

Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church

February 9, 2020

Striking of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Olivia Webb

Prelude/Processional “Lord Prepare Me to be a Sanctuary”
Youth Choir

Call to Worship

Sarah Robert

One: Feel the rain on your skin.

All: Only you can let Him in.

One: No one else.

All: No one else can speak the words on your lips.

One: Drench yourself in words unspoken.

All: Live your life with arms wide open.

One: Today is where your book begins.

All: The rest is still unwritten.

Prayer of Invocation

Brantley Carson

*Hymn 377 “I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”

Faith Statement

Lilly Wood

*Prayer of Confession

Olivia Webb

Lord, throughout our short lives, we have lost faith in you and made bad choices and decisions. You gave us free choice as a gift, but we squandered it. We had the choice to follow you and we failed to see your glory and righteousness. Please help us to make the right decisions so that we can follow you on the straight and narrow. Guide us with your wisdom so that we can carry out your will. Amen.

Let us take this time now to confess silently what is hard for us to share with others or out loud...

*Words of Assurance

Kailyn Snyder

*Gloria Patri

Hymn #581

Passing of the Peace

Toby Bradner

Anthem

“Surrounded by Love”

Cherub and Melody Choirs

Scripture Reading

Proverbs 3:5 - 6

Grace Jacob

Faith Statement

Faith Jacob

Scripture Reading:

Jeremiah 29:11

Joseph Plucker

Faith Statement

Elizabeth Plucker

Sacrament of Baptism (See Bulletin Insert)

Faith Statement

Noah DeCarmo

Confirmation of Faith (see Bulletin Insert)

Prayers of the People

Joseph Plucker

The Lord’s Prayer (Hymnal, p.35)

Macy Neal

Offering

Toby Bradner

Offertory

“”Rescue”

Youth Choir

Lauren Daigle

*Doxology

Hymn #606

*Prayer of Dedication (unison)

Sophia Haupt

God of heaven and earth, we thank you for the gifts you have given us and in return we give you this offering. As children of God, we owe our greatest strengths and talents to you. As we dedicate our lives to you through baptism and confirmation, use us and these gifts to your service. Amen.

*Hymn 729

“Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”

Faith Statement

Wyatt Moore

*Benediction

Confirmands

Youth Choir Response

“Cant Help Falling in Love”

* Postlude

*Please stand if able

*The Call to Worship and Youth Choir Response come from Sarah Robert’s Faith Statement.

Meet Our Confirmands:

Elizabeth Plucker, daughter of Nicole Plucker and Chris Plucker, is an 8th grader at Dunbar Middle School and enjoys theater and writing.

Sarah Robert, daughter of Scott and Laura Robert, is an 8th grader at New Covenant School and enjoys violin and theater.

Lilly Wood, daughter of Casey and Jill Wood, is an 8th grader at Dunbar Middle School and enjoys theater.

Joshua Webb, son of Michael and Diane Webb, is an 8th grader at Forest Middle School and enjoys soccer.

Noah DeCarmo, son of Merry Joy and Jonathan DeCarmo, is a 9th grader at E.C. Glass High School and enjoys theater.

Wyatt Moore, son of Allen and Alison Moore, is a 9th grader at E.C. Glass High School and enjoys theater and cooking.

Faith Jacob, daughter of Michael and Tami Jacob, is a 9th grader at Heritage High School and enjoys theater, tennis, orchestra and writing.

A special thank you to our mentors for this Confirmation Class.

Liz Huband - Elizabeth Plucker

Nikki Kariuki - Sarah Robert

Andrea Webb - Lilly Wood

Skip Wodke - Joshua Webb

Alex Haney - Noah DeCarmo

Clyde Harkrader - Wyatt Moore

Lisa Cawthorne - Faith Jacob

Thank you to all of the Jr. and Sr. High youth who helped put this service together.

Sr. High:

Olivia Webb, Joseph Plucker, Virginia Robert, Faith Jacob, Kailyn Snyder,
Chase Hall, Noah DeCarmo and Wyatt Moore

Jr. High:

Sarah Robert, Elizabeth Plucker, Lilly Wood, Brantley Carson, Morgan Cook, Toby
Bradner, Grace Jacob, Macy Neal, and Sophia Haupt

Thank you to Casey Wood, the Youth Choir and Robert Kreis for the music today.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS this Sunday are given by Helen A. Ford and family to the glory of God and in loving memory of her parents, Helen and Kiah T. Ford, Jr.

Faith is a Decision



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**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
THE CONFIRMATION OF FAITH**

February 9, 2020

Confirmands: Elizabeth Plucker, Lilly Wood, Sarah Robert, Faith Jacob, Wyatt Moore, Noah DeCarmo and Joshua Webb
Candidate for Baptism: Noah DeCarmo

STATEMENT ON BAPTISM - Matthew 28:18-20

Clyde Harkrader

LITANY OF BAPTISM

Nikki Kariuki

Minister: There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling,

People: one Lord, one faith, one baptism. One God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.

Minister: You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation; God's own people

People: in order that we may proclaim the mighty acts of the One who called us out of darkness into God's marvelous light.

Minister: The promise is for you, and for your children

People: everyone whom the Lord God calls.

THE BAPTISM of Noah DeCarmo

PRESENTATION OF CONFIRMANDS

Lisa Cawthorne

On behalf of the session, I present Noah DeCarmo for the Sacrament of Baptism and *Elizabeth Plucker, Lilly Wood, Sarah Robert, Faith Jacob, Wyatt Moore, Noah DeCarmo and Joshua Webb* as new members confirming their faith.

QUESTIONS TO CONFIRMANDS

Rev. Nancy Dawson

Do you affirm your own faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord?

Do you renounce evil and affirm your reliance on God's grace fulfilled in the Lord Jesus Christ for your salvation?

Do you declare your intention to participate actively and responsibility in the worship and mission of the church?

QUESTIONS TO THE CONGREGATION:

Alex Haney

Do you, the members of this congregation, in the name of the whole Church of Christ, promise to support and encourage Elizabeth, Faith, Lilly, Noah, and Wyatt as they grow in faith and service to Jesus Christ?

Will you endeavor by your example and fellowship to strengthen their ties with this congregation and the entire household of God?

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Andrea Webb

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYER FOR THE BAPTISM

Rev. Nancy Dawson

Minister: The Lord be with you

People: And also with you.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION

Julie Dyke

PRESENTATION AND CHARGE TO THE CONFIRMANDS

Liz Huband

CLOSING PRAYER