

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 17, 2022

Eleven O'clock

ANTHEM

"Safe Within Your Arms"
Larry Ramsey, Soloist

Mark Hayes

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" arr. John Turner

*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 384 "Soon and Very Soon"

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*Response in Song—Hymn 837 "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"
**Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms**

POSTLUDE "I Want Jesus To Walk With Me" Traditional Spiritual

WELCOME INTO GOD'S HOUSE (responsive)

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made!

Congregation: **Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

Leader: With joy let us enter this holy place, and surely the Spirit of God will meet us here. With gladness let us worship, sing and pray, for we are baptized people and all the promises of God are ours.

Congregation: **Alleluia!**

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

PRELUDE "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" arr. Cindy Berry

CHORAL INTROIT "God is Here Today" arr. Hawn/González

CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 95)

Come, let us sing to the LORD;
let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.
Let us come before God's presence with thanksgiving
and raise a loud shout to the LORD with psalms.
For the LORD is a great God,
and a great king above all gods.

*HYMN 35 "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty"

PRAYER OF THE DAY (in unison)

**Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ and make yourself our guest.
Amid the cares of our daily lives, make us attentive to your voice and
alert to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and
reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.
Amen.**

Response in Song—Hymn 469 "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"
**Lord, listen to your children praying.
Lord, send your Spirit in this place.
Lord, listen to your children praying.
Send us love; send us power; send us grace.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

EPISTLE READING

Colossians 1: 15-20

Christ Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers-- all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

GOSPEL READING

Luke 10 38-42

As Jesus and his disciples went on their way, Jesus entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

*HYMN 828 "More Love to Thee, O Christ"

SERMON

The Power of Praise

*Those who are able, please stand

*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.**

Welcome to Paw Creek Presbyterian Church!

We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), two centuries young and committed to living out the Gospel today as we Seek, Serve, Praise and Love Christ. If you are a visitor today, we are especially glad that you are here. We hope that you will leave us a record of your visit by completing a visitor card and placing it in the offering plate. Feel free to contact our pastor, Elliott Hipp, with questions or prayer concerns: deh46@columbia.edu or 704-502-2143. Please come again soon.

Worshipping On-Line

Our worship service is also streamed live each week, and is available to watch later in the week as well. For Facebook and YouTube links, please visit pawcreekpc.org. When you worship with us from home, you can use an on-line version of our *Glory to God* hymnal so that you can sing along or follow the words to the hymns. For phone or tablet, search "Glory to God" in your app store. For computer, go to hymnary.org/hymnal/GG2013 and click on the hymn number. Most hymns are available, although there are a few that cannot be displayed due to copyright restriction.

UPCOMING SERMON TITLES & SCRIPTURES

Sunday, July 24

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Luke 11: 1-4

"What is a Disciple?"

Sunday, July 31

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Hosea 1: 1-11

"God the Father"

PC PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

We are beginning to work on materials for the 2022-2023 year for Paw Creek Presbyterian Women. If any of your contact information has changed, please send your new information to knoturner@gmail.com. Thanks, ~Karen

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES LEADER

Paw Creek is currently looking for a Children and Youth Ministries Leader. If you are interested, please follow the link on our website or Contact Celia Gray for more information.

CHRISTMAS IN PAW CREEK ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR

Sponsored by Troop 70
Saturday, **November 19, 2022**
8:00 am—2:00 pm
Paw Creek Presbyterian Church—CFC
Breakfast / Barbeque sold by Scout Troop 70
If interested in a booth, Please call Jan McClure at (704) 394-8481 (leave a msg)

SUMMER COMBINED SUNDAY SCHOOL

This summer we are having Summer Combined Sunday School for children, youth and adults in the CFC through July 31
9:15 am - Prayer time in the CFC
9:30 – 10:30 Combined Sunday School

Paw Creek Presbyterian Church Staff:

Pastor Elliott Hipp
Director of Music Andrew Cumbow
Pianist Mark Burleson
Administrative Assistant / Webmaster Kim Whittington
Videography Coordinator Clint Shaw

The Session

Moderator: Elliott Hipp Clerk: Mary Ellen Edwards
General Treasurer: Danny McClure Cemetery Treasurer: Brian Gross Endowment Treasurer:

Class of 2022

Paul Bradley
Karen Cathey
Mary Ellen Edwards
Danny McClure

Class of 2023

Celia Gray
Peggy Harrington
Sam McCord
Barbara Ullem

Class of 2024

Gene Hall
Jim Pinkston
David Turner

Committee Chairs

Mission Team: Sam McCord
Christian Education: Barbara Ullem
Congregational Care: Karen Cathey
Fellowship: Sam McCord
Outreach: Celia Gray
Worship: David Turner

Resource Team: Jim Pinkston
Administration: Eddie McArver
Finance: Mary Ellen Edwards / Gene Hall
Property: Sam McCord
Cemetery Sub-Committee: Phillip McCord
Endowment Sub-Committee:

Strategic Planning Team: Paul Bradley

Celia Gray, Jim Pinkston, Jim Stogner, Karen Turner

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

Go & Grow Circle Moderator: Gerri Ann Shaw

Special Givings: Celia Gray

Treasurer: Melissa Mullis

Backpack Buddies: Jane McArver, Belinda Springs & Teresa Painter

Life Seekers Circle Moderator: Dina Salvo

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, July 17

9:15am Combined Summer Sunday School
11:00am Worship

Monday, July 18—Thursday, July 22

*Church Office Closed

Tuesday, July 19

9:00am Cardio Fitness
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, July 20

12:00pm Bulletin Deadline

Thursday, July 21

6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness
6:30pm Stated Session Mtg.

Sunday, July 24

9:15am Combined Summer Sunday School
11:00am Worship

Tuesday, July 26

9:00am Cardio Fitness
12:00pm Newsletter Deadline
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, July 27

12:00pm Bulletin Deadline

Thursday, July 28

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

Sunday, July 31

9:15am Combined Summer Sunday School
11:00am Worship

Tuesday, August 2

9:00am Cardio Fitness
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, August 3

12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, August 4

6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness

Sunday, August 7

*No Sunday School during August
11:00am Worship / Lord's Supper / 10¢ Hunger

Tuesday, August 9

9:00am Cardio Fitness
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, August 10

12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, August 11

6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness

Sunday, August 14

*No Sunday School during August
11:00am Worship—Guest: James Thomas



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