

## Riverside Presbyterian Church

November 8, 2020 ~ 10:00 am

23rd Sunday after Pentecost

### A WAY OUT OF NO WAY

"I will remember the covenant between me  
and you and every living being."

God

"I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to  
myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and  
keep my covenant ..."

Exodus 19 & 20

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE      *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*      arr. Behnke

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CALL TO A TIME OF WORSHIP & LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

OPENING PRAYER

OPENING HYMN      *O God, Who Gives Us Life*

1 O God, who gives us life and breath, who shapes us in the womb,  
2 O God, who calls your peo-ple out to ven-ture and to dare,  
3 O God of cov-e - nant and law, re - vealed in cloud and flame,

who guards our lives from birth to death, then leads us from the tomb:  
to plumb the bleak a - byss of doubt and find you e - ven there:  
your might - y deeds e - voke our awe; we dare not speak your name.

de - liv - er us from fears that kill the life we have from you.  
when we de-spair in wan - der-ing through wastes of emp - ty lies,  
Yet we by faith are drawn to you and will your peo - ple prove,

Help us to know your Spir - it still is mak - ing all things new.  
re - fresh us with the liv - ing spring of hope that nev - er dies.  
as on our hearts you write a - new the cov - e - nant of love.

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Lynda Nadkarni

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Exodus 19 & 20 selected verses

MEDITATION

*A Way Out Of No Way: Consecrating*

A TIME OF REFLECTION

FOCUS ON MISSION & INVITATION TO OFFER OUR GIFTS

Your continued financial gifts allow the ministry and mission of RPC to continue during this time.

MUSICAL RESPONSE

*For the Life That You Have Given*

**For the life that you have given, for the love in Christ made known,  
with these fruits of time and labor, with these gifts that are your own:  
here we offer, Lord, our praises; heart and mind and strength we bring;  
give us grace to love and serve you, living what we pray and sing.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER (Common Version)

**Our Father, in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from  
the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power,  
the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

*On Eagles' Wings*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *O Worship the King - Fanfare and Chorale*

Burkhardt

1 You who dwell in the shel-ter of the Lord, who a -  
(2) snare of the fowl - er will nev - er cap-ture you, 7 and  
3 You need not fear the ter - ror of the night, nor the  
bide in his shad-ow for life, say to the Lord, "My  
fam-ine will bring you no fear: un - der his wings, your  
ar - row that flies by day; though thou - sands fall a -

ref - uge, my rock in whom I trust!"  
 ref - uge, his faith - ful - ness your shield.  
 bout you, & near you it shall not come.

Refrain

And he will raise you up on ea - gles' wings, bear you on the  
 breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun,  
 and hold you in the palm of his hand. (2) The  
 4 For to his an - gels he's giv - en a com - mand to  
 guard you in all of your ways; up - on their hands they will  
 bear you up, lest you dash your foot a - gainst a stone.

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