

POLLOCKSVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sunday, July 21, 2024

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Pollocksville Presbyterian Church
9th Sunday After Pentecost
A Day to Celebrate Our Unity in Christ

11:00 a.m.

Order of Worship

July 21, 2024

Prelude "The Ash Grove" *by Charles Callahan*

Welcome and Announcements ~ *Liturgist*

Call to Worship *(Responsively)*

Leader: God who is One, You call us to be one,

People: **May we be one with all who are made in Your image.**

Leader: God who is Three, You call us to be community,.

People: **May we find community with all who are called by Your name.**

Leader: God who calls us all by Your name,

People: **May we find our place in Your eternal family.**

Leader: God Almighty, today by the power of Your spirit we unite in prayer,

People: **We unite with all our sisters and brothers in Christ.**

Leader: We unite with sisters and brothers from all Christian churches and denominations,

People: **We unite with all who are joined by the holy spirit of God.**

Leader: We unite with followers from every church and congregation,

People: **We unite with God's sons and daughters from every creed and culture.**

Prayer of Invocation ~ *Liturgist*

*Opening Hymn "For the Beauty of the Earth" #473
The Presbyterian Hymnal

Call to Confession ~ *Pastor Yearick*

When we keep our faults and failures locked safely away, we have no need to confess. But God comes into our hearts when we least expect, so we can be filled with forgiveness, with hope, with peace. Together, let us now offer our confessions to the Lord.

¹⁴ For he himself is our peace, who has made the two groups one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility, ¹⁵ by setting aside in his flesh the law with its commands and regulations. His purpose was to create in himself one new humanity out of the two, thus making peace, ¹⁶ and in one body to reconcile both of them to God through the cross, by which he put to death their hostility. ¹⁷ He came and preached peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near. ¹⁸ For through him we both have access to the Father by one Spirit. ¹⁹ Consequently, you are no longer foreigners and strangers, but fellow citizens with God's people and also members of his household, ²⁰ built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone. ²¹ In him the whole building is joined together and rises to become a holy temple in the Lord. ²² And in him you too are being built together to become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon "Unity Brings Transformation" ~ *Pastor Ken Yearick*

*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.

*Hymn of Response "We are One in the Spirit" *See Back Page*

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer 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.

Offering of our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory "Meditation" *by Caleb Simper arr. by Michael Ryan*

*Doxology

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

*Prayer of Dedication ~ Pastor Yearick

*Closing Hymn "In Christ There is No East or West" #439
The Presbyterian Hymnal

*Benediction

*Postlude "I Will Sing of Thy Great Mercies" *by Felix Mendelssohn
arr. by Lani Smith*

*Please rise in body or spirit / **Bold:** Congregation Speaks

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Welcome to everyone who is worshiping with us today.

***If you are looking for a church home, please feel free to join us.
Our membership is open to all. Please see the Pastor or one of the
Elders if you wish to join our Church Family. Welcome to all!***



For Congregational Use: Lectionary Readings:

Jerimiah 23:1-6 and Psalm 23; Ephesians 2:11-22; Mark 6:30-34,53-56

Daily Readings for July 21 – 27 use the following web link:

<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/devotion/daily/>



TODAY, Sunday, July 21st ~ 5 pm ~ Finance Committee Meeting



Prayer List (Additions as of 7/14/2024)

Please pray for Kate as she heads off on her mission trip with Midway Baptist Church to Costa Rica (Mary Ann LeRay); Please pray for Former President Trump and his family and for those bystanders injured and their families, especially the family of the gentleman that was killed (Vic Bryan & Dave, Amber's father); Pray for our country, and all in our political climate, so this does not happen again (Mark Bender)

Prayers for Our Nation; Our Military; Our Church; PPC Childcare.



Ushers & Greeters



July: Noreen & Ed Jekel

August: Ron Pound & Jerry Burkot

Ushers are needed for September, October & December 2024



Both the Adult and Children's Sunday School are now 9:45 am each Sunday.

There will be a nursery provided during the 11 am Worship Service.

See Jean Bender if you can be a nursery volunteer. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex.



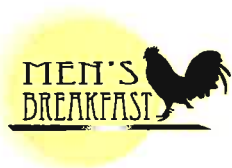
Nursery Volunteers

TODAY: Cheryl Coeyman

July 28: Sandy Yearick

August 4: Diane McCaffity

~ Thank you to both our Ushers & Nursery Volunteers. ~



Sunday, July 28th – 8 am Men’s Breakfast – Team 3 Cook



There will be no Thursday evening choir practice during the month of July. During July, the choir will meet earlier for rehearsal on Sunday morning prior to the worship service. Regular choir practice will resume on August 1st.



Announcements & Reminders

Sunday Mornings 11:00 am – Worship in the Church Sanctuary & Streaming Live on Facebook, YouTube & on PPC Website

**Sundays at 9:45 am Adult Sunday School – *Remember your Bibles!*
Children’s Sunday School at 9:45 am**

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| Sunday, July 21st | 5 pm Finance Committee Meeting |
| Sunday, July 28th | 8 am Men’s Breakfast – Team 3 Cook
Building Fund Sunday |
| Thursday, August 1st | 6 pm Choir Practice to Resume |
| Sunday, August 4th | 5 pm Session Meeting |
| Monday, August 12th | 7 pm Women’s Circle Annual Meeting at the Church |
| Sunday, August 18th | Communion During Morning Worship |
| Sunday, August 25th | 8 am Men’s Breakfast – Team 4 Cook
Building Fund Sunday
5 pm Finance Committee Meeting |
| Monday, September 2nd | Church Office and Childcare Closed for Labor Day |
| Sunday, September 8th | Congregational Meeting
5 pm Session Meeting |

WE ARE ONE IN THE SPIRIT

**We are one in the Spirit
We are one in the Lord
We are one in the Spirit
We are one in the Lord
And we pray that all unity
May one day be restored**

**REFRAIN: And they'll know we are Christians
By our love, By our love
Yes, they'll know we are Christians
By our love**

**We will walk with each other
We will walk hand in hand
We will walk with each other
We will walk hand in hand
And together we'll spread the news
That God is in our land**

REFRAIN

**All praise to the Father
From whom all things come
And all praise to Christ Jesus His only son
And all praise to the Spirit
Who makes us one**

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