



"Therefore, God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." – Philippians 2:9-11

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

September 27, 2026 – 18th Sunday after Pentecost

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

PRELUDE

"Suite No 3 3rd Mov"

J.S. Bach

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Eric Lehmann, Worship and Outreach

*PASSING OF THE PEACE & RINGING THE TRINITY

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

And also with you.

(Please take a brief moment to greet those around you)

CHORAL INTROIT

"Praise, I Will Praise You, Lord"

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CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER *(from Psalm 78)*

Give ear, O My people, to My teaching;

Incline your ears to the words of My mouth.

**We will tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds
of the Lord and the wonders that God has done.**

How in the daytime the Lord led them with a cloud,
and all night long with a fiery light.

**He split rocks open in the wilderness, and gave them
drink abundantly as from the deep.**

Let us drink deeply of the Lord's goodness as we come
into God's courts with praise!

Let us worship God!

*HYMN #415

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

Restoration

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of compassion, have mercy upon us as we make our confession. How often we do what we intended! What we confess is not how we act. We hear Your word preached and we give our assent, but faith is found wanting when it comes time to obey. We are confronted by conflict; decisions are called for. Our desires are at odds with what You command and we do not do what You wish. O God, have mercy upon us and in Christ forgive us. Give us the strength to do Your will.

SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: Hymn #581 “Glory Be to the Father”**

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.*

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Philippians 2:1-13

TIME WITH THE YOUNG PEOPLE

ANTHEM

“My Worth is Not in What I Own”

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My worth is not in what I own; not in the strength of flesh and bone.
But in the costly wounds of love at the cross.

My worth is not in skill or name; in win or lose, in pride or shame.
But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the cross.

I rejoice in my Redeemer, Greatest Treasure, Well-spring of my soul.
I will trust in Him, no other; my soul is satisfied in Him alone.

As summer flowers we fade and die; fame, youth and beauty hurry by.
But life eternal calls to us at the cross.

I will not boast in wealth or might, or human wisdom's fleeting light.
But I will boast in knowing Christ at the cross.

I rejoice in my Redeemer, Greatest Treasure, Well-spring of my soul.
I will trust in Him, no other; my soul is satisfied in Him alone.

Two wonders here that I confess: my worth and my unworthiness.
My value fixed, my ransom paid at the cross.

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I will trust in Him, no other; my soul is satisfied in Him alone.

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SECOND SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 21:23-32

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

SERMON

“Who Has Power?”

Rev. Dr. Bill Young

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *The Apostles’ Creed*

What do we believe?

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING

**Response: Hymn #606, “Praise God from whom All Blessings Flow”*

*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.*

**Prayer of Dedication*

*HYMN #702

“Christ Be Beside Me”

Bunessan

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

“Go with Us, Lord”

Tallis’ Canon

POSTLUDE

Ushers: Tom Tart & Susan Lehmann
Greeter: Leslie Claiborne
Liturgist: Lynne Young
Acolyte: Mary Grace Carter

*The flowers are in loving honor of Jim & Sarah Braddock's
62nd Wedding Anniversary.*

Please Welcome

Rev. William "Bill" Young September 27th

Rev. Bill Young lives at Riversea Plantation near Supply and honorably retired from active pastoral ministry from the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina in January of 2022 after 40 + years of ordained ministry. Bill is a graduate of Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, Va. And he served churches in South and North Carolina with his last being Sneads Ferry Presbyterian Church near Jacksonville, NC. He is married to Lynne (51 years) who is a member and Elder of SPC.

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