

Greenwich Presbyterian Church

October 18, 2020

Prelude – Be Thou My Vision

Handbell Ensemble

Call to Worship

(from Psalm 99)

Leader: The Lord reigns, let the earth be glad; let the distant shores rejoice.

People: *Righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne.*

Leader: For you, O Lord, are the Most High over all the earth; you are exalted far above all gods.

People: *Rejoice in the Lord, you who are righteous, and praise his holy name.*

Hymn – Holy God, We Praise Your Name

*Holy God, we praise your name, Lord of all we bow before you
All on earth your scepter claim, all in heaven above adore you
Infinite your vast domain, everlasting is your reign*

*Hark! the loud celestial hymn angel choirs above are raising
Cherubim and seraphim in unceasing chorus praising
Fill the heavens with sweet accord: holy, holy, holy Lord*

*All apostles join the strain as your sacred name they hallow
Prophets swell the glad refrain and the white-robed martyrs follow
And from morn to set of sun, through the Church the song goes on*

*Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name you
While in essence only one, undivided God we claim you
Then adoring bend the knee, while we own the mystery.*

Morning Prayer

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sharing the Peace of Christ and Congregational Life

The peace of the Lord be with you...and also with you.

Blessing of the Children and the Lord's Prayer

Musical Offering – Holy, Holy, Holy

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Scripture / Reflection

Daniel 2:17-23

Wisdom from the Prophets: *He changes times and seasons*

Hymn – God Has Spoken by the Prophets

*God has spoken by the prophets, spoken his unchanging word
Each from age to age proclaiming God, the one, the righteous Lord!
'Mid the world's despair and turmoil on firm anchor holding fast
God eternal reigns forever, God the first and God the last*

*God has spoken by Christ Jesus, Christ, the everlasting Son
Brightness of the Father's glory, with the Father ever one
Spoken by the Word incarnate, God of God, ere time was born
Light of light to earth descending, Christ, as God in human form*

*God is speaking by the Spirit, speaking to our hearts again
In the age-long Word declaring, God's own message, now as then
Through the rise and fall of nations on sure faith yet holding fast
God abides, the Word unchanging, God the first and God the last*

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.*

Response

*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.*

Benediction

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**TO REGISTER FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP**

*Please register for Sunday services each week*

1. Register via Email: [register@greenwichpres.org](mailto:register@greenwichpres.org)
2. Your name and names of family members attending with you
3. Which service you plan to attend: 9:00 or 11:00
4. That's it! You will receive a confirmation email within 24 hrs

***(Registration open Monday through Friday 5:00pm)***

**Please be in prayer this week for our church family & friends**

Morgan Campbell, Jan Deshayes, Lee Glover, Lori Horan, Pat Howell, June Smith, the family of Ronnie Smoot, Greg Stanley, Sherry Thrasher, Jane Wood.

**For Continuing Care**

Angie Arnold, Edith Bailey, Dave Bannan, Dixie Baker, Sam Bunch, Diane Carroll, Mary Ann Cockerille, Artie Coffman, Audrey Ann Edwards, Tim Everett, Linda Griffin, Susan Hellerman, Barbara Jackson, Tom Knoll, Susanne Lewis, Pam Lynn, Jacque Meeks, Christine Mills, Toni Mitchell, Omar, Kim Palfrey, Judit Platt, Lon Quinones, Jasper Russell, Elsie Shrewsbury, Greg Stanley, Phil Swinford, Caspar Velasco, Rachelle Villagomez, Jennifer Wengert, Cecily West, Becky Whitelock, Carl Yates.

**Praises**

The faithful ministry of Bill and Jackie Lover and for their move to Connecticut; the marriage of Hope (Fleming) Marsh and John Floyd this week.

**Serving our Country**

Earl Arnold, Kieran Bateman, Brendan Binniker, James Binniker, Jordan Champion, Ray Franze, Alex Frazier, Austin Johnson, Logan King, Lee Loudermilk, Russell McMillan, Adam Smith, Carter Walchli, Jason West, Jacob Yates.

**Greenwich Birthdays This Week**

|                         |                       |                         |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Oct 18 Carole Aitchison | Oct 19 Natalie Poole  | Oct 23 Krista Meeks     |
| Oct 18 Sabrina Halstead | Oct 19 Don Taylor     | Oct 23 Oliver Taylor    |
| Oct 18 Reis Roeber      | Oct 19 Nina Wiersholm | Oct 23 Garrett Reinhard |
| Oct 19 Reagan Hinkey    | Oct 20 Andrew Desmedt | Oct 23 Zayden Snoots    |
| Oct 19 Bill Horan       | Oct 21 Scott McCain   | Oct 24 Judit Platt      |
| Oct 19 Julie Kowalsky   |                       |                         |

**Financial Summary** (YTD thru 9/30/20)

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| <u>YTD Income</u>                 | <u>YTD Expense</u> | <u>YTD Income - Expense</u>     |
| \$851,313                         | \$766,237          | \$85,237                        |
| <u>Sunday Offering (10/11/20)</u> |                    | <u>Building Fund (10/11/20)</u> |
| \$29,064                          |                    | \$4,656                         |

**Food Drive, TODAY, 4:00-5:00pm**

We are continuing to collect supplies and food for our shelters. Particular needs this month: Paper Towels, Hand Sanitizer, & Soap

*Other Suggested Items: Cereal (low sugar), Pasta Sauce & Noodles, Canned Vegetables & Beans, Boxed Mac & Cheese, Canned Chicken & Tuna, Cooking Oil, Soups, Canned & Pre-Packaged Fruit*

**Trunk or Treat, Saturday, October 31 (3:00p-5:00p)** We are bringing back our Trunk or Treat event with adjustments for social distancing but still plenty of room for fun! For those that may be new to this, instead of walking through a neighborhood, kids can dress up and trick-or-treat in the church parking lot at vehicles that have been decorated for the holiday. Please join us! **Registration in REALM** is required. Please contact Sue Ellen Kinser at [skinser@greenwichpres.org](mailto:skinser@greenwichpres.org) with questions or to help!

**Nominating Committee** – Each year the congregation (in partnership with the Nominating Committee) enjoys the privilege of electing a new class of Deacons and Elders to serve the Greenwich family. If you would like to recommend someone (including yourself!) to the CNC for consideration, please visit the Nominating Committee info on the Greenwich website.

**Ladies of the Church – Join us Saturday October 24 for a time of refreshment.** We will gather for an easy hike on the Lake Manassas Trails. After, we'll enjoy lunch at the Brass Cannon Restaurant. The hike begins at 10:30 am from the parking lot at 15601 Turtle Point Drive, Gainesville, followed by lunch at 12:00. Please RSVP, by Monday, October 19, for lunch and/or hike to: Lucille at [Imarciano@greenwichpres.org](mailto:Imarciano@greenwichpres.org) or 704.453.9221.

**THIS WEEK AT GREENWICH**

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| 10/18 (Sun)  | 10:00a-10:45a | Adult Sunday School (Fellowship Hall) |
| 10/20 (Tues) | 8:00a-4:00p   | Quilting Group (Fellowship Hall)      |
|              | 1:00p-2:30p   | Grief Group (Preschool Admin)         |
| 10/21 (Wed)  | 10:30a-12:30p | HH Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)      |
|              | 4:00p-6:00p   | Kid's Club (Fellowship Hall)          |
| 10/22 (Thu)  | 4:00p-6:30p   | Youth Group (Fellowship Hall)         |
| 10/23 (Fri)  | 6:30a-7:30a   | Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)   |

Daily Prayer at 9:00am (prayer guide on website)  
No Daily Study this week while Don out of the office.