

JUNE 23, 2019 | SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WORD AND SACRAMENT: HOLY BAPTISM AND HOLY COMMUNION



The Last Supper, John August Swanson

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

RINGING OF THE BELL

OPENING VOLUNTARY PRELUDE IN G MAJOR

(As the opening voluntary begins, please use the time to center yourself for worship.)

J. S. BACH

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please join in reading or singing those parts of the service printed in **bold**.

✦ When this symbol precedes an element of the service, please rise in body or spirit.

Vicki Fey says about the Opening Voluntary: "Although I played the Bach G Major Prelude on Easter Sunday, I am repeating it today at the request of my longtime friend and colleague, David VanderMeer, and dedicate it to him and wish him all the best in his new ministry position. Thanks for bringing me to Central!"

For the younger ones among us:

In the scripture today, a prophet named Elijah hears God speak to him. Elijah expects God to speak through an earthquake, or a loud wind, or a booming voice. Instead, God speaks to Elijah through *silence*! Sometimes it is nice to be silent and listen for God. Try being silent for a moment. What do you hear?

✦ OPENING SENTENCES

*How mighty is the God we worship,
that even the demons know Christ's name
and the depth of his healing power.*

*How holy is the God we worship,
that we would compare God's grace to water,
God's love to flowing streams.*

*How loving is the God we worship,
that we find ourselves united in Christ:
one faith, one Lord, one baptism.*

Let us worship God.

✦ HYMN NO. 641

WHEN IN OUR MUSIC GOD IS GLORIFIED

ENGELBERG

✦ CALL TO CONFESSION

JESSICA PATCHETT

✦ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

As a deer longs for flowing streams,
so our souls long for you, O God.
When we are parched and weak,
fill us with the waters of your grace.
When we are starving and stumbling,
feed us with the bread of life.
You call us to be your servants,
but we have wandered away from your call.
Forgive us, God of life, and fill us with your love.

(Silence for personal prayer and reflection.)

✦ KYRIE

PARDINI

Lord, have mer - cy up - on — us; Christ, have mer - cy up -
on — us; Lord, have mer - cy up - on — us;

✦ ASSURANCE OF PARDON

✦ PASSING THE PEACE

*The peace of Christ be with you,
And also with you.*

✦ RESPONSE NO. 582

GLORY TO GOD, WHOSE GOODNESS SHINE ON ME

PAUL VASILE

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

FIRST READING

LUKE 8:26-39

PAGE 64, NT, PEW BIBLE

PSALTER

PSALM 42

PROSPECT

(Found on p. 54 in the blue Psalter for Christian Worship located in your pew.)

SILENCE AND STILLNESS

RESPONDING TO AND SEALING THE WORD

ANTHEM

MUSIC DOWN IN MY SOUL

ARR. MOSES HOGAN

CHANCEL CHOIR

I hear music in the air. I can feel it in the air. There must be a God somewhere.
 Over my head I hear music in the air. There must be a God somewhere.
 Over my head I hear singing in the air. There must be a God somewhere.
 I got this music down in my soul; and it fills my heart with the joy of the Lord!
 I've got it joy, everlasting. I've got it peace, everlasting. I've got it love, everlasting.
 Love in my heart. Oh yes, I got peace in my soul. O yes, I got joy in my heart; joy today!
 Do you love the Lord? I love the Lord! I got joy! I got peace! I got love! In my soul!

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

AUTUMN RAE RICHARDS

PRESENTATION

VOWS

✦ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

APOSTLES' CREED (TRADITIONAL)

P. 35, HYMNAL

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

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ACT OF BAPTIZING

BLESSING

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

(Please sign the Friendship Pad found at one end of your pew, and pass it along.)

MUSIC AT THE OFFERTORY

REVERIE

JUDY PHILLIPS

GENEVA HANDBELL CHOIR; ADELAIDE FEDERICI, VIOLIN; CLARK CAMPBELL-TAYLOR, PERCUSSION

✦ AT THE PRESENTATION

DOXOLOGY

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
 Praise God all creatures here below. Alleluia, Alleluia!
 Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
 Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, Alleluia,
 Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

KIMBERLY BRACKEN LONG AND MARTHA MOORE-KEISH

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The Lord be with you.
 And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
 We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
 It is right to give God thanks and praise . . .

(See insert for sung communion liturgy)

During the offering, take a minute to sign the friendship pads found in each pew. If you are visiting with us, please leave your contact information so that we can reach out to you! Newcomers and regulars alike can see who is sitting around them and greet each other by name. By signing in, you help us build stronger community connections at Central.

To make an offering with your phone, scan the QR code below or text "cpcatlanta" to 73256.



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.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

*(If you require gluten-free elements, please go to the center station to the second set of servers.
If you wish to be served in your pew, indicate your desire to an usher.
Grape juice is offered in the silver chalices, wine in the crystal.)*

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION O SACRUM CONVIVIVM

JAMES BIERY

CHANCEL CHOIR

O Christ, come and dwell within through this sacred mystery;
We celebrate the memory of your holy Passion.
Jesus' love enfolds our hearts.
We receive your covenant of eternal glory. Alleluia.

TASTE AND SEE (See page 12)

VERSES: STANZA 1 - SHELDON MICHAEL; STANZA 2 - JANET ABERCROMBIE; STANZA 3 - CHANCEL CHOIR
(The congregation is invited to sing the refrain)

The musical score is written for voice and piano in 4/4 time, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of three stanzas. Each stanza has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are: Stanza 1: 'Taste and see, taste and see the good - ness of the'; Stanza 2: 'Lord. O taste and see, taste and see the'; Stanza 3: 'good - ness of the Lord, of the Lord.' The piano accompaniment features chords and moving lines that support the vocal melody.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

LITANY OF THANKSGIVING

We give thanks, O God, for the ministry of Dave VanderMeer:

For the gifts he has shared with us,

leading us in singing God's praise;

For the creativity he has modeled for us,

crafting music and art that carry our prayers.

For the ways he has helped make the choir a family,

the music program a ministry,

and the worship life of Central vibrant and engaging,

we give you thanks, O God.

As Dave and Brent leave to follow a new call,

we pray that your Spirit will guide them and your grace enfold them.

As we continue to serve God at Central,

we pray that your Spirit will guide us and your grace enfold us.

Through the body of Christ,

we remain united in one faith, one Lord, and one baptism,

with all glory given to God our creator.

Amen.

✦ CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE

ORDER MY STEPS

GLENN BURLEIGH

CHANCEL CHOIR; BARBARA JOHNSON TUCKER, SOLOIST; TONY MCNEILL, PIANO

Order my steps in your word, dear Lord, lead me, guide me, every day.

Send your anointing, Father, I pray. Order my steps in your word. Please, order my steps in your word.

Humbly I ask thee, teach me your will; while you are working, help me be still. Though Satan is busy, God is real!

Order my steps in your word. Please, order my steps in your word.

Bridle my tongue, let my words edify, let the words of my mouth be acceptable in thy sight.

Take charge of my thoughts, both day and night. Order my steps in your word.

Please, order my steps in your word.

I want to walk worthy, my calling to fulfill. Please order my steps, Lord, and I'll do your blessed will,

The world is ever changing, but you are still the same. If you order my steps, I'll praise your name.

Order my steps in your word; order my tongue in your word.

Guide my feet in your word; wash my heart in your word.

Show me how to walk in your word; show me how to talk in your word.

When I need a brand new song to sing, show me how to let our praises ring in your word.

(Please remain seated for the Closing Voluntary)

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

SONATA IN G MAJOR - BOURÉE

G. F. HANDEL

ADELAIDE FEDERICI, VIOLIN AND VICKI FEY, ORGAN

Today we welcome Barbara Johnson Tucker, and Tony McNeill to lead us in worship. Barbara, who comes to us from Houston, Texas, has joined us for worship on many significant times of transition, and we are thrilled to have her with us again today.

Barbara Johnson Tucker has had a notable career in sacred and secular music lasting over four decades. In 1969, Barbara spent a year in New York as a cast member of the Tony-Award winning Broadway drama *The Great White Hope*, starring James Earl Jones. While in New York, she had her debut recital in the famed Carnegie Recital Hall and filmed several nationally-shown commercials. She and her singing friends, whom she calls A Chosen Few, have one joint gospel CD, *So Precious!!* In September of 2000, she was presented in concert at The Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C. In November of 2002, Barbara is now a retired manager from Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, pursuing a full-time ministry/career. She has sung in England, Switzerland, Holland, Russia, Poland, Manger Square, in Bethlehem on Christmas Eve-1999, and in the Czech Republic in July of 2001.

Dr. Tony McNeill is a sought after workshop clinician, lecturer, consultant, mentor, and guest choral conductor throughout the country. He is currently on the staff of Oakhurst Presbyterian Church. Previously, he was Visiting Professor of Choral Music at Texas Southern University, and prior to that he was Director of Worship and the Arts at Historic Ebenezer Baptist Church.

COMMUNION LITURGY

SANCTUS

...with the heavenly choirs and the faithful of every time and place

2 *Minister/Cantor* *All*

San - to, San - to, San - to, San - to, San -

Minister/Cantor *All*

to, San - to, es el Se - ñor, Dios del u - ni - ver - so; es el Se - ñor, Dios del

Minister/Cantor *All*

u - ni - ver - so; Hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Heav - en and earth are

Minister/Cantor *All*

full of your glo - ry. Ho - sa - na en el cie - lo. Ho - sa - na en el

Minister/Cantor *All mp*

cie - lo. Blest is he who comes, blest is he who comes,

Minister/Cantor *mf All*

comes in the name of the Lord; comes in the name of the Lord;

Minister/Cantor *f All*

Ho - sa - na en el cie - lo. Ho - sa - na en el cie - lo,

Minister/Cantor *mp All* 3

en el cie - lo; en el cie - lo.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

...great is the mystery of faith

Minister/Cantor

Este es el mis - te - rio de la fe. Dy - ing you de - stroyed our death,
Let us proclaim the mys - ter - y of faith.

All mp *Minister/Cantor*

dy - ing you de - stroyed our death; _____ ris - ing you re -

All mf

stored our life, _____ ris - ing you re - stored our life. _____

Minister/Cantor *All f*

En glo - ria ven, Se - ñor Je - sús, _____ En glo - ria ven, Se -

Minister/Cantor *All mp*

ñor Je - sús, _____ Ven, Se - ñor Je - sús. Ven, Se - ñor Je - sús.

AMEN

...all glory and honor are yours, almighty God, now and forever.

Minister/Cantor

For - ev - er, a - men. _____

All *Minister/Cantor*

For - ev - er, a - men. _____ To - dos can - ta - mos A - mén.

All

To - dos can - ta - mos A - mén. _____

WORSHIP NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our liturgists today are Jessica Patchett, Kimberly Bracken Long, and Martha Moore-Keish.

Our lector today is Anita Carwile.

We celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism today as Kristin and Michael Richards bring their daughter Autumn, born July 30, 2018, to be baptized.

Audio recordings of sermons may be found at www.cpcast.org. You may subscribe to podcasts at that site and find us on Facebook as "Central Presbyterian Church."

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Micah Nutter Dowling	

Temporary Director of Children and Youth

Lauren Scott	Summer Intern
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MEMBERS IN PREPARATION FOR ORDINATION AS MINISTERS OF WORD AND SACRAMENT

Erin Burt ▪ Julia Watkins

WELCOME VISITORS

Central is a community in which you can learn and teach, care and be cared for, love and be loved. You have a place here among this community of faith.

All visitors and newer members are invited to the **Believing and Belonging** class to explore what Presbyterians believe, how those beliefs inform our life at Central, and what it means to *belong* in today's world of competing interests. The next class is September 8 at 9:45 in the Parlor. For more information, contact Anna at atraynham@cpcatlanta.org.

THOSE SERVING DURING WORSHIP TODAY

Ushers

Jeff Spruell, captain ▪ Royal Grooms

Jo McMurtrie ▪ Sherry Wright

Kimble McNair ▪ Deanna Robbins

Em McNair ▪ Wills Moore

Sound Engineer

Tom Banyai

Choir Guild

Kathy McCloud

Deacons of the Day

Em McNair

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Liz Burkhardt ▪ Becca Leland

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THIS WEEK AT CENTRAL

Sunday, June 23

12:15 p.m.

Peace Vigil

12:15 p.m.

Celebration Lunch

Honoring Dave VanderMeer
and his service to Central

Monday, June 24

2:00 p.m.

Worship Staff Meeting

Tuesday, June 25

No events scheduled

Wednesday, June 26

No events scheduled

Thursday, June 27

7:00 p.m.

Young Adult Gathering
Traynham home

Friday, June 28

No events scheduled

Saturday, June 29

No events scheduled

Sunday, June 30

9:45 a.m.

Sunday School for all ages

11:00 a.m.

Worship for the Lord's Day

Jessica Patchett preaching

12:15 p.m.

Peace Vigil

12:15 p.m.

Fellowship Lunch

12:15 p.m.

Down Yonder Parish

Backpack Packing