

WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

August 7, 2022

11:00 a.m.

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

arr. Purifoy

*For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies,
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies:
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

Welcome and Announcements

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

Choral Call to Worship

"Jesus, Remember Me"

Jacques Berthier

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Opening Sentences

Elder Greg Maready

Leader: How are we to live as God's beloved children?

All: We are to have attitudes and actions of compassion and justice.

Leader: How are we to live as neighbors with one another?

All: We are to put on the garments of love and peace.

Leader: Let us come before the Lord in gratitude for all we have been given.

All: Lord, thank you for all you continue to do in our lives. Amen.

*Hymn #14

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

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*Responsive Prayer of Confession

Leader: You are God's people, God's saints, God's beloved community.

*Clothe yourselves, therefore, with compassion, kindness, humility,
gentleness, and patience with one another.*

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to love others as generously as you love us.

*Leader: Be tolerant of one another. Be forgiving when someone offends you
or treats you wrongly. Just as Christ has forgiven you, so you must forgive
one another.*

**All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to forgive others as freely as you
have forgiven us.**

*Leader: Clothe yourselves, above all, with love, which will join you together in
perfect unity. You have been called to be one body; therefore, let Christ's
peace govern your hearts.*

**All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to live in perfect unity with all
whom you have called into your church.**

(Continued)

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

*"But in fact Christ
has been raised
from the dead, the
first fruits of those
who have died. But
thanks be to God,
who gives us the
victory through our
Lord Jesus Christ."*

*1 Corinthians
15:20, 56*

*Today's Prayer of
Confession is
adapted from
"From beyond the
farthest hills," an
online worship
resource.*

“So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.”
Romans 6:13



Leader: Gratefully make room for Christ’s Word to live in your heart. Challenge one another to live up to Christ’s teachings, and learn wisdom from one another.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to live a truly Christlike life. Help us to be teachable.

Leader: Sing to God with grateful hearts! Give thanks to God in the name of Jesus. Whatever you say or do, do it in the name of the Lord Jesus.

All: Christ, work in our hearts. Help us to live in a spirit of grateful abundance. Help us to live in a way that worthy of your name. Amen.

*Responsive Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Beloved children of God, God has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

All: Lord, fill us with spiritual wisdom that we may lead lives worthy of your inheritance and bear fruit in all we say and do and think.

Leader: God has rescued us and redeemed us from our sins, setting aside judgment to shower us with mercy.

All: We will go and do likewise. Thanks be to God! Amen.

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.

“We share by water in his saving death. Reborn we share with him an Easter life as living members of a living Christ. Alleluia!”
Hymn #485, “We Know That Christ Is Raised,” Glory to God: The Presbyterian Hymnal

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Children’s Sermon

Prayer for Illumination

Holy and gracious God, may your Holy Spirit give us a spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that, with the eyes of our hearts enlightened, we may know the hope to which Christ has called us, the riches of his glorious inheritance among us, and the greatness of his power for those who believe. Amen.

Gospel Lesson

John 11:17-27

Elder Greg Maready

Epistle Lesson

Colossians 3:12-17

Sermon

“Practicing Resurrection: Part II”

Dr. Philip K. Gladden

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

“Present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness.”
Romans 6:13b

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

John Rutter

*For each perfect gift of thine to our race so freely given,
Graces human and divine, flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n,
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.*

*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: *From “A Brief Declaration of Faith” of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)*

Jesus is our living Lord.

We are certain that Jesus lives.

**He lives as God with us,
touching all of human life with the presence of God.**

He lives as one of us with God.

**Because he shares our humanity
and has bound us to himself in love,
we have an advocate in the innermost life of God.**

We declare that Jesus is Lord.

**His resurrection is a decisive victory
over the powers that deform and destroy human life.**

His lordship is hidden.

**The world appears to be dominated by people and systems
that do not acknowledge his rule.**

**But his lordship is real. It demands our loyalty and sets us free
from the fear of all lesser lords who threaten us.**

**We maintain that ultimate sovereignty now belongs to Jesus Christ
in every sphere of life. Jesus is Lord. He has been Lord from the
beginning. He will be Lord at the end. Even now he is Lord.**

“Therefore [because of Christ’s resurrection from the dead], be steadfast, immovable, always excelling in the work of the Lord, because you know that in the Lord your labor is not in vain.”

*Hymn #248

“Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!”

HYMN TO JOY

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction

“Amen”

Thomas Pavelchko

Amen, Amen, Amen.

*Postlude

**All who are able may stand.*



WEEKLY CALENDAR

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| Sunday, August 7 | 9:30 am | Alternative Sunday School Class, Room 304 and via Zoom |
| | 10:00 am | Sunday School Classes Choir Practice |
| | 11:00 am | Worship, livestream and in person |
| Monday, August 8 | 7:00 pm | Zoom Bible Study |
| Wednesday, August 9 | 10:00 am | Bible Study in Room 304 and via zoom |
| Saturday, August 13 | 10 am-2:00 pm | Disaster Preparedness Expo, Campbell Center, Wallace |

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bible Study



* **Please join** the minister for this week’s Bible Study on Monday night, August 8 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. via Zoom or Wednesday morning, August 10 from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. in Room 304 and via Zoom. This week we will read Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 and talk about this important idea, “Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.” Check your email on Monday for the Zoom links.

* **LOOKING AHEAD! Mark October 9 on your calendars as Kirkwood Sunday. Fellowship, worship, the Lord’s Supper, lunch, activities. Stay tuned for more information.**



The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary today are in memory of “Miss Winnie” The Honorable Winifred Townson Wells, mother of Clyde DeLeon Wells and William David Wells.



We celebrate today with Jake and Cindy Brice Bron on their 50th Wedding Anniversary (August 6). Happy Anniversary!

Today August 7



08/07:

Tonya & Michael Patram



Kevin Johnson
Clay Blue
Devan Riley

Opening Church Building

August 1-15:
Nate Farrior



DISASTER PREPAREDNESS EXPO

Sponsored by the Disaster Recovery Group of Duplin County
 Saturday, August 13
 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
 The Campbell Center
 513 SE Railroad Street, Wallace

The Disaster Recovery Group of Duplin County will host the 2022 Disaster Preparedness Expo on Saturday, August 13 from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the Campbell Center in Wallace. Numerous relief and aid organizations will be present to provide timely information and resources to use in the event of a disaster in our area. The Salvation Army will provide hot dogs and drinks. All are welcome.