

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

The Sunday of Christ the King

November 21, 2021

Eleven O'clock

Health and Safety Updates:

Everyone in the Congregation is invited to sing and pray during worship; please use masks. Those who wish are invited to bring tithes and offerings forward to place in the baskets at the Offertory; or continue to use the basket in the Narthex prior to the service.

WELCOME INTO GOD'S HOUSE (responsive)

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: **And also with you.**

Leader: Blessed be the Holy Trinity, one God now and forever.

To this place where God gives us light and welcome, let us bring our cares and joys so that we may be cleansed and nourished.

Congregation: **Amen.**

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

PRELUDE

"Domine Deus Rex Caelestis"

Francois Couperin

CHORAL INTROIT

"Glorify Thy Name"

arr. Tom Fettke

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 92

It is a good thing to give thanks to the Lord,
and to sing praises to your Name, O Most High;
To tell of your loving-kindness early in the morning
and of your faithfulness in the night season;
For you have made us glad by your acts, O Lord;
and we shout for joy because of the works of your hands.

*HYMN 385

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

PRAYER OF THE DAY (in unison)

God of power and love, you raised Jesus from death to life, resplendent in glory to rule over all creation. Free the world to rejoice in his peace, to glory in his justice, and to live in his love. Unite all people in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Response in Song - Hymn 824

Near to the Heart of God

**O Jesus, blest Redeemer, sent from the heart of God,
hold us, who wait before thee, near to the heart of God.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANTHEM

"Jesus is the Living Stone"

Mary McDonald

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

A READING FROM THE APOCALYPSE

Revelation 1: 4-8

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

A READING FROM THE GOSPELS

John 18: 33-37

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: **Praise be to you, O Christ.**

*HYMN 643

"Now Thank We All Our God"

SERMON

The Lord of all Times

*APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, let us serve one another with whatever gift each of us has received.

OFFERTORY

"My Tribute"

Andraé Crouch

*DOXOLOGY

"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.**

OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Leader: Blessed are you, God of all creation.

Congregation: **Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.**

Leader: Accept and use our offerings for your glory.

Congregation: **And for the service of your kingdom.**

All: **Amen.**

PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Beginning with Joys and Concerns, and concluding with *The Lord's Prayer, in unison*

*HYMN 366

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Benedicamus"

J. de Montber

***Those who are able, please stand**

Please remain seated through the Postlude so that all worshippers, in the sanctuary and online, may enjoy the blessing of the music

Welcome to Sunday Worship at Paw Creek Presbyterian Church! We worship together each week both in our sanctuary and online (see pawcreekpc.org for links to Facebook and YouTube). Whichever is best for you, we are glad you are with us. If you are a visitor, please let us know you were here. You can fill out a card in the pew rack, or the visitor information form on our website.

For worship in the Sanctuary, we use masks in accordance with the guidance of local authorities. Please especially leave masks on as we recite prayers and sing hymns, to assist in curbing the spread of disease.

UPCOMING SERMON TITLES & SCRIPTURES

Thursday, November 25
Thanksgiving Morning
8:00 AM

Sunday, November 28
First Sunday of Advent
1 Thessalonians 3: 9-13, Luke 21: 25-36
"The Unexpected Day"

Sunday, December 5
Second Sunday of Advent
Celebration of the Lord's Supper
Philippians 4: 4-7, Luke 3: 7-18
"Even the Tax Collectors?"

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS - FRESH START CLASS
Fresh Start Sunday School Class will begin in person gathering. Meeting once a month Nov and Dec, then more often in 2022.

We will be reading *Love is the Way* - by Bishop Michael Curry

Sunday, November 28th 5-6:30pm @ Eric & Patty Burns Home - Introduction & Chapter 1

Thursday, December 9th 6:30-8pm @ Traust Brewing - 128 S. Main Street Mt Holly, NC - Chapter 2

All are welcome
For more information, please contact Amy McGee [704-578-3908](tel:704-578-3908)

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Everyone is invited for a simple service of Thanksgiving worship on Thursday morning at 8:00 am in the sanctuary. The service will be followed by biscuits and coffee on the front porch.

LOAVES & FISHES PRIORITY NEEDS

- Canned Meat: Tuna, Chicken, etc...
- Pastas - Dry Boxed or Canned
- Rice in 1 pound bags
- Canned Fruit: low sugar or in juice
- Cereal- low sugar
- Low Sodium Canned Vegetables

No Glass Please

PRAYER GARDEN

Get your Prayer Garden Paver Orders in now!
Great Gift idea! Great for Birthdays, Graduations, Weddings, Babies, Mother's/ Father's Day, Anniversaries and Eagle Scouts! A wonderful way to celebrate a loved one & family with a beautiful memory that will last forever.

Each brick paver cost \$40.

Order forms available in the Narthex, Church Office, and website.

ONLINE GIVING

Paw Creek has Online Giving for the convenience of church members and our friends who worship with us. Please go to our website at www.pawcreekpc.org and follow the link on the home page.

For those who like to use mobile apps, you can download the app: Give+ and search for Paw Creek Presbyterian Church. Once you have created an account, it will save Paw Creek as your default Church.

Paw Creek Presbyterian Church Staff:
 Pastor Elliott Hipp
 Music Director Patrick McCarthy
 Administrative Assistant / Webmaster Kim Whittington
 Videography Coordinator Clint Shaw
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The Session

Moderator: Elliott Hipp
 General Treasurer: Danny McClure
 Cemetery Treasurer: Brian Gross
 Endowment Treasurer: Peggy Harrington
 Clerk: Debbie Taylor

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| Class of 2021 | Class of 2022 | Class of 2023 |
| Grady Cathey | Paul Bradley | Celia Gray |
| Dickie Chapman | Karen Cathey | Peggy Harrington |
| Eddie McArver | Mary Ellen Edwards | Sam McCord |
| Debbie Taylor | Danny McClure | Barbara Ullem |

Committee Chairs

Administration: Eddie McArver & Peggy Harrington (co-chairs)
 Christian Education: Barbara Ullem
 Congregational Care: Karen Cathey
 Fellowship: Sam McCord
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MAC Team: Grady Cathey
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 Property: Dickie Chapman
 Worship: Debbie Taylor
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 Endowment Sub-Committee: Peggy Harrington

Sunday School Officers: Sarah Kendrick & Jim Stogner
 Children's Ministry: Barbara Ullem & Victoria Krebs

Presbyterian Women

Moderator: Karen Turner

Secretary: Donna Hall
 Historian: Dina Salvo
 Special Givings: Celia Gray
 Go & Grow Circle Moderator: Gerri Ann Shaw

Treasurer: Melissa Mullis
 Backpack Buddies: Jane McArver, Belinda Springs & Teresa Painter
 Special Events Chairs: Karen Turner & Amy McGee
 Life Seekers Circle Moderator: Dina Salvo

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, November 21
 9:45am Sunday School
 11:00am Worship

Monday, November 22
 12:00pm Newsletter Deadline

Tuesday, November 23
 9:00am Cardio Fitness

Wednesday, November 24
 *Newsletter
 10:00am Bible Study
 12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
 5:30pm Bible Study
 6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, November 25
***Church Office Closed - Happy Thanksgiving!!**
 8:00am Thanksgiving Service

Sunday, November 28
 9:45am Sunday School
 11:00am Worship

Monday, November 29
 12:00pm Newsletter Deadline

Tuesday, November 30
 9:00am Cardio Fitness

Wednesday, December 1
 10:00am Bible Study
 12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
 5:30pm Bible Study
 6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, December 2
 6:30am Men's Bible Study
 9:00am Cardio Fitness

Sunday, December 5
 9:45am Sunday School
 11:00am Worship / Lord's Supper

Tuesday, December 7
 9:00am Cardio Fitness
 10:00am PW Go & Grow Circle
 12:00pm Newsletter Deadline
 7:00pm PW Life Seekers Circle

Wednesday, December 8
 10:00am Bible Study
 12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
 5:30pm Bible Study
 6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, December 9
 *Newsletter
 6:30am Men's Bible Study
 9:00am Cardio Fitness

Sunday, December 12
 9:45am Sunday School
 11:00am Worship

Tuesday, December 14
 9:00am Cardio Fitness

Wednesday, December 15
 10:00am Bible Study
 12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
 5:30pm Bible Study
 6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice



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