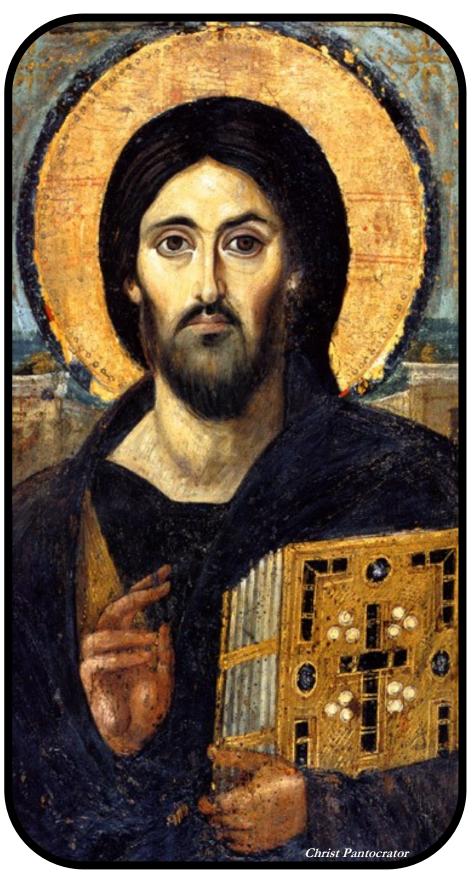
PRAYER **** TAIZ





East Liberty Presbyterian Church

Wednesday, June 9, 2021 • 7:00 pm

116 South Highland Avenue ♦ Pittsburgh, PA 15206 **412.441.3800** ♦ www.ELPC.church

Prelude by Gerard Rohlf

Welcome and Opening Centering/Candle Lighting by Rev. BJ Woodworth

10 Sing Praises to the Lord



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43 Holy Is The Name of God



Sung Response: NB37 Alleluia 16



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May the Great Birther who created you In wholeness, comfort you when you call! May the Name of Love be your protection And rise up in your heart As a tower of strength!

ALLELUIA

May all you have given in gratitude And with open hands Be returned to you a hundredfold! May your heart's desires And all of Love's plans for you Be fulfilled in due season!

ALLELUIA

Let us shout for joy
As Love triumphs over fear;
Let our thankful hearts
Sing in loud acclamation to the Beloved,
Who answers our heartfelt
Prayers for well-being.

ALLELUIA

Now I know that Love comes to all Who open their hearts, and dwells therein Offering gifts of peace and harmony.

ALLELUIA

Some may boast of wealth and personal power; They will stumble and fall. Let us boast of the One who Comes in the Name of Love; We shall rise up strong and sure.

ALLELUIA

O Beloved, You who created us, You bless us with your Love, For you are the Divine Guest Dwelling within our hearts.

ALLELUIA



The Word/Meditation: 2 Corinthians 5:14-17

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Prayer by Brother Roger

You are the God of every human being and, too bright for us to look upon, you let yourself be seen as in a mirror, on the face of your Christ. We are eager to glimpse a reflection of your presence in the confusion of people and events: open in us the gateway to transparency of heart.

NB6 Dona Nobis Pacem (Give us peace of heart. Give us peace.)



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Video Prayers of Intercession: BEHOLD, theworkofthepeople.com, music by Alana Levandoski

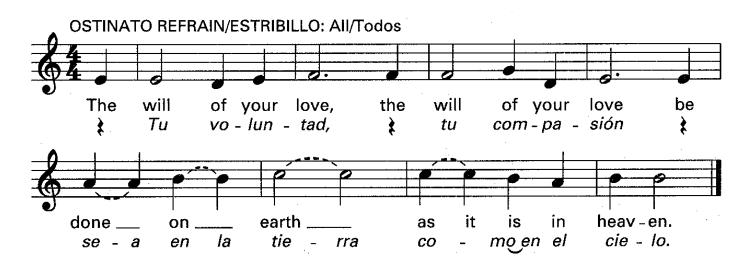
Silent Prayers of Intercession



NB53 The Lord's Prayer



G107 The Will of Your Love



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INFORMATION ABOUT TAIZÉ

ABOUT TAIZÉ: Taizé is an international ecumenical prayer community in Taizé, France which was founded in 1940 by a young seminary student, Roger Schultz, as a place of hospitality and reconciliation during World War II. Today, thousands of young people come each week to Taizé to pray with the brothers and discern God's purpose for their lives. Taizé Prayer Pilgrimages and Intercontinental Meetings around the globe bring together thousands more in an effort to become the prayerful, reconciled presence of Christ wherever they live.

Taizé prayers at East Liberty Presbyterian Church were begun in the Spring of 1992 in preparation for an intercontinental meeting in Dayton. The experience proved to be so meaningful that we have continued to pray every Wednesday evening since then, inviting people of all backgrounds to join with us.

Taizé is located in eastern France, southeast of Paris, north of Lyons, due west of Geneva, Switzerland, between the towns of Chalon-sur-Saône and Macon. Here are the ways to get Taizé information:

Address: Taizé Community, 71250 TAIZE, France

To contact Taizé: community@taize.fr
To visit Taizé: meetings@taize.fr
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You are welcome at any of our programs and worship services. It is possible to have more than one church home. Perhaps you would be interested in becoming a member or friend of this Church. If so, please speak to The Rev. BJ Woodworth, Minister of Taizé Prayer (BJW@coh.net or 412.441.3800 x141).