

**Welcome to Celebration Presbyterian Church**

As we open our hearts to God, may we extend our hands in friendship to one another. May all who have come to worship know that they're sincerely welcomed in this house of God. Be of good cheer!

\*Please indicate your desires for visitation, or information about joining Celebration Church on the Ritual of Friendship Pad. \*Prayer cards are provided for sharing your joys and concerns. Please write your prayer requests on a card and the ushers will collect them.

**PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP**

Holy God, Parent of all, in Jesus Christ you have called us to lead a life like his, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in his name. Amen.

*Celebrating our seventeenth year of faithful living and giving!*

**Sunday, August 11, 2019** **9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

**THE CHURCH GATHERS**

**Prelude** Sarah Abushakra

Chiming the Hour and Lighting the Christ Candle

\*Hymn No. 649 *Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound* AMAZING GRACE

**Greeting**

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

Welcome, Ritual of Friendship, Prayer Cards, Announcements and Opening Prayer

**\*Sharing the Peace of Christ**

The Peace of Christ be with You. **And also with you!**  
*(Please exchange signs of Christ's peace with your brothers and sisters in Christ near you.)*

**TO WORSHIP THE LORD OUR GOD**

\*Responsive Call to Worship Liturgist: Anthony Tiani

Come, O people! Listen for the voice of God.

**We have heard God's voice in mighty thunder, in joyful laughter, in faithful questions.**

Come, O people! Watch for the presence of God.

**We have seen God's presence in rolling hillsides, in busy streets, in one another.**

Come, O people! Taste the goodness of God.

**We have tasted God's love in broken bread, in shared wine, in living water.**

Rejoice, O people! God is here.

**Let us rejoice and worship God together!**

\*Hymn No. 438

*Rock of Ages*

TOPLADY

**Call to Confession**

Liturgist: Anthony Tiani

Friends, we all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God. The good news is that with God, grace abounds, and forgiveness is real to all who confess. Let us confess our sins collectively and then personally.

**Unison Prayer of Confession**

Liturgist: Anthony Tiani

**You tell us that where our treasures are, our hearts are sure to be. Forgive us when we treasure the shallow things of this world more than we cherish the depth of your grace; when we choose comfort over faithfulness, power over love, wealth over discipleship, selfishness over service. Forgive us, Holy God, and move us, that through the acts of confessing we may recognize our failings and be freed by your grace to try again.**

*Silence for Personal Confession*

**Responsive Assurance of Forgiveness**

Liturgist: Anthony Tiani

Friends hear the good news! Hope is held out in God's call to you.

**One Christ, one faith, one baptism, one God, parent of us all.**

Friends believe the good news!

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!**

**Affirmation of Faith – *The Nicene Creed (A.D. 325) PCUSA B.O.C.***

**I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spake by the Prophets. And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church; I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. AMEN.**

\*Hymn No. 581

*Gloria Patri*

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Time With Young Disciples

*Children's Church follows in Room 5*

*The children are invited to come to the steps for the*

*Time With Young Disciples*

**TO WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND SHARED STEWARDSHIP**

Prayers of the People – Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

**Please pass your prayer cards to an usher.**

**Prayer of Intercession 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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.**

**Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings as Faithful Stewards**

*I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, to present yourselves as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God. Let us offer our lives to the Lord! Romans 12:1*

**Offertory**

*My Lord! What a Morning*

Celebration Choir

\*Doxology No. 606

*Doxology*

OLD HUNDREDETH

**\*Unison Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication**

**As God's dear children, we come to you, trying to be like Jesus Christ, who loved you and gave himself up on our behalf as an offering and sacrifice whose fragrance is pleasing to you. Receive what we give of ourselves and of our name in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.**

**TO WORSHIP THROUGH WORD AND WITNESS**

**Prayer of Illumination**

Pastor Tom

**Scripture**

**Luke 12:32-40**

**NRSV**

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

*Is Fear Affecting Your Heart?*

Pastor Tom

**AND RESPOND IN FAITHFUL SERVICE IN THE WORLD**

**\*Charge and Benediction**

\*Hymn No. 418

*Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling*

SOFTLY AND TENDERLY

\*Postlude

Sarah Abushakra

(\*If able, please stand at these points in the service.)

**CELEBRATION HAPPENINGS**

<b>Sun Aug 11</b>	Choir Rehearsal	10:00 am
	Coffee and Fellowship	10:15 am
	Worship, Nursery, Children's Church	11:00 am
<b>Tue Aug 13</b>	QUILTERS meet at the church	10:00 am
<b>Wed Aug 14</b>	<b>Stated Session Meeting</b>	6:30 pm
<b>Thu Aug 15</b>	Team E cooks at The Shepherd's Table	1:00 pm
<b>Fri Aug 16</b>	Breakfast Buddies at Joe's Airport Diner	9:00 am
<b>Sun Aug 18</b>	Choir Rehearsal	10:00 am
	Coffee and Fellowship	10:15 am
	Worship, Nursery, Children's Church	11:00 am

**Serving August 11**

**Visitor Table:** Nanette Kelly      **Nursery:** Donna Woodard  
**Children's Church:** Trudy Miller  
**Media Shout:** Donna Woodard      **Sound Board:** Katrena White  
**Liturgist:** Anthony Tiani      **Preacher:** Tom Dendy  
**Elder of the Week:** Terry Pettijohn - 843-796-3212  
**Ushers:** Sharon Mook, Jesse Wallace, Bernie Pettijohn, Anthony Tiani  
**Chimes:** Sharon Mook and Janet Rouseff

**Serving August 18**

**Visitor Table:** Barbara Barranco      **Nursery:** Leslie Eckert  
**Children's Church:** Trudy Miller  
**Media Shout:** Bernadine Lamar      **Sound Board:** Carol Butler  
**Liturgist:** Kathy Wechter      **Preacher:** Tom Dendy  
**Elder of the Week:** Nancy Resnick - 203-376-3795  
**Ushers:** Sharon Mook, Jesse Wallace, Bernie Pettijohn, Anthony Tiani  
**Chimes:** Cindy Smith, Kathy O'Halloran

**Our Purpose**

*To Celebrate God's Glory by Reaching, Teaching, and Sending People to Love and Serve the Lord.*

**JOIN US AT CELEBRATION**

*We are Christ followers who are open, accepting, loving and welcoming to all!*

**UPCOMING HAPPENINGS**

Aug 19 – Preschool teachers return  
 Aug 28 – Preschool Parent Meeting 6pm  
 Aug 29 – Preschool Open House 9am for morning parents and 10:45 for afternoon parents

**SAVE THE DATE**

**FALL ON BROADWAY II – October 19, 2019**

**SERVICE/SERMON NOTES AND REMINDERS:** \_\_\_\_\_

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*August 11, 2019*

*11:00 a.m. Worship*

*Celebrating our 17<sup>th</sup> year of Faithful Mission and Ministry!*



**OUR MISSION is to Proclaim Jesus as Lord and Savior, Praise and Worship God, Prepare our hearts to share God's Word, and Provide Love and Service to ALL!**