



SUMMER WORSHIP
Shelby Presbyterian Church
July 1, 2018
10:00 a.m.

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE: “Andante” from CONCERTO IN F MAJOR Handel

WELCOME AND PRAYER Luke Harkey, Pastor

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: “The Heavenly Table” Southbridge

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP: from Psalm 30 Debra Haddock

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones,
and give thanks to his holy name.

O Lord my God, I cried to you for help, and you healed me.

Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me! O Lord, be my helper!

You have turned my mourning into dancing;

You have . . . clothed me with joy,

so that my soul may praise you and not be silent.

O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.

*OPENING HYMN #338: “O Beautiful for Spacious Skies”

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our failure to be what you created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. By your loving mercy, help us to live in your light and abide in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. (silent confession)**

RESPONSE IN SONG: Hymn #39, verse 3

**Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow:
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!
Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning, new mercies I see.
All I have needed thy hand hath provided.
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS: Psalm 30:5
For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime.
Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.
Friends, believe the Good News!
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*GLORIA: Hymn #394 *“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”* verse 4
**Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son,
laud and honor to the Spirit, ever three and ever one:
one in might and one in glory while unending ages run!**

*THE PEACE OF CHRIST
May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you!
And also with you! (*Greet one another with the Peace of Christ.*)

*SONG #701: *“Lord, Prepare Me”*
**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I’ll be a living sanctuary for you.**

A TIME FOR CHILDREN Margie McSwain

FIVE CENTS A MEAL OFFERING

*HYMN #340: *“This Is My Song”*

NEWS FOR THE CHURCH FAMILY Luke Harkey

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
Offertory: *“America the Beautiful”* (A Meditation) Ward/Southbridge

*Doxology
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures
here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Prayer of Dedication

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Debra Haddock

UNISON OLD TESTAMENT READING: Psalm 24:1-6
**The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world, and those who
live in it; for he has founded it on the seas, and established it on the
rivers. Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord? And who shall stand in
his holy place? Those who have clean hands and pure hearts, who do
not lift up their souls to what is false, and do not swear deceitfully.
They will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the
God of their salvation. Such is the company of those who seek him,
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.**

SOLO: *“The King of Love My Shepherd Is”* (Speaks) Jack Breen, tenor

SECOND SCRIPTURE READINGS: Genesis 1:26-31 and Matthew 5:13-16

MEDITATION: *“This Is My Father’s World”* Luke Harkey

HYMN RESPONSE #370: *“This Is My Father’s World”*

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER BY INTINCTION

Invitation

*Communion Hymn #518: *“O Lamb of God”*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Prayer after Communion

*CLOSING HYMN #337: *“My Country, ‘Tis of Thee”*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION Luke Harkey

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: #306 *“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”* v. 1
**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*POSTLUDE: *“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”* arr. Lowe

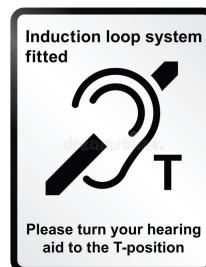
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Sound Board: Joe Petrilli

Deacon Ushers: Carolyn Billings, Kathryn Bridges,
Thomas Couch, Tom Greene, Brett Niblack

Childcare is available for preschool aged children in Room 102
and is staffed today by Tricia Butler and Erica Vargas.

*In order to protect your children, please be sure they are
accompanied at all times by a parent or responsible adult caregiver.*



WE WELCOME all who worship with us this morning. If you are interested in more information or in becoming a member of our family of faith, please call the church office, 704-487-8503. If you have questions about our hearing loop system, please call the church office Monday-Thursday, 8:30-4:30, Friday 8:30-12:00.

CONGRATULATIONS to Debbie Griffin and Dale Williams who were married June 30, 2018 at Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church in High Point, North Carolina.

THIS WEEK (JULY 1-7, 2018):

Today **Kids Camp** in Ellis Hall following Moments With Children
Monday 7:00 pm **Boy Scout Troop 100** in Scout House
Tuesday 12:00 pm **Church Office Closes**
6:30 pm **Spiritual Life Committee** in Conference Room
Wednesday **Church Closed for Independence Day Holiday**
Thursday 7:00 am **Men's Breakfast Fellowship** at Ken & Mary's
10:00 am **SPC Staff Meeting** in Pastor's Study
5:00 pm **PneuMatrix Task Force** in Conference Room

IF YOU WISH TO JOIN IN "FAITH SHARING," sign up for a date that is convenient for you by contacting Sherry Julian, 704.538.5505, or sacjulian@gmail.com.

SHELBY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IS SEEKING a qualified individual, *who is not a member of SPC*, to support the ministry of the church as the Office Administrator. If you know someone who may be a fit for this position, please encourage them to submit a resume.

BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR NEEDED! Contact Amy Allen, 704.472.2915, amyrayallen@gmail.com if interested or if you know someone who may be.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

2018 Operating Budget	\$568,665.00
2018 Monthly Budget Needs	\$ 47,388.75
Total Received in June.	\$ 34,467.28
Pledged to Walter & Florence Scholarship Fund	\$ 12,562.00
Total pledges received for Scholarship Fund.	\$ 8,425.00

CONTRIBUTIONS were received this week to the Memorial Fund in memory of Jim Taylor; to the Organ Fund in memory of Marjorie Haworth.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (*also see ongoing prayer list in newsletter*)

Tom Blackburn, Jack Breen, Conway Carter, Ed Cushman, Eddie Deas, Lou DuBois, Joyce Haydon, Janet Kovac, Rhonda Lingerfelt, Audrey Shimmel, Jim Simmons, Carson Wall, Anne Woodard; all disaster victims; all those serving in the military; Food Ministry; Rainbow Connection; Our brothers & sisters of Monte los Olivos; Dr. Steve & Alene Burgert in Kenya; Jo Ella Holman in the Caribbean; John McCall in Taiwan; Dr. Martha Sommers in Malawi; Christians around the globe who are persecuted for their faith