

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA

Sunday, June 13, 2010
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Services of Worship for the Lord's Day

8:55 a.m. — Contemporary Worship

10:05 a.m. — Sunday School

11:15 a.m. — Traditional Worship



The earth is full of your goodness, O God.”
Psalm 33:5

8:55 a.m. Contemporary Style Worship

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

Call to Worship Kim Wells

*Opening Praise Songs Praise Team

*Forever
God of Wonders*

Welcome and Announcements

EXAMINING OUR HEARTS Diane Brownlee

*Invitation to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Forgiveness

*Passing the Peace

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

First Scripture Lesson Genesis 1:1-25 Virginia Whorley

Conversation with Children Joe Avent

Second Scripture Lesson John 1:1-16 Gavin Meek

Prayer for Illumination

The Word of God Proclaimed

"The Awesome Creator and Good Creation"

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Invitation to Self Offering

The congregation may bring their offerings forward to the baskets near the Communion Table during this song.

(The Five-Cents-a-Meal Hunger Offering may be brought forward to be received at this time.)

*Song *He Is Exalted*

*Prayer of Dedication

THE WORD ENACTED AND SEALED IN SACRAMENT

At the 8:55 service we celebrate the Lord's Supper by intinction, which means that congregants file down to the Table to receive the elements. If you would prefer to remain seated in the pew, please raise your hand and we will serve you where you are seated.

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution and Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Song During Communion *How Great Is Our God*

Prayer of Thanks

*Closing Song *Forever*

*Charge and Benediction

END OF WORSHIP.....BEGINNING OF SERVICE

*Those who are able are invited to stand.

Bold lettering signifies congregational participation.

11:15 a.m. Traditional Style Worship

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE *Siciliano and Allegro* J.S. Bach

(Sonata in E Major)
Angela Kelly, flute

THE TOWER BELLS

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign and pass the friendship pads, noting those worshipping with you so that you may greet them after the service. Guests are invited to fill out a Guest Card and place it in the offering plate during our time of Self-Offering.

BEING CALLED TO WORSHIP

MUSIC FOR SILENT MEDITATION

The Song and Prayer of Birds Troeger/Morris
Rebecca Ewing, solo; Angela Kelly, flute

The song and prayer of birds is melody alone. Their hymns employ no words. Their praise is purely tone. Their song is prayer enough.

Love hears what sound conveys, and Love does not rebuff a creature's wordless praise.

And so we trust that prayer does not depend on words To reach the Source of care who understands the birds.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

In the presence of a God whose word has called the earth and the stars into being,

we stand in awe.

In the presence of a God whose arms have held children,

we stand in trust.

In the presence of a God whose breath has stirred within us and caused our hearts to thirst for justice,

we stand in need.

Before you, Giver of Life, we come in faith, in search of love and justice and wholeness.

Be with us; hear us, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN 469 *Morning Has Broken*
(The Five-Cents-a-Meal Hunger Offering may be brought forward to be received during this hymn.)

EXAMINING OUR HEARTS

*CONFESSION OF SIN

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession by Rev. Ken Carter

O God, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen: You place us in your creation, and you command us to care for it. Your works declare glory and splendor, and you call us to praise and reverence. Where we have degraded or destroyed earth's bounty, forgive us. Where we have taken beauty and majesty for granted, have mercy upon us. Where we have become estranged from the creatures with whom we share this planet, grant us your peace. Renew us in the waters of baptism, refresh us with

the winds of your spirit, and sustain us with the bread of life. In the name of Jesus Christ, and for the sake of the your creation, we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Congregational Response, Hymn 293, v. 2

**This is my Father's world: Oh, let me ne'er forget
That though the wrong seems oft so strong,
God is the Ruler yet.**

**This is my Father's world: The battle is not done;
Jesus who died shall be satisfied,
and earth and heaven be one.**

Passing the Peace of Christ

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON Genesis 1:1-25 Pew Bible pg. 1

ANTHEM *The Word Became Flesh* Roberts

*In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God,
And the Word was God.*

He was with God in the beginning.

*Through him all things were made,
Without Him nothing was made that has been made.*

*In Him was life, and that life was the light of men.
The light shines in the darkness,
but the darkness has not overcome it.*

*The Word became flesh and dwelt among us,
And we have seen his glory,
the glory of the one and only begotten Son,
Who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.*

John 1:1-5, 14

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 1:1-16 Pew Bible pg. 862

THE WORD OF GOD PROCLAIMED Gavin Meek

"The Awesome Creator and the Good Creation"

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *A Brief Statement of Faith*
PCUSA

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. In everlasting love, the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people to bless all families of the earth. Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house of bondage. 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.

*HYMN 288 *I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD

Invitation to Self-Offering

Offertory *Cantilena* (Sonata for Flute) Poulenc

*The Doxology, Hymn 554, v. 2

**By law God enforces. The stars in their courses,
the sun in its orbit obediently shine;
the hills and the mountains,
the rivers and fountains,
the depths of the ocean proclaim God divine.**

**We, too, should be voicing, our love and rejoicing
with glad adoration, a song let us raise:
Till all things now living
unite in thanksgiving,
to God in the highest, hosanna and praise.**

*Prayer of Dedication

**Creator God, you protect us and watch over us,
providing for us all that is necessary for life... life in
abundance. You have taught us what is right and
good and decent. You have taught us to share and
to devote ourselves first to you and your ways.
Now, to your purposes, we dedicate these gifts. We
give them back to you to share with others.
Dedicate us, as well, to you and your ways. In
Christ's name, amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND
THE LORD'S PRAYER

Hymnal, p. 16

DEPARTING TO SERVE

*HYMN 162 *O Lord, Our God, How Excellent*

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE, Hymn 293, v. 1

**This is my Father's world, And to my listening ears
All nature sings, and round me rings
The music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas;
His hand the wonders wrought.**

POSTLUDE *Overture (Royal Fireworks Music)*
Handel/Biggs

END OF WORSHIP.....BEGINNING OF SERVICE

WORSHIP

This Morning We Welcome Angela Kelly, guest flautist,
and David Norfrey, guest organist/pianist.

**Hearing devices and large print hymnals, Bibles, and
bulletins** are available from the ushers.

Welcome Guests! We invite you to participate in
"Worship Plus Two": Please commit to nurturing your faith
and serving God in addition to worshipping God. Our staff
is available to help you find your place in education and
ministry.

The Flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of
God and in memory of their parents Mr. and Mrs. C.C.
Weathersby and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Floyd by Bill and
Charlotte Weathersby and family.

Ushers:

8:55 — Judy Blair, Tom Doyle

11:15 — Jim Stone (*head*), Tom Baylor, Joanne Conley, Billie Dismar, Bob Grover, Doug Starns

Serving as Receptionist in the church office this morning is Jocelyn Thach.

Signing the Attendance Pad: Each person is asked to sign his or her name as clearly as possible at all services attended. **This is the only reliable way we have to verify attendance.** It is also a hospitable and courteous way to let your pew mates know who you are and that you welcome knowing them.

DAILY PRAYERS FOR JUNE 14 - JUNE 20

Monday	Psalm 5, Numbers 9:15-23
Tuesday	Psalm 42, Romans 1:16-25
Wednesday	Psalm 89:1-18, Matthew 18:1-9
Thursday	Psalm 97, Numbers 12:1-16
Friday	Psalm 51, Romans 2:25-3:8
Saturday	Psalm 104, Matthew 19:1-12
Sunday	Psalm 19, Luke 12:49-56

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 13

- 8:55 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 10:05 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:15 p.m. Summer Choir
- 11:15 a.m. Traditional Worship

Monday, June 14

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study
- 5:30 p.m. Finance & Administration Committee
- 6:30 p.m. Personnel Committee
- 7:00 p.m. Preschool Council

Tuesday, June 15

- 9:00 a.m. Presbytery Meeting, First Baptist Church, Chase City
- 6:00 p.m. Fathers' Day Handbell Choir

Wednesday, June 16

- 9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Website Task Force
- 6:15 p.m. Praise Team
- 6:30 p.m. Fall Sunday School Planning

Thursday, June 17

- 6:00 p.m. Fathers' Day Handbell Choir
- 6:30 p.m. Mission Study Task Force

Saturday, June 19

- 8:15 a.m. Church Workday
- Fathers' Day Handbell Choir

Sunday, June 20

- 8:55 a.m. Contemporary Worship
- 10:05 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:15 a.m. Fathers' Day Choir
- 11:15 a.m. Traditional Worship
- 6:00 p.m. Family Bible School

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