



SHALLOTTE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

5th Sunday after Pentecost | July 2, 2023

AS FOR THE PROPHET WHO PROPHESES PEACE, WHEN THE WORD OF THAT PROPHET COMES TO PASS, THEN IT WILL BE KNOWN THAT THE LORD HAS TRULY SENT THE PROPHET.

JEREMIAH 28:9

*(*Indicates where it is appropriate, but not necessary, to stand.
All speak words in **boldface**.)*

CALLED BY GOD WE GATHER

GATHERING MUSIC, WELCOME, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Guest Organist - Neil Kraft

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

CALLED TO WORSHIP IN RINGING THE TRINITY AND MUSIC

(When the chimes toll, let us silently open our spirit to God's presence.)

"Meditation"

H. Sumsion

OPENING SENTENCES & PRAYER (adapted from Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18)

Sue Andersen, Liturgist

I will sing of your steadfast love, O LORD;
I will proclaim your faithfulness to all generations.
**Your steadfast love is established forever;
your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.**
Happy are those who walk in your light;
praising your name all day long.
**For you are our glory and strength,
O Holy One of Israel.**

*HYMN #12 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" ST. DENIO

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Almighty Lord, you lead your people in the way of righteousness and peace, but we confess how we resist. We value loyalty over justice, and flattery over sincerity. We eagerly listen to voices that tell us to hate our neighbor and accept lies as truth. Forgive our hypocrisy, Lord. Give us the wisdom to reject all that is false and the courage to seek what is honest, true, and good. May we trust and accept your judgment, so we may receive your abundant grace and love.

SILENT PRAYER / ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORY BE TO THE FATHER #581

GLORIA PATRI (Creatorex)

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD OF GRACE

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Romans 6:12-23

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

MUSIC

"We Worship You Alone"

Penny Rodriguez

Gail Thomas, soprano

Holy, holy, holy, holy, We come in awe to worship you, we kneel before your throne. Our hearts are hungry for your touch, we worship you alone, we worship you alone. Holy, holy, holy, holy. We come in awe to worship you. We kneel before your throne. Our lives are longing for your love, we worship you alone. We worship you alone. Holy, holy, holy, holy, holy, holy, we worship you alone. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee. Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty, God in three persons blessed trinity. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God almighty! All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea. Only thou are holy, there is none beside thee, perfect in pow'r, in love and purity. We worship you alone.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Jeremiah 28:5-9

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

"50/50"

Rev. George W. Chapman III

WELCOME OF NEW MEMBERS: Rick & Debbie Padgett

Introduction

Questions to the New Members

TO RESPOND IN FAITH WITH GRATITUDE

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: The Apostle's Creed

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THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Thanksgiving

May the Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Communion of the People

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & LORD'S PRAYER

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OFFERING

*Doxology #606, *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

*Prayer of Dedication

THEN DEPART BLESSED TO SERVE

*HYMN #286

"Breathe on Me Breath of God"

TRENTHAM

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

SENDING MUSIC



Rev. George W. Chapman III (church@atmc.net)
Kathy Sasso, Office Administrator;
Linda Rowell, Church Treasurer; Joyce Winkler, Qualified Ruling Elder;
Rev. Cathy Chang & Juan Lopez, Philippines Mission Workers

