

HOLY COMMUNION (See insert)

WE DEPART TO SERVE

*Hymn 409 *God Is Here!*

*Benediction

*Congregational Benediction Hymn 600 *Amen*

*Postlude *Prelude No. 1*

J. S. Bach



WOODSTOCK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, JULY 1, 2018 - 10:00 AM
6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*“I was glad when they said to me,
‘Let us go to the house of the Lord!’” Psalm 122:1*

Welcome to all who gather to worship today! We hope you feel warmly welcomed and even “at home,” for all are welcome in God’s house! If you are a guest today, we are honored by your presence with us and hope to see you again! Please take a moment to sign the Friendship Register located in the pew. Everyone is invited to stay for our fellowship hour following worship!

WPC Vision & Mission Statement

Growing and Building in the Love of Christ
Ephesians 4:16

We ENVISION a church that:

- † Is kind, generous, hospitable and welcoming.
- † Involves everyone in local and global mission.
- † Treats everyone as a Child of God.
- † Shares our time, talents, and treasure.

Our MISSION is to grow and build in:

- † Faith through worship, prayer, and Bible study.
- † Fellowship with one another and with guests.
- † Hospitality shown to our community and world.
- † Facilities that are exceptional and accessible.

* Congregation is invited to stand.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude *Lord God, We Worship Thee* J. S. Bach
I Hear the Words of Jesus Say C. Nordman
Make a Joyful Noise to the Lord M. Sindlinger

Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign the Friendship Pads located in each pew.)

Call to Worship *(Psalm 130:5-6)* Emma Saeler
I wait for the Lord.

My soul waits, and in God’s word I hope.
My soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning.

More than those who watch for the morning.
In faith, let us turn to our God, whose love is sure.

Amen

*Hymn 418 *Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*

*Opening Prayer *(pray together)*
Almighty God, in Jesus Christ you show us the breadth of your power and the depth of your love. You listen to our cries of pain and hear our laments. You see the fear in our eyes and know the secrets of our hearts. You do not turn from our distress, but stretch out your hand to heal, to comfort, and to save. All thanks and praise be to you, O God; your steadfast love endure forever. Amen.



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(Spiritual Leaders of the Church)

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Invitation to Confession of Sin

Confession of Sin

Trusting you does not always come easy when each day we are faced with the ugliness of the world. We do not believe that love conquers fear. We are not convinced that power comes through weakness. We cannot conceive how you could heal us.

Forgive our lack of faith, O God, and renew our trust in you, for we would be disciples of Jesus, in whose name we pray...(time for silent confession)

Declaration of Forgiveness

If the Lord kept account of all our sins, who could stand? But with Christ there is forgiveness; Christ gives us peace.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Amen!

WE EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD

Children's Message

Anthem *America-Our Heritage* H. Steele/arr. H. Ades

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings (from the Common English Bible)

Lamentations 3:22-26

2 Corinthians 8:7-15

Mark 5:21-43

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God!

Message "Your Faith Has Healed You"
Rev. Joan Wilson

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*The Nicene Creed

**I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made. Who, for us humans, for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of Life; who proceeds from the Father [and the Son]; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets. And I believe one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

***Gloria Patri** (words at left)

***Hymn 494** *Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts*

The Great Thanksgiving

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory *I Saw the Light* H. Williams

***Doxology & Prayer of Dedication** (words at left)

Glory Be to the Father

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!

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.

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.