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GEORGETOWN
PRESBYTERIAN
— CHURCH —

Sunday, June 30, 2019, 10 a.m.

Third Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE	Ein Feste Burg Ist Unser Gott	Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)
WELCOME	Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. People: And also with you.	
INTROIT	Will You Come and Follow Me	Scottish Melody arr. John Bell
CALL to WORSHIP <i>Adapted from Psalm 77</i>	Leader: I cry aloud to God, aloud to God, that he may hear me. People: In the day of my trouble I seek the Lord; in the night my hand is stretched out without wearying; my soul refuses to be comforted. Leader: I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord; I will remember your wonders of old. People: I will meditate on all your work, and muse on your mighty deeds. Leader: Let us worship God.	
✦ HYMN 12	Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise	<i>St. Denio</i>

✦ *Please stand or sit.*

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

PRAYER <i>of</i> CONFESSION	<p>Leader: I said I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.</p> <p>People: And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.</p> <p>Leader: Let us pray.</p> <p>All: Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. (Silent prayer)</p>
ASSURANCE <i>of</i> PARDON	<p>Leader: Friends, believe the Good News.</p> <p>People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.</p>
✦ GLORIA PATRI <i>Glory to God, #581</i>	<p>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.</p>
TIME <i>with</i> CHILDREN	<p><i>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.</i></p>
✦ HYMN 840	<p>When Peace Like a River <i>Ville Du Havre</i></p>
PRAYER <i>for</i> ILLUMINATION	<p style="text-align: right;">Elder Dwight Smith</p>
FIRST LESSON	<p>Galatians 5:1, 13-25 pp. 201-202</p> <p>Leader: The Word of the Lord.</p> <p>People: Thanks be to God!</p>
ANTHEM	<p>Christo Resurgenti François Couperin (1668-1733)</p> <p><i>With Christ risen, with Christ triumphant, the stars clap their hands. Alleluia.</i> <i>With faith vindicated, with death conquered, all things rejoice. Alleluia.</i></p>
SECOND LESSON	<p>Luke 9:51-62 p. 72</p> <p>Leader: The Word of the Lord.</p> <p>People: Thanks be to God!</p>

SERMON	<i>Whatever It Takes</i>	Rev. Dr. Camille Cook Murray
✦ HYMN 370	This Is My Father's World	<i>Terra Beata</i>
✦ AFFIRMATION <i>of</i> FAITH <i>Apostles' Creed</i>	<p>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.</p>	
PRAYERS <i>of the</i> PEOPLE <i>and the</i> LORD'S PRAYER	<p>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.</p>	
OFFERING <i>and</i> OFFERTORY <i>Passing of the Fellowship Books</i>	Great Peace Have They	Jean-Baptiste Lully (1632-1687)
✦ DOXOLOGY <i>Glory to God, #607</i>	<p>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.</p>	
✦ PRAYER <i>of</i> DEDICATION		
✦ HYMN 275	A Mighty Fortress Is Our God	<i>Ein Feste Burg</i>
✦ BENEDICTION		
RESPONSE	Lord, Your Summons Echoes True	Scottish Melody arr. John Bell
POSTLUDE	Prelude in Classic Style	Gordon Young (1919-1998)



About Today's Service

Today's Music: Our vocal soloists this morning are Emily Shallbetter and Marta Kiriloff Barber, both section leaders in the GPC choir. The anthem and offertory are from the repertoire of the French Baroque period, dating approximately from 1650-1750. The music from this period in France is characterized by a courtly elegance. It very often incorporates dotted rhythms, which give the music a lilting, dance-like character.

The flowers in the Chancel today are dedicated by Mary Alice Cahir in loving memory of Dolores Curtin.

Thank you to the many volunteers who make Sundays possible.

Greeters: Catherine Johnson and Bryan Scott

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

Duty Usher: Karl Mattison

Punch Bunch: All are invited to join us after worship for punch bunch, hosted by Esther and Alan Wisdom.

Sunday School Teachers, Children's Worship Leaders & Nursery Caregivers: Regina Andrade, Casey Nolan, Laura Welch, Monica Sarmiento, and Ann Abanto.

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Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 30

9:30am Nursery Opens

10am Worship

11am Punch Bunch

5pm Yoga

Tuesday, July 2

11am GPC Staff Meeting

Thursday, July 4

GPC Offices Closed (Independence Day)

Friday, July 5

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Sunday, July 7

9:30am Nursery Opens

10am Worship - Communion

11am Punch Bunch

5pm Yoga

Daily Readings

Sun Psalm 53

Mon Psalm 54

Tue Psalm 56

Wed Psalm 57

Thu Psalm 58

Fri Psalm 59

Sat Psalm 60

Sun Psalm 61

Announcement Highlights

Nursery Relocation: Attention parents of children ages 0-3! Our nursery has moved to the lower level Youth Room for the summer, while our Growing UP renovation takes place upstairs. Ushers are available to help you locate the nursery.

Interested in joining GPC? Save the date and join our next **New Member Conference** on *Saturday, July 20* at 9 a.m. Learn more about membership and what it means to be Presbyterian! For more information and to sign up visit gtownpres.org/join.

In Our Father's House Former GPC Member and Deacon, Ed Fowler passed away on *May 19*. Join us in praying for his wife, Carolyn Fowler, two children, and four grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on *August 11* in Keene Valley, NY. Memorial gifts may be made to the Duncaster Foundation or the Ausable Club Preservation Foundation.

Free Mugs! In the process of clearing the undercroft we discovered hundreds of GPC Mugs. Help yourself to as many mugs as you would like in the Georgetown Room, after church *today!* They make a great gift or accent to an empty cupboard!

Save the date for our exciting **Guest Preachers** this summer:

July 21 Rev. Dr. Doug Powe, Director, Lewis Center for Church Leadership, James C. Logan Professor of Evangelism and Professor of Urban Ministry at Wesley Theological Seminary

Aug 11 Rev. Jen Dunfee, outgoing chaplain at The National Presbyterian School, and the Associate Pastor for Care Ministries at Lewinsville Presbyterian Church

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

Happy Birthday

July 1 James Bennett
Grant Welch

July 2 Lisa Oppenheimer
Monica Sarmiento
Abbie Taylor
Marlene Wright

July 3 Russell Porter
Adrian Vaagenes

July 5 Kelly Gannon Flynn
Fred Hart
Ned Lippman
Liz Robinson
Lauren Stocker

July 6 Kaitlyn Eisner-Poor

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? The next time to volunteer is *next Sunday, July 7*. Email Cynthia Bader at cynthia.bader@gmail.com, or talk to Pastor Chris to join!

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 *July 14* and *27*. Our long-standing ministry to our Georgetown neighbors is always ready to welcome new volunteers!

GPC is NOW accepting paperback literary donations for the **Free Minds Book Club and Writing Workshop!** Free Minds Book Club works with incarcerated and formerly incarcerated youths and adults to introduce them to the power of books and creative writing. See the list of suggested genres in the narthex and Georgetown Room.

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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