

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

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

Psalm 145

B. Kauffin, J. Kauffin, N. Stiff

I'll bless your name, O God, each day that I awake.
From dawn to setting sun, your greatness I'll proclaim.
Your glory far exceeds all human thought,
So with each breath I'll bless your name, O God.

Your name will be revered by children yet to come,
As generations sing of wonders you have done.
Your strong and mighty deeds are always near,
O God Most High, your name will be revered.

*How great is the Lord and greatly to be praised,
How great is the Lord our God!
How great is the Lord and greatly to be praised!*

Your gracious hand provides for all who live and breathe.
Your mercy runs to find the helpless and the weak.
When we call out to you, you hear our cries,
And all our needs your gracious hand provides.

Forever without end, creation will rejoice,
When works of wicked men you finally destroy.
Your power we'll proclaim till Christ descends,
And you will reign forever without end.

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CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from you. We have sinned against you, O Lord, and we have offended you. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, so also do we acknowledge you to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to you. And so we humbly ask you, for the sake of Christ your Son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth and the sins of our old age. By your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our lives, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thought of our minds, may be guided and governed by you. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

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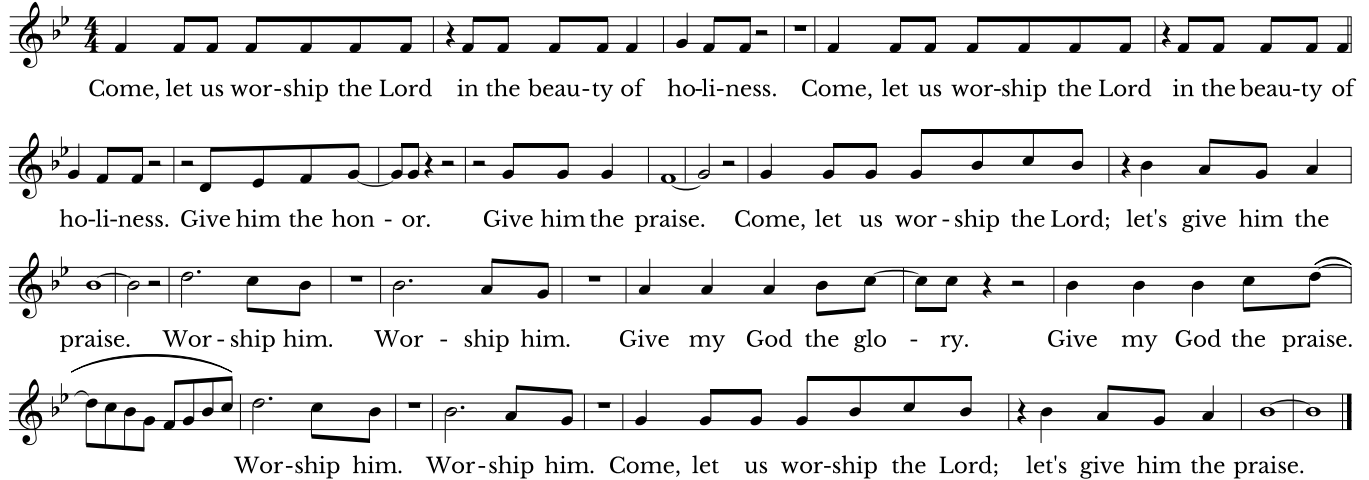
SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*HYMN

“In the Beauty of Holiness”

Nettie L. Sawyer Lester



Come, let us wor-ship the Lord in the beau-ty of ho-li-ness. Come, let us wor-ship the Lord in the beau-ty of ho-li-ness. Give him the hon - or. Give him the praise. Come, let us wor-ship the Lord; let's give him the praise. Wor-ship him. Wor - ship him. Give my God the glo - ry. Give my God the praise. Wor-ship him. Wor-ship him. Come, let us wor-ship the Lord; let's give him the praise.

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*HYMN

“We Will Glorify”

Twila Paris

We will glorify the King of kings; we will glorify the Lamb.
 We will glorify the Lord of lords, who is the great I Am.
 Lord Jehovah reigns in majesty; we will bow before his throne.
 We will worship him in righteousness; we will worship him alone.
 He is Lord of heaven, Lord of earth; he is Lord of all who live.
 He is Lord above the universe—all praise to him we give.
 Hallelujah! to the King of kings; hallelujah! to the Lamb.
 Hallelujah! to the Lord of lords, who is the great I Am.

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NEW TESTAMENT READING

1 Corinthians 8:1-7

page 967, pew Bible

*HYMN NO. 100

“Holy, Holy, Holy!”

Nicaea

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 44:6-21

page 604, pew Bible

SERMON

“Is There a God Besides Me?”
9th in the series, “Comfort My People”

Dr. Isaiah Nengean

*HYMN

“O Great God”

Bob Kauflin

O great God of highest heav'n, occupy my lowly heart;
 Own it all and reign supreme, conquer every rebel pow'r.
 Let no vice or sin remain that resists your holy war.
 You have loved and purchased me; make me yours forever more.

I was blinded by my sin, had no ears to hear your voice;
Did not know your love within, had no taste for heaven's joys.
Then your Spirit gave me life, opened up your word to me
Through the gospel of your Son, gave me endless hope and peace.

Help me now to live a life that's dependent on your grace;
Keep my heart and guard my soul from the evils that I face.
You are worthy to be praised with my ev'ry thought and deed;
O great God of highest heav'n, glorify your name through me.

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*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

**Congregation standing as able*

SUNDAY SUMMER NIGHTS

Following tonight's evening service, you are invited to enjoy fellowship and a sweet treat outside at the bottom of the Sanctuary steps.

WORSHIPING WITH CHILDREN

The presence of children is a gift to the Church and a reminder of God's covenant faithfulness. To help your little one get acquainted with worship, quietly explain the parts of the service and actions of the pastors, ushers, choir, etc. Sing the hymns, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn to worship by watching and following you.

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 plates by the exits.
You can give online at 4thpres.org/giving.

NEW TO FOURTH?

Let us know you're here! Scan and tap to fill out a simple form (4thpres.org/connect), and we'll be in touch to welcome you and answer any questions you may have. We also invite you to visit the Information Center off of Halverson Hall to learn more about Fourth.



NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 14

MORNING SERVICE

8:00 and 11:00 a.m.
"Putting Off the Old You"
Colossians 3:5-11
Dr. Todd M. Smedley

EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.
"Potter and Clay"
Isaiah 44:22-45:13
Rev. Jules Grisham
*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
will be celebrated.*

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

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| 2026 Annual Budget | \$ 7,503,526 |
| 2026 Year-to-Date Received | \$ 2,338,621 |
| 2026 Year-to-Date Expenses | \$ 3,029,736 |

Fourth Presbyterian Church is committed to glorifying God by making disciples of Jesus Christ through Christ-centered worship, gospel-shaped community, neighbor-loving service, and kingdom-advancing multiplication. We are a member congregation of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church.

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