



SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2018

Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

Proclaiming Christ | Delighting in His Grace | Sharing in His Mission

WELCOME

PRELUDE

"He Lives"

arr. M. J. Simpson

Cynthia Keith, flute; Fred Markey, piano

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

"Of God's Love I'll Sing Forever"

Hymn to Joy

Of God's love I'll sing forever
To each age your faithfulness.
I'll declare your love's forever,
Founded in the word from heav'n:
"With my chosen I've made cov'nant,
To my servant David sworn,
'I'll your line confirm forever,
To each age build up your throne."

Psalm 89:1-4

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*HYMN NO. 10

"O Worship the King"

Lyons

*CONFESSION OF FAITH—THE 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 Spirit, 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 at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*HYMN NO. 624

"Doxology"

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SHARING OF FAMILY NEWS

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND LORD'S PRAYER

SENIOR PASTOR Dr. Todd M. Smedley

PASTORS Rev. Corey Gray | Rev. Ron Meyer | Rev. Thomas Myrick | Dr. Robert Norris

8:00 *Rev. Corey Gray*

9:30 *Dr. Robert Norris*

11:00 *Rev. Ron Meyer*

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Galatians 4:21–31

page 974, pew Bible

8:00 *Justin Hoobler*

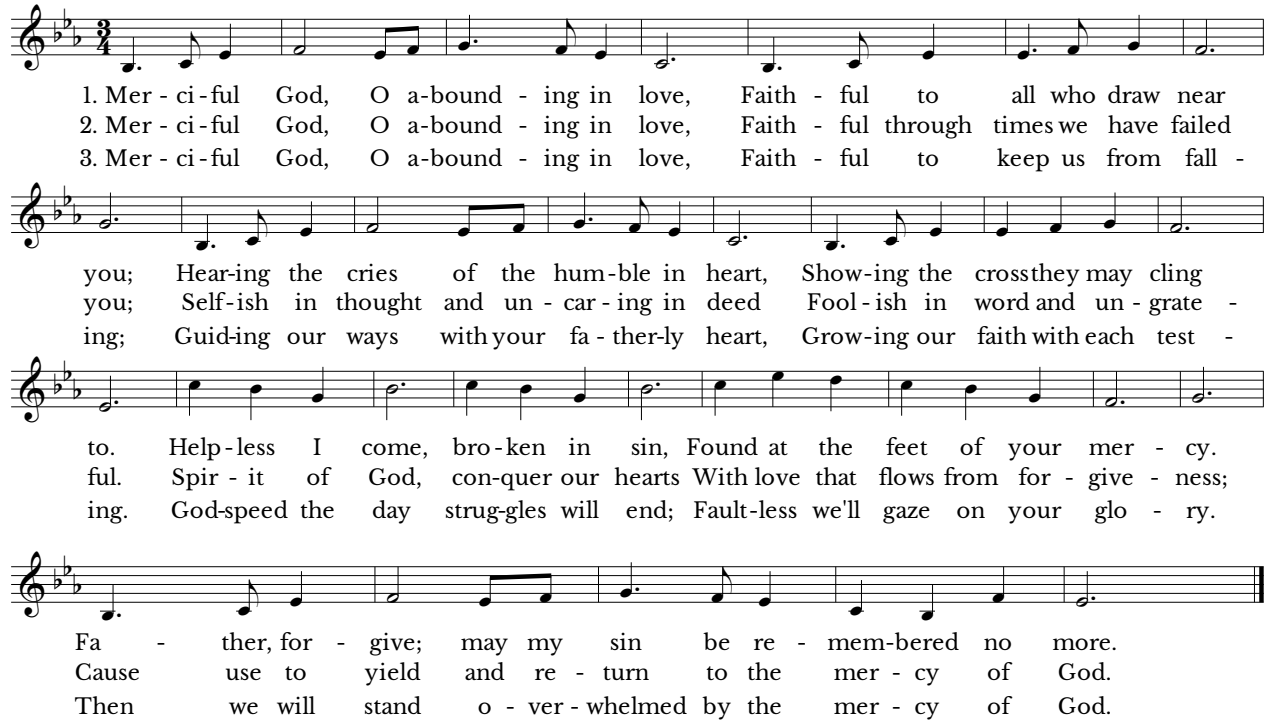
9:30 *Rob Falcone*

11:00 *Julia Elliott*

*HYMN

“Merciful God”

Keith & Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend



1. Mer - ci - ful God, O a - bound - ing in love, Faith - ful to all who draw near
2. Mer - ci - ful God, O a - bound - ing in love, Faith - ful through times we have failed
3. Mer - ci - ful God, O a - bound - ing in love, Faith - ful to keep us from fall -
you; Hear - ing the cries of the hum - ble in heart, Show - ing the cross they may cling
you; Self - ish in thought and un - car - ing in deed Fool - ish in word and un - grate -
ing; Guiding our ways with your fa - ther - ly heart, Grow - ing our faith with each test -
to. Help - less I come, bro - ken in sin, Found at the feet of your mer - cy.
ful. Spir - it of God, con - quer our hearts With love that flows from for - give - ness;
ing. God - speed the day strug - gles will end; Fault - less we'll gaze on your glo - ry.
Fa - ther, for - give; may my sin be re - mem - bered no more.
Cause use to yield and re - turn to the mer - cy of God.
Then we will stand o - ver - whelmed by the mer - cy of God.

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GIVING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

8:00 *Dirk Rankin*

9:30 *Bob Reiter*

11:00 *Greg Glenn*

OFFERTORY

“Brother James’ Air”

Wyeth Duncan, piano

J. L. M. Bain

arr. Stephen Nielson

11:00 PRAYER FOR CHILDREN & DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

Children K–3rd grade may come forward. If your child is not wearing a registration name tag, please accompany your child.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 20:1–21:34

pages 14–16, pew Bible

SERMON

“Isaac and Ishmael”

20th in a series on the book of Genesis

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

*HYMN NO. 43

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Faithfulness

11:00 COMMISSIONING OF SUMMER MISSION TEAMS

Eighth Grade Team: Wilmington, DE
High School Senior Team: Romania
Adult Teams: Lebanon, Romania, and Tunisia

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Psalm 19”

Benedetto Marcelo

**Congregation standing as able*

An Elder and Women’s Ministry representative are available for prayer or ministry at the front of the Sanctuary at the conclusion of each service.

Sanctuary flowers are in memory of Stephen Ferguson, given by his family.

The deacons provide assistance and prayer support to those in our congregation facing difficult circumstances. Contact an individual deacon directly or call the deacons phone line at 301-320-3600, x223.

The morning worship service is broadcast each Sunday at 11:00 a.m. locally on WAVA 105.1 FM and streaming at wava.com.

Hearing enhancement units are available for checkout in the Media Center or ask an usher for assistance.

TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

"Driven to the Desert"

Mark 1:9-13

Dr. Robert Norris

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
will be celebrated.*

NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 17

MORNING SERVICE

8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

"The Testing of Abraham's Faith"

Genesis 22:1-24

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

"When Jesus Comes to Town"

Mark 1:14-20

Rev. Thomas Myrick

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will be celebrated.*

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

General Giving

Annual Budget	\$ 4,864,876
Year to Date Received	\$ 1,645,464

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