



SUMMER WORSHIP  
Shelby Presbyterian Church  
August 25, 2019  
10:00 a.m.

### Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Luke Harkey

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: Prelude on *"Come, Thou Almighty King"*  
Giardini/Jones

\*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 71:1-6      Debbie Ferrell

In you, O Lord, I take refuge;

**let me never be put to shame.**

In your righteousness deliver me and rescue me;

**incline your ear to me and save me.**

Be to me a rock of refuge, a strong fortress, to save me,

**for you are my rock and my fortress.**

Rescue me, O my God, from the hand of the wicked,

**from the grasp of the unjust and cruel.**

For you, O Lord, are my hope,

**my trust, O Lord, from my youth.**

Upon you I have leaned from my birth; it was you who took me from my mother's womb.

**My praise is continually of you.**

\*SONG OF PRAISE #743: *"Step by Step"*

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. (silent confession)**

RESPONSE IN SONG #465: *"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"* verse 2  
**Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged; take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer!**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS  
Friends, believe the Good News!  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

\*GLORIA: *“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”* (v. 4) tune No. 143  
**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.**

MOMENT FOR MISSION Becky Dorsey

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN: *“The Parable of the Lost Car Keys”*  
Anne Langley & Dylan Steeves

NEWS FOR THE CHURCH FAMILY Luke Harkey

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS  
Offertory: *“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring”* J. S. Bach

\*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

\*HYMN #630: *“Fairest Lord Jesus”*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Debbie Ferrell

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Jeremiah 1:4-10

ANTHEM: *“Holy, True, and Faithful God”* (McDonald) Chancel Choir

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Luke 13:10-17

SERMON: *“Every Sunday is Consecration Sunday”* Luke Harkey

HYMN #697: *“Take My Life”* verses 1 & 5

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.**

\*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.**

\*CLOSING HYMN #765: *“May the God of Hope Go with Us”* sing twice

\*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: *“Tuba Tune in D Major”* C. S. Lang

\*Those who are able may stand.  
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**Sound Board:** Chip Blackley

**Deacon Ushers:** Greg Melton, Julia Persing,  
Joe Petrilli, Wiley Smith

**Childcare** is available for preschool aged children in Room 102  
and is staffed today by Tricia Butler and Annie Holland.

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

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**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.

**OUR NURSERY** - We currently have nursery staff that will be leaving  
us soon. If you are interested in working or volunteering for the  
Sunday morning or Wednesday evening vacancies, please contact  
the Church Office.

**THIS WEEK (AUGUST 25 - 31, 2019):**

Today	<b>Kid's Camp</b> following Moments with Children in Ellis Hall 11:00 am <b>Youth Lunch</b> at Shelby Café
Monday	7:00 pm <b>Boy Scout Troop 100</b> in Scout House
Tuesday	9:00 am <b>Rainbow Connection</b> Teacher Workday
Wednesday	9:00 am <b>Rainbow Connection</b> Teacher Workday
Thursday	10:00 am <b>Staff Meeting</b> in Pastor's Study 6:00 pm <b>Rainbow Connection</b> Open House

**YOUTH HEALTH/PERMISSION FORMS** are due to Sydney by Sunday,  
September 1<sup>st</sup>.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER** begins for the fall on September 4<sup>th</sup>.  
Please make every effort to attend. This presents a wonderful  
opportunity to get to know your church family better!

**RALLY DAY!** Mark your calendars for Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, for Rally  
Day! This will be a day of celebration to kick off the 2019-2020  
Sunday School year. The Christian Education Committee is planning  
a special program of all ages.

**DEBORAH SARA CIRLCE** will start September 10<sup>th</sup> (and every second  
Tuesday of month after). We will meet in Ellis Hall at 11:30. Please  
bring lunch. The study will be titled *Saints, Martyrs, and Servants of  
God*. Please let Pat Byers (ptiffany54@yahoo.com) know if you will  
be attending and if you want a book. The book has been put together  
by Pat and she needs to know how many to make.

**SAVE THE DATE** - Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm. We would like  
to invite the church family to a picnic honoring Pastor Luke Harkey at  
the home of Larry and Kathy Wilson. Please join us for dinner,  
fellowship, and fun to celebrate and honor Luke on his retirement  
and for his service and dedication to Christ, our church, congregation,  
and community.

**THE SPIRITUAL LIFE COMMITTEE** would like to produce a  
Congregational Advent Devotional Book this year. To do this we need  
people who are willing and brave enough, to put pen to paper and  
write a devotional to be included for the 2019 Advent season. Please  
prayerfully consider sharing your meditations and thoughts for  
Advent with our Church Family. Christmas may seem far away as we  
are baking in the heat of the summer but to publish in time for the  
end of November, we need to have your pieces by September so they  
can be collated and bound together into a book for everyone to have  
by Advent. If you are interested, please contact Julia Persing,  
(julia8327@att.com) or 704-476-9055.

**MARION SCHOOL BACK PACK FOOD MINISTRY** will soon resume.  
Teachers and the social worker at Marion School identify children at  
high risk of having inadequate food at home during the weekends.  
Each week Joyce and Doug Boyette purchase the food and deliver it  
ready to go into the backpack. Last year they supplied food for 12-14  
children each week at a cost of \$6 per week. Please again financially  
support this important ministry by sending your check to June in the  
office with the tab "Marion Backpack Ministry."

**EMERGENCY CLOTHING AND TOILETRIES FUND** at Marion School. Throughout the school year, children at Marion School are in urgent need of a change of clothing and often in need of a short-term supply of toiletries. SPC member funding for the past school year was greatly appreciated. Please help us again this year by sending your tax-deductible donation to Gina Dellinger, Business Manager, Marion School, 410 Forest Hill Drive, Shelby, NC, 28150.

**BOOK CLUB** - Pat Byers has started a book club! The first meeting will be at Lily Bean Coffee, Thursday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30. The book will be *Souls in the Hands of a Tender God*, by Craig Rennebohm, you can order it at Got Books. Please email Pat (ptiffany54@yahoo.com) if you are interested.

**STEWARDSHIP SEASON** Please keep our church in prayer during this stewardship season. This year Consecration Sunday is October 13<sup>th</sup>.

**CONTRIBUTIONS** were received this week to the Backpack Fund in honor of Joyce and Doug Boyette; to the Memorial Fund in memory of Louis Den Hertog, Barbara Gebel, Peggy Lattimore.

**ENJOYING THE SOUND** of the new piano? Consider helping us cover the cost.

Total Cost .....	\$24,017.68
Funds received from the Betsy Martin Memorial Fund ....	\$11,460.00
Donations received to date.....	<u>\$7,480.00</u>
Funds still needed .....	\$5,077.68

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT:**

2019 Operating Budget.....	\$ 566,171.00
2019 Monthly Budget Needs .....	\$ 47,180.91
Total Received August 1-18. ....	\$36,883.00

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

Lynn Bartlett, Lucy and Harold Bolick, Kitty Carter, Lacey Chambless, Cushman Family, Kristi Driver, Keaton Fonvielle, Fred Hunt, Sandy and Camille McGeachy, Betty Mitchell, Ellis Monroe, Julia Persing, David Pharr, Andrea Rodgers; 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.