



SUMMER WORSHIP
Shelby Presbyterian Church
August 26, 2018
10:00 a.m.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Luke Harkey, Pastor

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: *"Come, Thou Almighty King"*

Hayes/Wagner

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP: from Psalm 92

Brett Niblack

It is good to give thanks to the Lord,
to sing praises to your name, O Most High;
to declare your steadfast love in the morning,
and your faithfulness by night.

For you, O Lord, have made me glad by your work;
at the works of your hands I sing for joy.

*HYMN OF PRAISE #452: *"Open the Eyes of My Heart"*

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **Holy God, you promise us a life full of blessing, but we do not always believe. You fill us with hope, but we fall back into fear. You urge us to give freely, but we cling to what we have. Make us ever more faithful, and ever more grateful, as we watch for the coming of your Son, Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen. (silent confession)**

RESPONSE IN SONG #39: *"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"*

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!***

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, believe the Good News!
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*GLORIA: Hymn #394 *"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"*

v. 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 #627: "I Love You, Lord"** sing twice
*I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you;
O my soul, rejoice. Take joy, my King, in what you hear;
may it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.*

A TIME FOR CHILDREN: Eph. 6:10-20 "The Armor of God" Anne Langley

NEWS FOR THE CHURCH FAMILY Luke Harkey

***HYMN #444: "Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive"** tune #166

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Brett Niblack

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING: Ephesians 6:10-20

ANTHEM: "Praise Ye the Name of the Lord of Hosts" (Young) Chancel Choir

SECOND SCRIPTURE READINGS: Psalm 103:9-13
Hosea 11:1-4, 5b , 7a, 8b-9

SERMON: "Does God Ever Get Angry?" Luke Harkey

***HYMN #805: "Come Sing to God"** verses 1 and 4

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** from A Brief Statement of Faith
We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father. In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God's image, male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community. But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator. Ignoring God's commandments, we violate the image of God in others and ourselves, accept lies as truth, exploit neighbor and nature, and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care. We deserve God's condemnation. Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation. Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant. Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child, like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: *Fugue #6* Pachelbel

***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**

***CLOSING HYMN #22: "God of the Sparrow"**

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION** Luke Harkey

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:** Hymn #43 "On Eagle's Wings" refrain
And he will raise you up on eagles' wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of his hand.

***CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

***POSTLUDE: "How Firm a Foundation"** Broughton

*Those who are able may stand.
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Worship Leaders: Luke Harkey, Pastor
Amy Allen, Director of Music; Sherry Young, Organist

Sound Board: Chip Blackley
Deacon Ushers: Anne Kennedy, Mary Lampley,
Brett Niblack, Wiley Smith, Heidi Steeves
Childcare is available for preschool aged children in Room 102
and is staffed today by Tricia Butler and Laura Wheeler.

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.

PLEASE JOIN US TODAY immediately following Sunday worship to celebrate the 90th birthdays of Glenn McCants, Joe Miller, Betty Bowling and Dick Bowling and all those 90 and above.

ALL YOUTH (Grades 6-12) are invited to dinner and a pool party today, 4:00-6:00, at the Niblack's, 103 Caddies Court, Shelby.

THIS WEEK (AUGUST 26-SEPTEMBER 1, 2018):

Today	Kids Camp in Ellis Hall following Moments With Children 11:00 am Birthday Celebration for 90's & Over in Ellis Hall 4:00 pm Dinner & Pool Party for Youth at Niblack's
Monday	7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 100 in Scout House
Tuesday	8:45-1:15 Rainbow Connection Teacher Work Day
Wednesday	8:45-1:15 Rainbow Connection Teacher Work Day 6:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room
Thursday	8:45-1:15 Rainbow Connection Teacher Work Day 6:00-7:00 Rainbow Connection Open House

NEXT SUNDAY, September 2, is our last 10:00 service. Pat Byers will lead worship, and five-cents-a-meal offering will be received.

IF YOU HAVE EXTRA FRESH PRODUCE, Food Ministry can give it away or incorporate it into the meal on Monday and Thursday if you bring it to the church by 10:00 either day.

SHELBY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH will celebrate Heritage Sunday on September 16th with a Kirkin' O' the Tartan service again this year. Anyone who would like to participate is invited to let Tom Greene or the church office know.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

2018 Operating Budget	\$568,665.00
2018 Monthly Budget Needs	\$ 47,388.75
Total Received for Budget August 1-19	\$ 24,422.98

CONTRIBUTIONS were received this week to the Martha Blackley Organ Fund in memory of Tom Blackburn, Marjorie Haworth, Lisa Pressly's mother, Colin Richards; to the Food Ministry in memory of Garland Becton; to the Memorial Fund in memory of Tom Blackburn.

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

Our prayers and sympathies go out for Mystie Brotherton and family on the death of her father, Hugh Garland Becton, on August 18, 2018 in Rolesville, NC.

Jack Breen, Ed Cushman, Val Donaldson, David LeGrand; 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