



Riverside Presbyterian Church
July 26, 2020 ~ 10:00 am
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Enjoy music from the RPC Carillon as you prepare for worship

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Le Dodo ou L'amour au Berçeuse* François Couperin

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER

OPENING HYMN

Like a Mother Who Has Borne Us



1 Like a moth - er who has borne us, held us
2 Like a fa - ther who has taught us, grasped our
3 Though as chil - dren we have wan - dered, placed our
4 When we of - fer food and com - fort, grasp our



close in her de - light, fed us free - ly from her
hand and been our guide, lift - ed us and healed our
trust in power and might, left be - hind our broth - ers,
neigh - bor's hand in love, tread the path of peace and



bod - y, God has called us in - to life.
sor - rows, God has walked with us in life.
sis - ters, God still calls us in - to life.
jus - tice, God still walks with us in life.

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Lynda Nadkarni

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

SCRIPTURE

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

MEDITATION

Beloved

INVITATION TO OFFER OUR GIFTS

MUSICAL RESPONSE

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!**

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM OF
CARTER GEORGE THICKENS

Opening Words

Presentation

Questions of Sponsors & Congregation

Renunciations & Affirmations

Prayer

Act of Baptism

HYMN OF RESPONSE

I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry

(printed on the back of the bulletin)

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Allegro Maestoso from "Water Music"

Händel

1 "I was there to hear your born - ing cry; I'll be there when
 2 "When you heard the won - der of the Word, I was there to
 3 "In the mid - dle a - ges of your life, not too old, no
 you are old. I re - joiced the day you were bap - tized to
 cheer you on. You were raised to praise the liv - ing Lord to
 lon - ger young, I'll be there to guide you through the night, com -
 see your life un - fold. I was there when you were but a
 whom you now be - long. If you find some - one to share your
 plete what I've be - gun. When the eve - ning gent - ly clos - es
 child with a faith to suit you well; in a blaze of
 time and you join your hearts as one, I'll be there to
 in and you shut your wea - ry eyes, I'll be there as
 light you wan - dered off to find where de - mons dwell."
 make your vers - es rhyme from dusk till ris - ing sun."
 I have al - ways been with just one more sur - prise."
 4 "I was there to hear your born - ing cry; I'll be there when you are old.
 I re - joiced the day you were bap - tized to see your life un - fold."

Prelude: *Le Dodo ou L'amour au Berçeuse*, François Couperin © G Schirmer

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