
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.  
In all your living and through your loving,  
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.**