

For God so
loved the world...

John 3:16



*The congregation
is asked to
remain silent
during the prelude
as a time of
prayer and
meditation.*

*For God so loved
the world that he
gave his only
Son, so that
everyone who
believes in him
may not perish
but may have
eternal life.”
John 3:16*

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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

May 29, 2022

11:00 a.m.

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude

“Be Thou My Vision”

arr. Mary McDonald

*Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart.
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art.
Thou my best thought, by day or by night.
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.*

Welcome and Announcements

(During this time the friendship pads are passed to be signed.)

Carillon Call to Worship

“Rain Down”

Jaime Cortez

*Rain down; rain down; rain down your love on your people.
Rain down; rain down; rain down your love, God of life.*

Opening Sentences

Elder Hayes Ludlum

[Adapted from Psalm 97 Common English Bible]

One: The Lord rules! Let the earth rejoice!

Many: Let all the islands celebrate!

One: The heavens have proclaimed God's righteousness,

Many: and all nations have seen God's glory.

One: Rejoice in the Lord, righteous ones!

Many: Give thanks to his holy name!

*Hymn #450

”Be Thou My Vision”

SLANE

*Unison Prayer of Confession

Gracious Power, you call us to your everlasting springs to be drenched and reformed, but we fail to heed you. We do not turn with love to our neighbors to ourselves, or to you. Forgive us for our failings, shield us from our due, and guide us into unity with all for the sake of the whole world. Lord, hear our prayers . . .

(A time for silent prayers of confession . . .)

*“Lift high the
cross, the love
of Christ proclaim
till all the
world adore his
sacred name.”
Hymn #826, “Lift
High the Cross” in
Glory to God*

"God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him."
1 John 4:9

*Responsive Assurance of Pardon

One: In the compassion of the God who prays for us, with us, and in us, ...

Many: for the sake of the one who was sent to show us the face of love and who died and rose, one with the Father and with us...

All: May we know that in Christ Jesus our Lord we are forgiven.

Gloria Patri

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.

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

Elder Carol Steen

Prayer for Illumination

Holy God, whose voice is heard in the thunder and in the silence, speak to us now, by the power of your Spirit, that we may hear your word for us today. In Jesus' name we ask it. Amen.

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."
Acts 1:8

New Testament Lesson

Acts 16:16-34

Elder Hayes Ludlum

Gospel Lesson

John 17:20-26

Sermon

Rev. Cynthia Williams

"That the World Should Know They Are Loved"

A Time for Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer with 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 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.

The
LORD'S
Prayer



GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

"Now let us be united and let our song be heard. Now let us be a vessel for God's redeeming word." Hymn #733, "We All Are One in Mission" in Glory to God

Offertory **"Open Our Eyes" with "Be Thou My Vision"** arr. Mark Hayes
*Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus,
To reach out and touch him, and say that we love him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen.
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.*

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication
*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.*



*The Affirmation of Faith: The 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 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.**

*"Guide my feet,
hold my hand,
stand by me
while I run this
race, for I don't
want to run this
race in vain!"
Hymn #741,
"Guide My Feet"
in Glory to God*

*Hymn #451 **"Open My Eyes, That I May See"** OPEN MY EYES

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction **"Amen"** African American
Amen, amen. Amen, amen, amen.

*Postlude **All who are able may stand.*



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, May 29	10:00 am	Sunday School Classes
	11:00 am	Worship, livestream and in person/Rev. Cynthia Williams, preacher/5 th Sunday Building Offering
Monday, May 30		MEMORIAL DAY, Church Office Closed No Monday night Zoom Bible Study
Wednesday, June 1	10:00 am	Bible Study/Room 304 & via Zoom
Thursday, June 2	12:30 pm	Meeting of the Commission on Ministry, Presbytery of Coastal Carolina, Rm. 304



NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* **We welcome Rev. Cynthia Williams** as our preacher this morning.

Welcome back, Cyn!

* **This morning** we receive our 5th Sunday Building Offering. This offering helps us provide and maintain our church physical plant so our worship, education, and outreach ministries can continue. Thank you for your generous support!

* **The church office** will be closed on Monday, May 30 in observance of Memorial Day.

* **There will be no Monday night Bible Study this week.** Please join the minister for Bible Study on Wednesday, June 1 from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. in Room 304 and via Zoom. This week we will read and talk about John 14:8-17, 25-27 in preparation for worship on Pentecost Sunday, June 5. Check your email on Tuesday for the Zoom link.



**Today
May 29**



**05/29:
Debbie &
Katy Price**



**Dan
Robinson
Freddy Hall
John Ludlum**

**Opening
Church
Building
May 16-31:
Hayes
Ludlum**



**TIME FOR A NEW CONGREGATIONAL PICTURE!
WEAR RED ON SUNDAY, JUNE 5**

Everyone is invited to wear red to worship on Pentecost Sunday, June 5. We will take a new congregational photo to use on our church website. UNC and Duke fans, do this for the church, even if you have to borrow something red to wear!