

Morning Worship—July 1, 2018

6th Sunday after Pentecost

*Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor. *Please stand if able. It is our custom to sing, "Amen," after hymns.*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Prelude in G Major" by J.S. Bach

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Our souls wait for the Lord, our souls wait,

People: and in his word we put our hope.

Leader: Our souls wait for the Lord

People: more than watchmen wait for the morning,

Leader: Let us put our hope in the Lord for with the Lord is unfailing love.

People: God will redeem us from all our sins.

All: Let us worship God!

***HYMN OF WORSHIP** 564 "America, the Beautiful"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Out of the depths we cry to you O Lord; O Lord hear our voices. Let your ears be attentive to our cry for mercy. If you, O Lord, kept a record of our sins who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, therefore you are feared and respected. Help us as we reach out to you. Keep us directed in your way, grounded in your truth and rejoicing in the life only you can bring. Amen.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Listen to the Good News! Hope in God, for God's love has no ending; God fills us with grace and hope, this day, and forever.

People: God hears our voice, and listens to our prayers, redeeming us from all our sins. Thanks be to God, we are forgiven. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI (579)

GREATOREX, 1851

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.

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES Jackson Weller

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

May the Word of God spoken today compel us to worship without ceasing to the praise of Christ's glorious grace. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON (659/695) Micah 6:6-8

ANTHEM "A Prayer for America"

GOSPEL LESSON (768/807) John 19:19-23 (Dr. McDonald)

SERMON "What Are You Afraid of" Dr. McDonald

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (See Apostles' Creed in Aids to Worship pew insert)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (See pew insert)

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

Offering in Music "Battle Hymn of the Republic" arr. Michele Murray
Doxology 591 OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Prayer of Dedication

***HYMN OF WORSHIP** 405 "What Does the Lord Require"

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE 539, verse 1 "Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise"

POSTLUDE "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" arr. Virginia Halberg

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The flowers today are given in loving memory of Howard & Cile Green and
Bob & Mary Clemons by Dickie, Pam and the Green family.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We provide **nursery care** from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM and **Sunday School** for grades K-5 after Time for Young Disciples.

PASTORAL CONCERNS— Chlodine Bittner (Jackson Weller’s grandmother), James Cannon, Nelson Clark, Lib Cuttle, Dianne East, Ed Fisher (Sally Clark’s father), Betty Fitzgerald, Martha Jo Hodges, Beth Landfair (John’s mother), Ellen McDonald (John’s wife), Freel Shipe (J. McDonald’s father-in-law), Ella Ryan, Tom West,

ON THE MEND— Mrs. Helen Harris (Kathleen Harris’ mother), Tim Kernodle, Kaiden Sheldon, Mack Williams, Nultie Wiseman

A congregational meeting has been called for today, Sunday July 1, immediately following worship for the purpose of voting on the slate for the Pastor Nominating Committee. The following members have agreed to serve on this committee:

- **Harriet Beale**
- **Leigh Blount**
- **Tom Gillespie**
- **Susan Mathena**
- **Bob Newnam**
- **David Parris**
- **Joyce Perez**

Additional nominations may be made from the floor provided the nominee has agreed to serve.

SERVING TODAY

Nursery/Sunday School	L. Blount & M. Meadors
Children’s Sunday School	The Jones family
Elders at Front Door	J. Reynolds
Security & Side Door	J. Perez
Visitation	S. Mathena
Deacon to Receive Offering	D. Swann
Officers to Count Offering	Beale/Meadema
Church School Superintendent	Gail Davis
Liturgist	B. Hayes
Time for Young Disciples	T. Gillespie
Sound System	S. Meadema
Ushers	Team 1
Flower Ministry	Outlook Class
Asst. Custodian	Ron Tanner
Childcare Specialists	Lea Smith, Kelley Fochler
Saturday Lunch Ministry July 7th	B. Newnam/H. Beale
Saturday Lunch Attendance 6/15th	33

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THIS WEEK AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

July 1, 2018

Monday, July 2

10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting

Tuesday, July 3

7:00 p.m. Property

Wednesday, July 4

All Day Church Office Closed

THURSDAY, July 5

5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

FRIDAY, July 6

All Day Church Office Closed

SATURDAY, July 7

10:45 a.m. Lunch Min. Bible Study

11:30 a.m. Lunch Ministry

SUNDAY, July 8

8:45 a.m. Admin. Comm.

9:00 a.m. Worship Comm.

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

9:45 a.m. Sunday School:

Mid & High School, Rm 112

Outlook Class, Rm 322

Bible Fellowship, Library

Seekers, Rm 109

11 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary

Mid-worship K-2/3-5 SS