

New Life Presbyterian Church

June 26, 2011

Mine is the church where everybody's welcome,
I know it's true 'cause I got through the door.
We are a dazzling bouquet of every kind of flower
Jump in the vase, 'cause we've got space for more.

Come here, all you six-foot gladiolas.
Come, all you purple lilacs shining bright.
Come, let us all bloom together in the garden:
A carnival of fragrance and delight.



We don't simply tolerate each other.
We ask and tell, we don't just turn away.
We give attention to every bud
and blossom.
Let every face come grace
the grand bouquet.

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† Please stand if you are able

PH - Presbyterian Hymnal, SF - Sing the Faith, BOJ - Book of Joy

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The chimes call us to the tables for worship.

Prelude

Grace and Peace to you in the name of Jesus. Welcome.

Gathering

† Gathering Hymn

“Morning Has Broken”

PH

*Announcements and Introductions
Welcome and Introduction of Guests*

The chimes signal a time of silence in order to center ourselves for worship.

We kindle the first light.

*It is our custom at New Life to light the votive candles on the Communion table
as we sing hymns, pass the peace of Christ, and offer prayers of the people.*

Please come forward at any of these times.

Call to Worship

One. Come together right now.

**All: Let us sing with joy and pray with full hearts
and listen for God’s Word for us this day**

† Hymn

“Gather Us In”

SF 2236

Hearing the Word

Psalm reading 89:1-4, 18-19

Biblical Calling

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession

**Dear God your grace is overwhelming.
Your love all encompassing. Your hope overflows.
In this knowledge we come to you. We know where we have fallen short.
We know where we've hurt our sisters and brothers.
We know where we have hurt the earth you gave us to tend.
These and many other ways we have fallen short of your hope for us.
Dear God we believe when we repent and turn to you
we feel the fullness of your mercy. Thanks be to God.**

Assurance of Pardon

NL Choral Ensemble

Directed by Matalie Wham

Mine is the Church ("A Dazzling Bouquet")

Words and music by Bret Hesla, 1995

A time with the children

Children leave for Sunday Circle.

† Sharing the Peace of Christ

*To our guests and first time visitors today: During the sharing of the Peace
it is our custom to move around and greet one another. Please join us.*

† Hymn

"What Makes the Wind Blow?"

BOJ 178

Scripture

Matthew 10: 40-42

Sermon "All Are Welcome"

Rev. Bobbie G. McGarey

Sung Call to Prayer (remain seated) "Creator I Adore You"

SF 2038

The Chimes Signal the Prayers of the People
Pastoral Prayer
The Prayer of Jesus

Invitation to the Offering ~ A Response to God's Love

Offering

Improvisational Music by Matalie Wham

† Doxology

Copies on Tables

† Unison Prayer of Dedication
My heart, my all, is yours.

Going Out

† Sending Hymn

"Joy in the Morning"

SF 2284

† Unison Charge from The Brief Statement of Faith
In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks
and to live holy and joyful lives,
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,
praying, Come, Lord Jesus!
With believers in every time and place,
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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This morning's service was prepared by Bobbie McGarey and the Worship Committee.  
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Next Week is worship at Menaul School.

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