

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 12, 2018

A SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

(As we prepare to worship, please silence all mobile devices.)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Mindy Douglas

PRELUDE *Variations on "Be Thou My Vision"* Slane, arr. Rick Keena

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (from Psalm 130:5-7) Thilo Fullenkamp

Leader: We wait for you, O Lord; our souls wait; in your word is our hope.

People: **Our souls wait for the Lord more than those who keep watch for the morning,
more than those who keep watch for the morning.**

Leader: O Israel, wait for the Lord, for with the Lord there is steadfast love;

People: **With the Lord there is plenteous redemption.**

All: **Let us worship God.**

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO.757** *Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples* *Kingsfold*

***CONFESSION OF SIN** (remain standing) John Weicher

Call to Prayer

Sung Confession (Hymn No. 791) *For You, My God, I Wait* *Springtime*

Silent Confession

Declaration of Pardon

COLLECT FOR THE DAY Jeanne Hervey

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

All: **Redeeming God, you satisfy our soul's hunger through Jesus Christ, the bread of life.
Filled with your steadfast love, let us live in love, working honestly to share with the
needy, feeding others with the bread of kindness, tenderness, and forgiveness. Amen.**

HEBREW SCRIPTURE LESSON Micah 6:6-8 (Pew Bible, OT Page 866)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

GOSPEL LESSON John 6:35, 41-51 (Pew Bible, NT Page 98)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

EPISTLE LESSON Ephesians 4:25 - 5:2 (Pew Bible, NT Page 194)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON *"Words, Words, Words"* Mindy Douglas

(Silent reflection)

* Those who are able, please stand.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (in unison) (from *Psalm 36:5-10*) John Weicher
Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens, and your faithfulness to the clouds.
Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep;
you save humankind and animals, O Lord.
How precious is your love, O God! All people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.
They feast upon the abundance of your house; you give them drink from the river of your delights.
For with you is the well of life, and in your light we see light.
Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you,
and your favor to those who are true of heart.

***HYMN NO. 697** *Take My Life* Hendon

***THE PEACE** Sam Miglarese
Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.
People: **And also with you.**

(Children through 1st grade enter worship at this time.)

A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Mindy Douglas
(Following "A Time with Children," children may join their parents in the pews or return to the nursery.)

JOYS AND CONCERNS Marilyn Hedgpeth

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Leader: I wait for you, O Lord; my soul waits;
People: **In your word is my hope.**
Leader: Let us pray.

(Prayers of thanksgiving and intercession)

... 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

Invitation to the Offering Marilyn Hedgpeth

Offertory *Variations on "We Gather Together to Ask the Lord's Blessing"* Kremser, arr. Rick Keena

*Doxology with Alleluias *Lasst uns erfreuen*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia; Alleluia; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.
People: **It is right to offer thanks and praise.**
All: **God of all mercies, we give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all living things. Give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our redeemer, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory now and forever. Amen.**

**NEW MEMBER SERVICE OF WELCOME
FOR GEORGE KAFULA**

Mindy Douglas and Marilyn Hedgpeth

Words of Welcome and Introduction
Reaffirmation of Baptismal Vows
Prayer

Song of Welcome (Hymn No. 306, verse 1; all sing)

Dennis

*Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.*

*HYMN NO.70

What Does the Lord Require of You?

Moon

*BENEDICTION

Mindy Douglas

*POSTLUDE

Prelude and fugue in B flat

J. S. Bach

First Presbyterian Church welcomes all who worship here.

We honor and celebrate the human diversity and unity that God gives us in Christ. We welcome individuals of every age, race, nationality, gender, ability, sexual orientation, and economic circumstance to participate fully in the life of the church. So that we may better know each other, please sign the *Ritual of Friendship pad*, pass it along the center pew across to the shorter side pew, and then **return it to the starting point**, noting the names of those sitting near you. On Sunday, August 5, we welcomed 11 visitors in worship.

We welcome *Rick Keena* today as our guest guitarist. Rick graduated from UNC-G, later went on to study at Columbia University and, after graduating, played guitar in various group settings in the Triangle as well as a solo musician at the Duke Chapel Christmas Eve Service and Carols services. He will be in the orchestra on December 8th and 9th for the Dave Brubeck choral pageant, "La Fiesta de la Posada" at Duke Chapel. He can also be found at Vimala's Curry Blossom Cafe in Chapel Hill on Thursday nights, where he plays guitar, and at Judea Reform synagogue on Friday night worship services, where he is a part of the musical group accompanying the worship.

Please welcome new member *George Kafula*, an ordained pastor in the Pentecostal Assemblies of God from Zambia, Africa (his homeland). George moved to Durham in March of this year. He enjoys reading, watching Christian movies and visiting places.

The *flowers* are given to the glory of God by *Susan Ward and Jeremy Nabors* whose wedding ceremony was held here on yesterday, August 11.

Nursery care for infants to 6 years of age is provided during worship on the second floor of the Education Building. There is a changing table in the narthex, located to the left as you exit the rear of the sanctuary.

Worship bags and activity bulletins are available in the foyer for children. Books are on the pews in the narthex for young children to read and enjoy should they need a break from the service.

Portions of today's worship texts were reprinted from *Book of Common Worship* (2018) and *Feasting on the Word*.

For more information about First Presbyterian Church, email the church office:
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~ Prayer Concerns ~

Sympathies: The love and concern of the congregation are extended to the family of *Flo Johnston*, FPC member who died August 7. A memorial service was held August 11 in Laurinburg NC at the retirement village where she lived.

Memorial Service: The family of *David Powell* has requested a Service of Witness to the Resurrection be held **Saturday, August 18 at 11:00 a.m. in the sanctuary of FPC.**

Added this week:

Franzi Rokoske, preparing for surgery

Ryan Washington, infant friend of Adrienne Allison & Bob Pleasants

Home:

Carolyn Wolfe

Mariah Wilson, daughter of Mike & Emily Wilson

Brookdale Senior Living, Durham: *Julian Boswell*

Croasdaile Pavilion: *Bette Conroy, Bob Rankin*

Dubose Center, Chapel Hill: *Mary Clark*

Durham Regent: *John Kerr, Ann Prospero*

Pruitt Health at Carolina Point, Durham: *Helen Garrison*

The Forest at Duke: *Fran Bryant, Peaches McPherson*

Family and Friends of FPC Members and Staff:

Jerry Arrowood, brother of Al Arrowood

Mary Banner, friend of FPC

Marc and Polly Crawford, friends of Brianna Bennett

Randy Heffelfinger, friend of Eric Wiebe

John Hendrickson, cousin of Bill Hendrickson

Marsha Hussung, sister of Brent Curtis

Carolyn Kreuger, former member of FPC

Paul Martin, brother of Beth Neece

Dell McMillian, brother-in-law of Valerie McMillian

Rosemary Orphys, aunt of Kerry Holbrook

Mary Putman, friend of FPC

Vickey Tobey, niece of Mickey Velkey and cousin of Beth Brockman

Mandy Wooten, sister of Randy Lang Howard

Teacher Training

Sunday, August 19, at 9:45 a.m. in Room 205

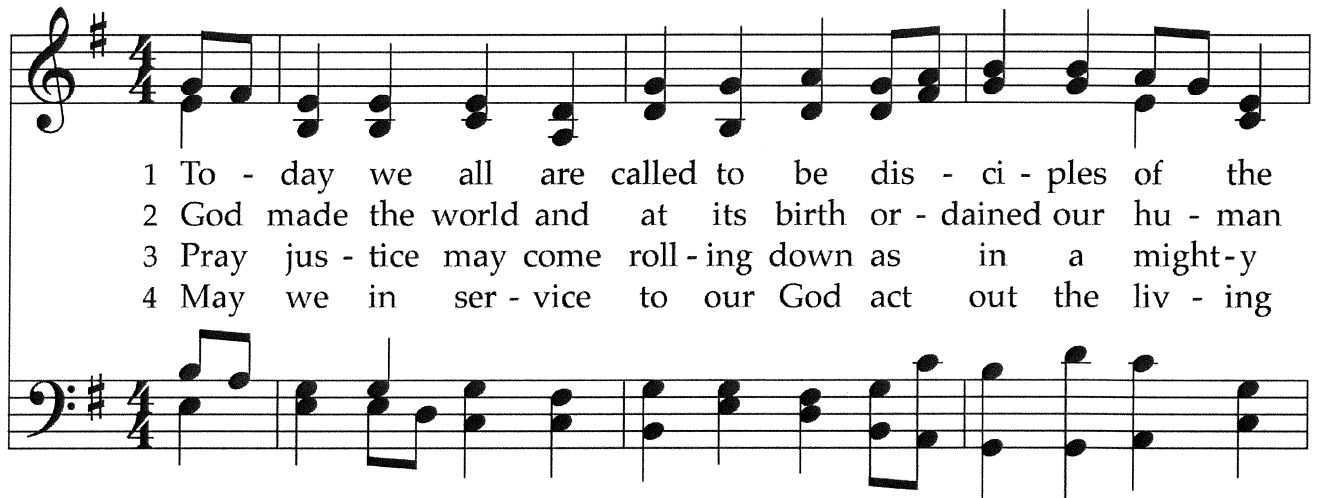
This is required for teachers and advisors of youth and children, as we will review the Youth and Child Protection Policy.

Coming August 26 – Promotion Sunday



Like a Hurricane, the winds of the Spirit will rotate and swirl activities around each month's story for children and youth. We'll start with the foundational Hebrew Testament stories of Creation, Flood, Exodus, and the Giving of the Law, in addition to the seasonal stories about Jesus, and then enhance the stories by cooking, making LEGO models, doing drama, singing, playing games, drawing maps, all to deepen our understanding of each story... and to have fun while we're doing it! It's called the Rotation Model, and the CE Committee is excited to be introducing a new wave of energy into the spiritual nurture of our community. Stay tuned for more details.

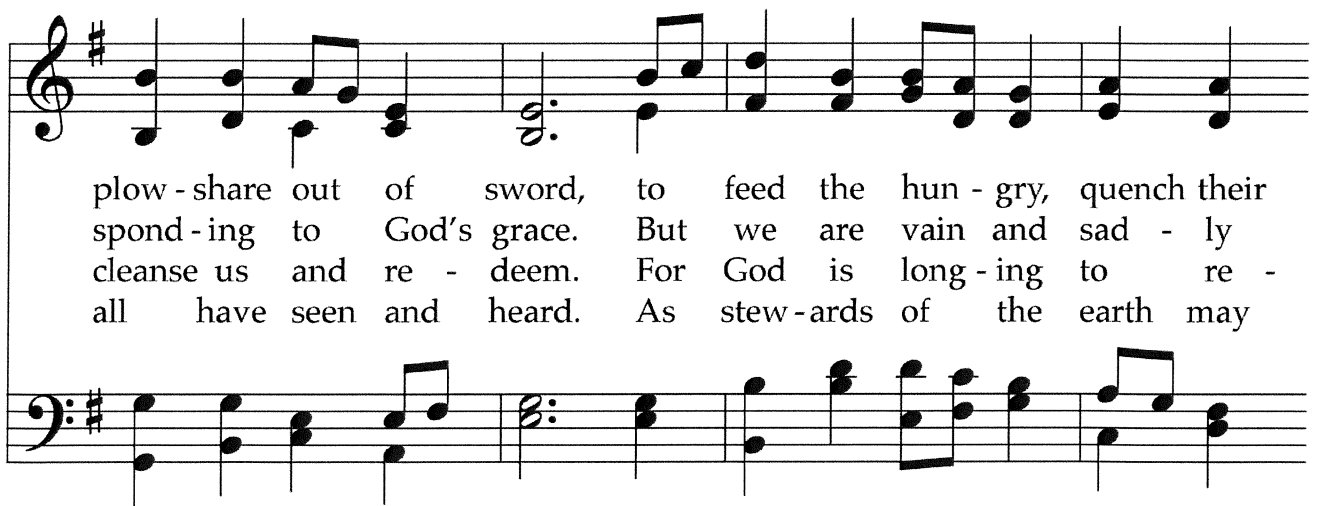
757 Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples



1 To - day we all are called to be dis - ci - ples of the
2 God made the world and at its birth or - dained our hu - man
3 Pray jus - tice may come roll - ing down as in a might - y
4 May we in ser - vice to our God act out the liv - ing



Lord, to help to set the cap - tive free, make
race to live as stew - ards of the earth, re -
stream, with righ - teous - ness in field and town to
word, and walk the road the saints have trod till



plow - share out of sword, to feed the hun - gry, quench their
spond - ing to God's grace. But we are vain and sad - ly
cleanse us and re - deem. For God is long - ing to re -
all have seen and heard. As stew - ards of the earth may

thirst, make love and peace our fast, to serve the
proud; we sow not peace but strife. Our dis - cord
store an earth where con - flicts cease, a world that
we give thanks in one ac - cord to God who

poor and home - less first, our ease and com - fort last.
spreads a dead - ly cloud that threat - ens all of life.
was cre - at - ed for a har - mo - ny of peace.
calls us all to be dis - ci - ples of the Lord.

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For You, My God, I Wait

(Psalms 130 and 131)

Capo 3: (D)

(G)

(D)

(D)

F

B \flat

F

F



1 For you, my God, I wait with hope born
 2 Lord, hear my plead - ing voice, and let me
 3 If you should list my faults, the sins of
 4 For e - ven from the deep I know you
 5 And once my soul is still, in you I
 6 O God, you are my hope; I know that

(G)

(Asus)

(A)

(Bm)

(D/A)

B \flat

Csus

C

Dm

F/C



of the Word. Like sleep - less ones who
 know you hear! As sleep - less ones feel
 heart and hand, like sleep - less ones who
 hear my cries. Like sleep - less ones who
 find my rest, at peace as though a
 you for - give. Your love re - deems me

(G6)

(D/F#)

(Em7)

(G/A)

(D)

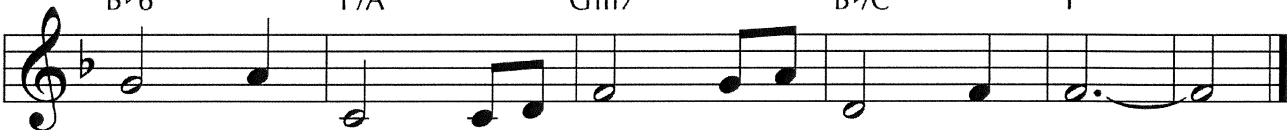
B \flat 6

F/A

Gm7

B \flat /C

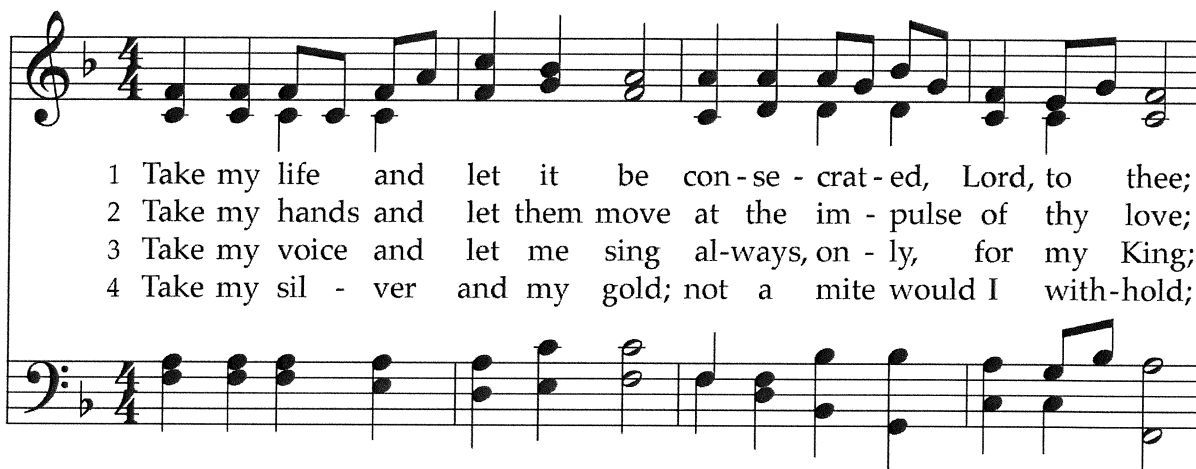
F



long to dream I wait and call my Lord.
 rest ap - proach, I know my God is near.
 groan at dawn I know I could not stand!
 dream at last, I ease my wea - ry eyes.
 child up - on a gen - tle moth - er's breast.
 from the depths so I may rise and live.

Take My Life

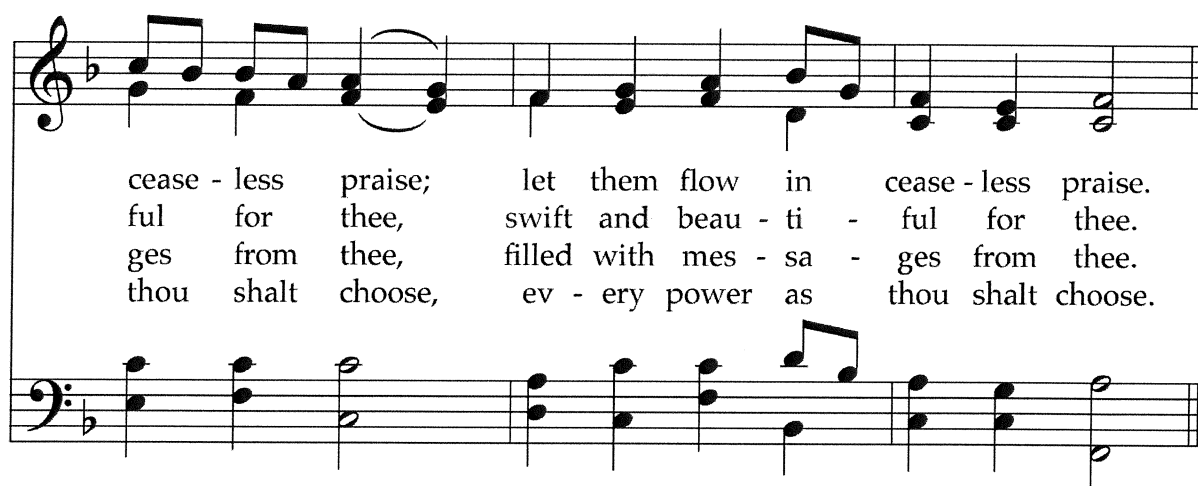
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1 Take my life and let it be con - se - crat - ed, Lord, to thee;
 2 Take my hands and let them move at the im - pulse of thy love;
 3 Take my voice and let me sing al - ways, on - ly, for my King;
 4 Take my sil - ver and my gold; not a mite would I with - hold;



take my mo - ments and my days; let them flow in
 take my feet and let them be swift and beau - ti -
 take my lips and let them be filled with mes - sa -
 take my in - tel - lect and use ev - ery power as



cease - less praise; let them flow in cease - less praise.
 ful for thee, swift and beau - ti - ful for thee.
 ges from thee, filled with mes - sa - ges from thee.
 thou shalt choose, ev - ery power as thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will and make it thine;
 it shall be no longer mine.
 Take my heart, it is thine own;
 it shall be thy royal throne,
 it shall be thy royal throne.

6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour
 at thy feet its treasure store;
 take myself and I will be
 ever, only, all for thee,
 ever, only, all for thee.

Blest Be the Tie That Binds 306

1 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in
 2 Be - fore our *Fa - ther's throne we pour our
 3 We share our mu - tual woes; our mu - tual
 4 When we are called to part, it gives us
 5 From sor - row, toil, and pain, and sin we

Chris - tian love. The fel - low - ship of
 ar - dent prayers. Our fears, our hopes, our
 bur - dens bear. And of - ten for each
 in - ward pain; but we shall still be
 shall be free; and per - fect love and

kin - dred minds is like to that a - bove.
 aims are one, our com - forts and our cares.
 oth - er flows the sym - pa - thiz - ing tear.
 joined in heart, and hope to meet a - gain.
 friend - ship reign through all e - ter - ni - ty.

What Does the Lord Require of You? 70

Capo 3: (G)

(D)

(Em)

(Bm)

B \flat

F

Gm

Dm

*1.

What does the Lord re - quire of you?

2.

Jus - tice, kind - ness,

3.

To seek jus - tice and love kind - ness

(C)

(G)

(Am)

(D)

(G)

E \flat

B \flat

Cm

F

B \flat

Repeat as desired

What does the Lord re - quire of you?

walk hum - bly with your God.

and walk hum - bly with your God.



Ben Maxwell Cello Recital
Sunday, August 19 at 7:00 p.m.
in the FPC sanctuary

Ben Maxwell, son of *Jody and Julie Maxwell*, will play a cello recital in the sanctuary with pianist *Deborah Hollis* featuring cello sonatas by Debussy and Prokofiev as well as the Unaccompanied Bach Cello Suite No. 3. The performance is free and open to everyone.

~ **Serving Today** ~

Liturgists: *Jeanne Hervey*

Greeter: *Maxie Honeycutt*

After Worship Greeters: *Alice Raney* (side/font); *Cris Rivera* (rear/narthex)

Ushers: *John Mozart* (head), *Mary Jo Keenan* (flowers), *Kathy Krahenbuhl*,
Matt Cline, Bob Pleasants, Mal King

The Week at a Glance!

<p align="center">Later Today 2:00 - 4:00 PM Shape Note Choir</p>	<p align="center">Monday, August 13 5:30 PM Christian Education 6:00 PM Property Committee 6:30 PM Service and Mission 7:00 PM Worship and the Arts</p>	<p align="center">Tuesday, August 14 1:30 PM Worship Planning 2:30 PM All Staff Meeting</p>	<p align="center">Wednesday, August 15 6:00 PM Stewardship Committee</p>
<p align="center">Thursday, August 16</p>	<p align="center">Friday, August 17 7:00 – 9:00 AM FPC serving breakfast at Urban Ministries</p>	<p align="center">Saturday, August 18 11:00 AM Memorial Service for David Powell Prep for Congregational Lunch</p>	<p align="center">Sunday, August 19 <i>20th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 9:45 AM Summer Sunday School / Teacher Training 11:00 AM Worship After Worship: Congregational Lunch / Youth Parents' Meeting 7:00 PM Ben Maxwell Cello Recital</p>

CHURCH STAFF

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