

HEARING AND PROCLAIMING GOOD NEWS

The Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time

June 23, 2019

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We hear the voice of God calling, "Love your neighbor as yourself."

All: We feel the Spirit moving among us, moving us to acts of compassion and justice.

One: We know the love of Jesus.

All: We love because Christ first loved us.

One: Come, worship God together.

**All: Come, let us serve our God,
who calls us by name.**

*OPENING SONG

"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

**When morning gilds the skies,
my heart awaking cries:**

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Alike at work and prayer to Jesus I repair:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Does sadness fill my mind? A solace here I find:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Or fades my earthly bliss? My comfort still is this:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Let earth's wide circle round in joyful notes resound:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Let air and sea and sky from depth to height reply:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Be this, while life is mine, my canticle divine:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

Be this the eternal song through all the ages long:

May Jesus Christ be praised!

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

"Change My Heart, O God"

Change my heart, O God, make it ever true;

Change my heart, O God, may I be like You.

You are the Potter, I am the clay;

Mold me and make me, this is what I pray.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Hear the good news! God does change our hearts, and makes us the compassionate, justice-seeking people Jesus showed us how to be. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

All: In Jesus Christ we are set free! Amen.

*SHARING THE PEACE OF JESUS CHRIST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Stacey Steck

*SONG

“There’s a Sweet Sweet Spirit”

There’s a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,
And I know that it’s the Spirit of the Lord;
There are sweet expressions on each face,
And I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

(Refrain) Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove,
Stay right here with us, filling us with Your love.
And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise;
Without a doubt we’ll know that we have
been revived,
When we shall leave this place.

There are blessings you cannot receive
Till you know Him in His fullness and believe;
You’re the one to profit when you say,
“I am going to walk with Jesus all the way.”

FIRST LESSON

1 Kings 19:1-15

SECOND LESSON

Galatians 3:23-29

ANTHEM “The Welcome Table”

arr. Diton

SERMON “The Sound of Silence”

Don McCann

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (concluding with the Lord’s Prayer)

OUR OFFERING

“I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me”

I’m gonna live so (live so) God can use me
Anywhere, Lord, anytime! (anytime!)
I’m gonna live so (live so) God can use me
Anywhere, Lord, anytime! (anytime!)

I’m gonna work so (work so)...
I’m gonna pray so (pray so)...
I’m gonna sing so (sing so)...

* Doxology

* Prayer

*CLOSING SONG

“God Is So Good”

God is so good;	God loves me so;
God is so good;	God loves me so;
God is so good;	God loves me so;
God’s so good to me.	God’s so good to me.

God cares for me;	God is so good;
God cares for me;	God is so good;
God cares for me;	God is so good;
God’s so good to me.	God’s so good to me.

*BENEDICTION

Congregational Response

“Spirit of the Living God”

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.

*POSTLUDE

*Those who are able, please stand. Some resources used in today’s service are from re-worship.blogspot.com and lectionaryliturgies.blogspot.com.

LET US BREAK BREAD TOGETHER!

- We are delighted to welcome you today and hope your time here is a blessing.
- So that we might know one another better, please wear a nametag this morning. They are located at the welcome table.
- Following worship, we'll enjoy a Covered Dish Meal. Please plan to enjoy our fellowship.

FOR OUR VISITORS THIS MORNING: If you are not active in another church, we hope you will consider making one of our three churches your church home. If you have any need, or would like to find out more about any of us, please contact us at any time.

Thyatira Presbyterian Church
Pastor Stacey Steck, 704-245-8100

Third Creek Presbyterian Church
Pastor Don McCann, 704-881-4707

Unity Presbyterian Church
Pastor Kevin Conley, 336-287-0052

FOR CHILDREN IN WORSHIP TODAY: All children are strongly encouraged to remain in worship following the Time with Young Disciples. Playground supervision is available for young children.

Attendants today – Jada Ware-Guy and Leigh Anne Wetmore

GIVING THIS MORNING: Envelopes to designate your offering to your home church are available at the welcome table. All loose offerings will be divided equally among the churches. Thanks for your generosity.



Salem Presbytery Prayer Calendar July 2019

Please keep these Presbytery-related Churches, Ministries,
and Individuals in your prayers!

July

- 7th • Second Presbyterian Church in Salisbury
 - Community in Christ, Presbyterian in Greensboro
 - Tommy Brown, Volunteer Coordinator @ F.A.R.M Café in Boone
 - Piedmont Presbyterian Church in Burlington
- 14th • First Presbyterian Church in Mocksville
 - Cross Roads Presbyterian Church in Mebane
 - Second Presbyterian Church in Mocksville
 - Sandy Greene, ACPE Supervisor at Centra Health (Lynchburg)
- 21st • Lansing Presbyterian Church in Lansing
 - Siler City Presbyterian Church in Siler City
 - Trinity Presbyterian Church in Salisbury
- 28th • Gulf Presbyterian Church in Gulf
 - Mount Tabor Presbyterian Church in Cleveland
 - Don Saunders, President of North Carolina Presbyterian Historical Society



join us!

PRESBYTERIANS IN THE PARK

Thyatira Presbyterian Church
Millbridge (Salisbury)

Third Creek Presbyterian Church
Cleveland

Unity Presbyterian Church
Woodleaf