

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

"Now to God who is able to strengthen you according to my gospel and the proclamation of Jesus Christ, to the only wise God, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory forever.

Amen."

Romans 16:25.27

"The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen." Revelation 22:21

WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

August 29, 2021

11:00 a.m.

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude

"Jesus Loves Me"

Jesus loves me this I know!

For the Bible tells me so!

setting by Joel Raney

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Sentences (based on Ephesians 1:1-14) Elder Fred Burroughs Leader: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places,

All: just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love.

Leader: He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved.

All: In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. Leader: When you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, you also were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit;

All: this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory. Amen.

*Hymn #627

"I Love You, Lord"

I LOVE YOU, LORD

Unison Prayer of Confession

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the aid of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that, attentive to your Word, we may confess our sins, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Gracious God, have mercy on us. In your compassion, forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Lord, hear our prayers...

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

"Grace and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to set us free from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen." Galatians 1:3-5

Responsive Assurance of Pardon (1 Timothy 1:15; Ephesians 1:7-8; Ephesians 5:1-2)

Leader: The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

All: In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished upon us. Leader: Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children.

All: and let us live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

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

God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may you give us a spirit of wisdom and revelation as we come to know you, so that, with the eyes of our hearts enlightened, we may know what is the hope to which you have called us, what are the riches of your glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of your power for us who believe, according to the working of your great power. Amen.

Prayer for Illumination (Adapted from Ephesians 1:17-19)

Epistle Lesson

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Elder Fred Burroughs

Epistle Lesson

Ephesians 3:14-21

Sermon

TO THE SAINTS IN WALLACE

Dr. Philip K. Gladden

"Rooted and Grounded in Love"

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.

"Now to him who is able to keep you from falling, and to make you stand without blemish in the presence of his glory with rejoicing, to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, power, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen." Jude 24-25



GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

5TH SUNDAY BUILDING OFFERING

And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

Colossians 3:17

"I Give You My Heart"

Reuben Morgan

Lord, I give You my heart. I give You my soul.
I live for You alone.

Every breath that I take, every moment I'm awake, Lord, have Your way in me.

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication Hymn #609

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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The Affirmation of Faith: From "A Declaration of Faith" of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and Ephesians 6:23

We believe in one true and living God.
We acknowledge one God alone,
whose demands on us are absolute,
whose help for us is sufficient.
That One is the Lord, whom we worship, serve, and love.

We acknowledge no other God.

We must not set our ultimate reliance on any other help.

We must not yield unconditional obedience to any other power.

We must not love anyone or anything more than we love God.

We praise and enjoy God.

To worship God is highest joy.

To serve God is perfect freedom.

for our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Peace be to the whole community, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who have an undying love

"The Lord be with your spirit. Grace be with you." 2 Timothy 4:22

*Hymn #468

"In My Life"

LORD, BE GLORIFIED

(Lord, Be Glorified)

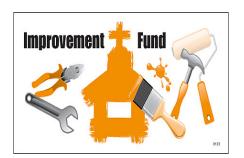
*Benediction

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand



Church Weekly



5TH SUNDAY BUILDING OFFERING TODAY

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!

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, August 29

9:30 am Alternative Sunday School Class (Adult),

in-person (Room 304) and via Zoom

10:00 am Living Stones (Children) Sunday School

Class via Zoom

11:00 am Worship in-person and live-stream

5TH Sunday Building Offering

4:00-5:30 pm Presbyterian Women Drive Through Fall

Gathering, Portico Entrance on Boney St.

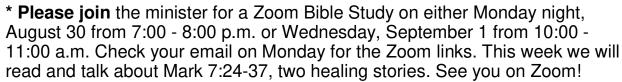
Monday, August 30 7:00-8:00 pm Zoom Bible Study

Wednesday, September 1 10:00-11:00 am Zoom Bible Study

5:30 pm Christian Education Ministry

Team Meeting

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



* **We extend** our Christian love and sympathy to Joyce Rau and family on the death of her mother-in-law, Shirley Rau on August 25.









Rally Day

12 September 2021 • Sunday • 10 AM Wallace Presbyterian Church

Sunday School Class Offerings

Youth Classes:

- Birth to Kindergarten
- First to Third Grade
- Facurety to Oth Consul
- High School Class

Adult Classes:

- Margaret Glasgow
- Working Class
- Alternative Class