

# **POLLOCKSVILLE** PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



**August 21, 2022**

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# Pollocksville Presbyterian Church

11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 a.m.

## Order of Worship

August 21, 2022

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (*Responsive*)

*Leader:* You are welcome here.

*People:* **We are welcome here.**

*Leader:* Jesus calls us to come as we are.

*People:* **Jesus asks us to open our hearts and be ready to let him change us.**

*Leader:* Come to this time of worship not knowing how God will speak to you today.

*ALL:* **We come ready to hear God's word and to follow Jesus where he leads.**

Prayer of Invocation

\*The Peace of Christ

*Leader:* ...The peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

*People:* **And also with you.**

\*Opening Hymn

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

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The Presbyterian Hymnal

Call to Confession

Unison Prayer of Forgiveness

**You have a vision of all people as your beloved children, Loving God, but we see folks whose language, dress, and skin make them different. You have a vision of a universe filled with goodness and beauty, and we damage it with litter, with violence, with poor choices. You have a vision of a Table where we can feast on your grace and hope, but we line up at the fast food counters of sin and greed.**

**Forgive us, God of Mercy, as we confess that we are not "insiders" but immigrants searching for our true home. By faith, may we be willing to be as gracious, as compassionate, and as hopeful as you are. You love us enough to want us to be with you forever, so may we take the hand of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, who shall lead us into your kingdom, for this we pray in Christ, our Redeemer, Amen.**

*Time for Silent Prayers*

Anthem

"Healer of Our Every Ill" Haugen

~ Choir

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

Proverbs 3:1-6 [NIV]

<sup>1</sup> My son, do not forget my teaching, but keep my commands in your heart, for they will prolong your life many years and bring you peace and prosperity. <sup>3</sup> Let love and faithfulness never leave you; bind them around your neck, write them on the tablet of your heart. <sup>4</sup> Then you will win favor and a good name in the sight of God and man. <sup>5</sup> Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; <sup>6</sup> in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.

Luke 13:10-17 [NIV]

<sup>10</sup> On a Sabbath Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues, <sup>11</sup> and a woman was there who had been crippled by a spirit for eighteen years. She was bent over and could not straighten up at all. <sup>12</sup> When Jesus saw her, he called her forward and said to her, "Woman, you are set free from your infirmity." <sup>13</sup> Then he put his hands on her, and immediately she straightened up and praised God. <sup>14</sup> Indignant because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, the synagogue leader said to the people, "There are six days for work. So come and be healed on those days, not on the Sabbath." <sup>15</sup> The Lord answered him, "You hypocrites! Doesn't each of you on the Sabbath untie your ox or donkey from the stall and lead it out to give it water? <sup>16</sup> Then should not this woman, a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has kept bound for eighteen long years, be set free on the Sabbath day from what bound her?" <sup>17</sup> When he said this, all his opponents were humiliated, but the people were delighted with all the wonderful things he was doing.

Sermon

"Straighten Up and Fly Right"

~ Kenneth Yearick

\*Hymn of Response

"There Is a Balm in Gilead"

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The Presbyterian Hymnal

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer and 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.**

\*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.**

\*Gloria Patri

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.**

Offering of our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

\*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 *(Unison)*

**Receive and bless these tithes and offerings, Holy One, as a thank you for all you have given to us. We do not know the impact these gifts will have on those here in this place and our brothers and sisters around the world we will never meet. Multiply and use these gifts just as you use us to do your work in your world. In Christ, we pray, Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn

**"To God Be the Glory"**  
*The Presbyterian Hymnal*

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\*Charge and Benediction

\*Postlude

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

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**~ We welcome Kenneth Yearick back to PPC this morning ~**

**~ Next Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup> ~**

***The Reverend Dr. Nancy Gladden will be filling the pulpit during the morning worship service***



### **Prayer List** (Additions as of 8-14-2022)

*Prayers for Paul's mom, Sandy Miller, for recovery (Paul Miller);  
The Randy Hiner Family- Randy passed away this week (Carol Mattocks)*

**Our complete prayer list is available in the PollyPress. Please contact the church office with prayer concerns.**

***These names will remain on this list for 3 weeks.***

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***August Ushers: Jerry Burkot & Ron Pound***



**For Congregational Use: Lectionary Readings:**

**Isaiah 58:9b-14 and Psalm 103:1-8; Hebrews 12:18-29; Luke 13:10-17**

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

**<http://gamc.pcusa.org/ministries/devotions/month-month-lectionary-reading-list/>**

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## **Reminders & Announcements**

**Sunday Mornings: 11:00 am – Worship in the Church Sanctuary & Streaming Live on Facebook & Directly from Website: [www.pollocksvillepresbyterian.org](http://www.pollocksvillepresbyterian.org)**

**Past services are available on the website - click on "Weekly Videos"**

**Sundays 9:45 am Sunday School – Remember your Bibles!**

**Wednesdays 6 pm Choir Practice**

**Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup> 5 pm Finance Committee Meeting**

**Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup> 8 am Men's Breakfast – Team 3 Cook  
Building Fund Sunday**

**Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup> 6 pm Childcare Meeting**

**Monday, September 5<sup>th</sup> Labor Day – PPC Office and Childcare Closed**

**Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> Congregational Meeting following Worship  
5 pm Session Meeting**



### Guest Speakers for Pollocksville Presbyterian Church

August 28	Rev. Dr. Nancy Gladden
September 4	Jeff Mizell
September 11	Rev. Marie Cone
September 18	Rev Cynthia Williams
September 25	Rev. Clarence Page
October 2 (Communion)	Rev. Dave Vanderbilt
October 9 (Homecoming)	Rev. Dr. J. Herbert Nelson, <i>Stated Clerk of the PC (USA)</i>
October 16	Rev. Dr. Nancy Gladden
October 23	Steve Mabie
October 30	Rev. Clarence Page

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### *Upcoming Important Dates – Mark Your September Calendars*



#### ***Congregational Meetings after Sunday Worship Service***

***September 11<sup>th</sup>*** – to elect the four (4) at-large members of the Congregational Nominating Committee and to receive suggestions for ruling elder candidates from the congregation.

***September 25<sup>th</sup>*** – to receive the report from the Nominating Committee, and if the way be clear, to proceed to the election of three (3) Ruling Elders to the Class of 2025.



***September 18<sup>th</sup>*** – ***Stewardship Luncheon – Lunch will be provided  
Followed by Questions & Answers on the Budget***

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**Attention Presbyterian Women: Be Prepared for the September 12<sup>th</sup> meeting.  
Please contact Cathy Campbell for your Bible Study Book.**