

THE
GEORGETOWN
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

Sunday, June 9, 2019, 10 a.m.

Day of Pentecost

PRELUDE	Prelude on 'Spirit of the Living God'	Daniel Iverson (1890-1977)
WELCOME	Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. People: And also with you.	
MOMENT <i>for</i> GROWINGUP		Elder John Marshall
INTROIT	Veni Creator Spiritus	Medieval Plainchant
CALL <i>to</i> WORSHIP <i>Adapted from Psalm 104</i>	Leader: O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. People: When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground. Leader: May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works. People: May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the Lord. Leader: Let us worship God.	
✦ HYMN 1	Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!	<i>Nicaea</i>

✦ *Please stand or sit.*

As a courtesy to others, please turn off your cell phone and no flash photography during the service.

PRAYER *of* CONFESSION

Leader: I said I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.

People: And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Leader: Let us pray.

All: Lord, we confess before you and one another that we have sinned, and we are sinners. We have not loved you with our whole hearts, and we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have turned away from an abundant life of grace, instead following selfish ambition. Forgive our foolishness, lead us down gracious paths, and give us hearts to serve with joy, for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ. (Silent prayer)

ASSURANCE *of* PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News.

People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

✦ GLORIA PATRI
Glory to God, #581

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.

TIME *with* CHILDREN

Children recess up the center aisle to Children's Worship. Pre-K and K-2nd go downstairs, and 3rd-5th go to the Chapel. There are leaders for each, and children can be picked up by following the signs from the narthex.

✦ HYMN 282

Come Down, O Love Divine

Down Ampney

PRAYER *for* ILLUMINATION

Elder Dwight Smith

FIRST LESSON

Genesis 11:1-9

pp. 1-9

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

Grieve Not the Holy Spirit of God

Thomas Tertius Noble
(1867-1953)

And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption.

Let all bitterness, and wrath, and anger, and clamour, and evil speaking, be put away from you, with all malice:

And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you. (Ephesians 4:30-32)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

They Might Be Giants

Rev. Dr. Camille Cook Murray

✦ HYMN 265

Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

Duke Street

✦ AFFIRMATION *of* FAITH
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.

TESTIMONY

Elder Katie Seaman

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.

OFFERING *and*
OFFERTORY
Passing of the Fellowship Books

Make Me Pure, O Sacred Spirit Georg Philipp Telemann (1681-1767)
Mary Claire Sullivan, soprano

✦ DOXOLOGY
Glory to God, #607

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

✦ PRAYER *of* DEDICATION

✦ HYMN 687

Our God, Our Help in Ages Past

St. Anne

✦ BENEDICTION

RESPONSE

If Ye Love Me, Keep My Commandments

Thomas Tallis (1505-1585)

POSTLUDE

Come, God, Creator, Holy Ghost

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)



About Today's Service

Today's Music: The anthem "Grieve Not the Holy Spirit of God" is by T. Tertius Noble, an English organist who moved to America in 1912 to become Director of Music at St Thomas, Fifth Avenue in New York City. There he founded the St. Thomas Choir School, an institution that still stands to this day. This anthem is the most famous of his works for choir and a beautiful setting of a text from Ephesians 4:30-32.

The flowers in the Chancel today are dedicated in loving memory of Phil Fleming, whose memorial service was held at GPC this weekend.

Thank you to the many volunteers who make Sundays possible.

Greeters: Catherine Johnson, Bryan Scott, and Tracy Davis

Ushers: Alex Bullock (captain), Elizabeth Avery, Doug Hillhouse, Karl Mattison, Lewis Mattison, Molly Mattison, David Roll, Nancy Roll, and Marianne Roos

Duty Usher: Jay Grauberger

Punch Bunch: All are invited to join us after worship for punch hosted by the Mission Committee.

Sunday School Teachers, Children's Worship Leaders & Nursery Caregivers: Regina Andrade, Casey Nolan, Gonzalo Ferro, Claire Gillum and Kuang Chiang.

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Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 9

9:30am Nursery Opens

10am Worship - Pentecost

11am Punch Bunch

2pm Threads for Success

5pm Yoga

Tuesday, June 11

11am GPC Staff Meeting

Thursday, June 13

6pm Evening Porch Social

Sunday, June 16

9:30am Nursery Opens

10am Worship

11am GrowingUP Campaign Celebration

5pm Yoga

Daily Readings

Sun Psalm 19

Mon Psalm 20

Tue Psalm 21

Wed Psalm 23

Thu Psalm 24

Fri Psalm 26

Sat Psalm 27

Sun Psalm 28

Happy Birthday

June 9 Alienor Campbell-Jourdan

June 10 Peter Hart

June 11 Ginnie Luster

June 14 Gwen Amling

David Slentz

Announcement Highlights

The **Growing UP Task Force** invites the congregation to celebrate the end of our fundraising campaign with a special punch bunch after the service on Father's Day, *next Sunday, June 16*.

GrowingUP Update: Our Children's Ministry team has raised \$20,000 toward our goal of \$40,000, and we need YOUR help to meet our goal by *next Sunday, June 16!* Please make your pledge by placing a "Growing UP" pledge card in the offering plate, visiting the table in the Narthex after church, emailing our bookkeeper at bookkeeper@gtownpres.org, or visiting our website at gtownpres.org/growingup.

Hear our very own **Pastor Camille on Day 1's Weekly Radio Broadcast** *next Sunday, June 16*. Day 1 is a ministry of the Alliance for Christian Media, dedicated to proclaiming the gospel and enhancing the voice of churches. This special interview and sermon will be broadcasted online and nationally on local radiostations. Listen or learn more at day1.org.

GPC is revamping its website and we need YOUR feedback! Please take our 10-question survey to answer what is good about the current website and what can be improved. It will take you only three minutes to complete. Your responses will help ensure our website continues to be a great tool for our congregation, and for those wanting to visit or learn more about GPC. You can answer the questionnaire on our homepage at gtownpres.org.

Summer Worship Time! Please note our 10:00 a.m. summer worship service hours will continue through *September 1*. We will commence normal 11:00 a.m. worship hours on *September 8*.

Connect*gtownpres.org/connect*

Save the date for an **Evening Porch Social**, hosted by the Young Adults. *Thursday, June 13*, at 6 p.m. Relax with friends after work on the porch of GPC! Bring a beverage to share - we'll bring the food. No RSVP required, and invite a friend!

Join fellow **Young Adults** at a ballgame to cheer on the Nationals on *July 27*. We will gather at Deacon Doug Hillhouse's apartment at 2:00 p.m. for pre-game snacks, and walk to Nats Park for a 4:05 p.m. first pitch. Tickets are \$20 each. RSVP to the paperless post by *June 12*. Questions? Email ccs@gtownpres.org.

100 Psalms for Summer Want to receive daily scriptures in your inbox from the Book of Psalms? Email info@gtownpres.org to sign up!

Summer Break! Adult Ed, Sunday School, and Youth Group are on a break until September. Children's Worship continues year-round. Thank you to all of the dedicated volunteers! See you in the fall!

Serve*gtownpres.org/serve*

Members of GPC have been volunteering with **Threads for Success** every month since the winter! Interested in helping refugees gain vocational skills? Email Cynthia Bader at cynthia.bader@gmail.com, or talk to Pastor Chris to join TODAY!

Serve a meal to our neighbors in need. Second Sundays at GPC, and last Saturdays at Mt. Zion UMC, we serve over 80 women and men. Sign-up at gtownpres.org/serve to serve at our dinners on *June 9 and 29*. Our long-standing ministry to our Georgetown neighbors is always ready to welcome new volunteers!

Serving our city, united in Christ.

Welcome to the Georgetown Presbyterian Church

If you are here for the first time, we extend a special welcome to you. Please take a moment to read through the bulletin which contains important information for the life of this congregation.

- Ushers are wearing red lapel tags and are in the back of the Sanctuary. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask them.
- Assisted listening devices can be found in the back of the Sanctuary in a marked basket.
- Please join us after worship for a time of fellowship and food.

Children are always welcome!

- If you need to step out, there is a room near the front doors with resources for small children and a television that shows the service. For older children, there are purple bags near the front doors with coloring supplies.
- For our youngest children through 2 years old, child care is available upstairs beginning at 9:30am.
- After the Time with Children in the service, children can remain with their families, or exit the Sanctuary with one of the pastors to continue age-appropriate worship. Please feel free to escort your children to their classroom to meet the leaders. More information is available in the Order of Worship.

Navigating the Service

- Stars ✦ indicate when you are invited (but not required) to stand.
- Bold text indicates that the congregation says this together, in one voice.
- Hymns can be found in the purple hymnals. Bibles are located at the end of the pews. Large print hymnals are available in the back of the sanctuary.



The Georgetown Presbyterian Church has been a steadfast presence in our nation's capital since 1780, ministering to generations of Washingtonians, serving our city, united in Christ. For more of our history, visit gtownpres.org/us/history.

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