

Benediction Response            *Go* (by Leon Patillo)

**Go ye therefore and teach all nations, go, go, go  
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Baptizing them in the Name of the Father  
And Son and Holy Ghost, go, go, go**

**If you love Me, really love Me, feed My sheep  
If you love Me, really love Me, feed My sheep  
And lo, I'll be with you forever and ever  
Until the ends of the world, go, go, go**

Postlude                    *Glorify Thy Name*            Shannon K. Harmon & Margaret Paulson

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**Prayer Concerns**

Joe Baber, Josephine Baffour, Gary Bowman, Micaela Bowman, Pat Butts,  
Lorraine & VJ Farmer, Paige David Jones, Satya Gardia, Anna Gurrola, Brian Hubbard,  
Donna Kakou, Jill Nichols, Rochelle Olney, Carol Pajtis, Carlton Sutton,  
Tina Thomas-Lyght, Bill Weber, Drew Weber

If you have any Prayer Concerns you would like added to the bulletin, please contact  
Pastor Michael. Michael@pleasanthillowingsmills.org or (cell) 717-698-2740.

**Announcements**

**Community Give Back Event**

**Saturday, October 16, 2021 at 3:30pm-5:30pm**

We will hold our next Community Give Back event on Saturday, October 16, 2021 from  
3:30pm—5:30pm. We are collecting toiletry kits, hygiene kits, non-perishable foods,  
blankets, coats, jackets, gloves, etc. Boxes are set up in the narthex for donations.

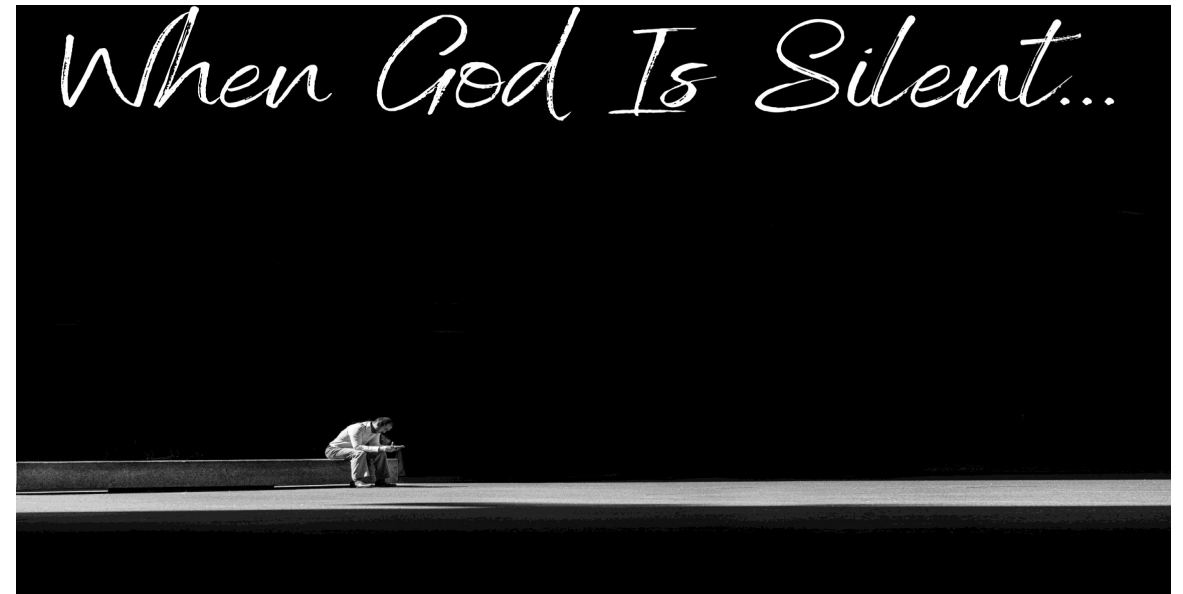
***If you are able to volunteer for this event, please contact Pastor Michael.***

***Service to the Church***

In order to help Pleasant Hill Church continue our outreach in the community and to  
provide fellowship with our members and regular attendees, we are looking to fill the  
followings positions. If you are interested in any of these positions, please contact  
Pastor Michael.

**Outreach Coordinator / Fellowship Coordinator**

**Children and Youth Coordinator**



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# Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church

## Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost – October 10, 2021

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evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Gloria Patri UMH #70  
**Glory Be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.**

Morning Announcements & Sharing of our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer  
**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Doxology *"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"* UMH #94

Psalm Reading Psalm 22: 1-11

\*Hymn of Preparation *"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"* UMH #474

Epistle Reading Hebrews 4: 12-16

Sermon *"When God is Silent..."* Pastor Michael Reese Ritt

Response to the Word  
**Mighty Lord, help us look for you in the north and in the south, in our homes and in our workplaces, in our families and in our relationships. May we never stop pursuing your truth. Assure us with your word that you are with us wherever we go, in Jesus' name. Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn *"Rejoice in God's Saints"* UMH #708

Benediction

(\*indicates to stand as able) **bold text to be read by congregation**

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing W&S = Worship and Song  
CCLI # 2360670 CCLI Streaming #20269028

Prelude *Rain Down (arr. Mark Hayes)* Shannon K. Harmon & Margaret Paulson

Welcome

*Welcome to Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church! It is our hope and prayer that you find this morning's worship service deeply meaningful to you. We are a congregation that celebrates the diversity of life and glory of God that is found in all people.*

\*Call to Worship

The kingdom of God is at hand.

**We want to enter this kingdom.**

The mercy of God is made known.

**We want to receive this mercy.**

The grace of God is abundant for all.

**We praise you, O God, for your compassion and your love. Accept our grateful praise as we come to worship you today.**

\*Opening Hymn

*"Trust and Obey"*

UMH #467

Opening Prayer

**When nothing is right, when we are weary and lost, when clouds dull the sky, help us to be still. When our cries are unheeded, when no effort bears fruit, when the sun sets, help us to be still. When love is over, when hope is gone, when darkness covers the land, help us to be still. For in being still, in refusing to panic or despair, we shall come to know that God is there, suffering alongside and with us, waiting to show us stepping-stones through the swirling waters, and to help us sing a new song.**

Affirmation of Faith

UMH #883

**We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist**