



SUNDAY, JULY 3, 2022
Morning Worship | 8:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Delighting in God's Glory | Demonstrating His Grace | Declaring His Gospel

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“Adoration”
Wyeth Duncan, organ

Florence Price

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

“Our God Is Great and Mighty”

Lancashire

Our Lord is great and mighty; his wisdom none can know;
The Lord doth raise the lowly and sinners overthrow.
O thank and praise Jehovah! Praise him on harp and mirth,
The heav'n with clouds who covers, and sends his rain on earth.

Psalm 147:5–8
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*CALL TO WORSHIP

The Triune God calls his church to worship him

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Asking God to attend and bless the worship of his people

*HYMN NO. 275

“How Firm a Foundation”

Foundation

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal and Almighty Father, we confess without pretense before your holy majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in iniquity and corruption. In our depravity we endlessly transgress your holy commandments. We are displeased with ourselves and now long for your grace to relieve our distress. Have mercy upon us, most gentle and faithful Father. As you blot out our trespasses and sins, extend and increase the graces of your Holy Spirit to us, that he might produce fruits of righteousness and holiness pleasing to you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Acknowledging our sins before our Holy God and seeking his forgiveness in Christ

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The Lord's declaration of our freedom from the guilt of sin and punishment of God's law

HYMN OF THANKS

“It Is Well with My Soul”

Ville Du Havre

My sin—O, the bliss of this glorious thought, my sin—not in part but the whole,
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more, praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well with my soul.

SHARING OF FAMILY NEWS

STEWARDSHIP MINUTE

Jeff Hearle

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

8:00 *Rev. Thomas Myrick*; 11:00 *Dr. Robert Norris*

*HYMN

“God Moves in a Mysterious Way”

Dundee

God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform;
He plants his footsteps in the sea, and rides upon the storm.

Deep in unfathomable mines of never-failing skill
He treasures up his bright designs, and works his sov'reign will.
Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take; the clouds ye so much dread
Are big with mercy, and shall break in blessings on your head.
Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, but trust him for his grace;
Behind a frowning providence he hides a smiling face.

His purposes will ripen fast, unfolding ev'ry hour;
The bud may have a bitter taste, but sweet will be the flow'r.

Blind unbelief is sure to err, and scan his work in vain;
God is his own interpreter, and he will make it plain.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 40:27–31

page 600, pew Bible

8:00 *Tanya Klitsch*; 11:00 *Martin Burks*

8:00 ANTHEM

“Is There Anybody Here?”

arr. Roland Carter

Justin Harrison, bass; Wyeth Duncan, piano

*Is there anybody here who loves my Jesus? Anybody here who loves my Lord?
I want to know if you love my Jesus; I want to know if you love my Lord.*

When I was blind and could not see, King Jesus brought the light to me.
And when every star refuse to shine, I know King Jesus will be mine!

O brethren this world is a wilderness of woe, so let us all to glory go.
Yes religion is a blooming rose, and none but him who feel it know that
None but the righteous, none but the righteous shall see God.

11:00 ANTHEM

“O Love That Will Not Let Me Go”

John Ness Beck

Sanctuary Choir; Jan Wilson, director; Wyeth Duncan, organ

O Love, that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in thee;
I give thee back the life I owe, that in thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be.

O joy that seekest me through pain, I can not close my heart to thee;
I trace the rainbow through the rain, and feel the promise is not vain,
That morn shall tearless be.

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DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children K–3rd grade may go to the front when the pastor calls them forward for prayer and then be escorted to their classrooms. If your child does not have a name tag, please go to the back to be assisted by a Children's Ministry volunteer as your child goes forward. Please pick up your children in Room 212.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

2 Corinthians 4:7–18

pages 965–966, pew Bible

SERMON

“Do Not Lose Heart”
7th in a series on the Book of 2 Corinthians

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

*HYMN NO. 377

“Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken”

Ellesdie

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

CONFESSION OF FAITH—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.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*COMMUNION RESPONSE

“Behold the Lamb”

The body of our Savior Jesus Christ, torn for you—eat and remember
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life paid the price to make us one.
So we share in this bread of life, and we drink of his sacrifice
As a sign of our bonds of love around the table of the King.

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*BENEDICTION

Pronouncing God's blessing on his people

POSTLUDE

“Festive Trumpet Tune”
Wyeth Duncan, organ

David German

**Congregation standing as able*

SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUR

Classes for all ages meet from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Join any time. No registration required.

DEACON SUPPORT

Deacons provide assistance and prayer support to those facing difficult circumstances. Contact an individual deacon directly, call the deacons' phone line at 301-320-3600, x223, or email deacons@4thpres.org.

GIVING

If you would like to leave an offering, please place it in the offering baskets in the alcoves or in the back. You can give online at 4thpres.org/giving.

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Use the camera on your smartphone to access the simple form and we'll be in touch to answer any questions you may have.

TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

"Jesus at the Right Hand, for Me"

Psalm 110

Rev. Thomas Myrick

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 10

MORNING SERVICE

8:00 and 11:00 a.m. | Upper Room

"Always of Good Courage"

2 Corinthians 5:1-10

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

A Deacons' Offering will be received at both morning services on July 10.

EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m. | Upper Room

"Who is the Holy Spirit?"

Isaiah 11:1-3

Rev. Thomas Myrick

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

General Giving

2022 Annual Budget	\$ 5,346,077
2022 Expenses	\$ 2,474,583
2022 Contributions	\$ 1,799,869

Thank you for your generosity in the second quarter of 2022. This quarter our expenses exceeded giving by \$674,714. While we are confident that the Lord will continue to provide, please know that we make every effort to steward your financial gifts wisely. For more information or if you have questions, please contact Fred Lofberg at 301-320-3600, x239, or flofberg@4thpres.org.

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