

The Worship of God

June 2, 2019 – 7th Sunday of Easter

Gathering

Sounding of the Trinity

Prelude

Love Divine, All Love's Excelling arr. Vaughan Williams
As the prelude begins, let us prepare silently for worship.

Ritual of Friendship (Please pass the Fellowship Pad)

Concerns and Celebrations

Call to Worship

(from Revelation 22)

One: I am the Alpha and the Omega, says the Lord, the God who is and who was and who is to come.

All: Let us give thanks for all that was,

One: Let us celebrate all that is,

All: And let us imagine all that will be.

Introit

God Reigns! Let Earth Rejoice!

Chancel Choir

*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #15

All Creatures of Our God and King
(verses 1, 2, 3, 6)

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession (From *Call to Worship* - Year C)

God of mercy, hear our prayer. Your spirit is a wind of change, but we would recast it as a quiet breeze. Your call is to the edges of the world, but we would confine to the comfortable places. Your will is to free us from the chains of injustice, but we would keep them on rather than disturb the peace. Forgive us, God of mercy. Fill our hearts with songs of faith, and give us the voice to sing them. Amen.

*Assurance of God's Pardon

**The Gloria Patri*

Hymn #581

The Offering

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

arr. Wood

**The Doxology* Hymn #606

*Prayer of Dedication

The Word

Conversation with the Children

First Reading

Acts 16:16-34

Psalm Reading

Psalm 97

Anthem

How Can I Keep from Singing (arr. Beck) Chancel Choir

Gospel Reading

John 17:20-26

Sermon

"Praying and Singing"

Rev. John Causey

Response to the Word

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

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Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Sending

*Hymn #286

Breathe on Me, Breath of God

*Charge and Benediction

Choral Response

Go Out with Joy (Patterson)

Chancel Choir

Postlude

*Those who are able, please stand

Calendar for the Week

Sunday 6/2	8:30am	BEACH Worship – 7 th Sunday of Easter
	9:45am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship – 7 th Sunday of Easter
Mon 6/3	5:30pm	Deacons Meeting
Thurs 6/6	7:00pm	Chancel Choir
Sat 6/8	9:00am	SPC Golf Tournament at Crow Creek Golf Course
Sunday 6/9	8:30am	BEACH Worship – Day of Pentecost
		SonDance Liturgical Dancers
	9:45am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship – Day of Pentecost - Communion
		<i>Food Pantry Collection – Pentecost Offering</i>

Copies of the weekly 11:00 Worship Service are available on CD in the Narthex and Video Podcast will be downloaded to church website (www.shallottechurch.org) by Tuesday morning as a courtesy to Members, Visitors, and those unable to attend

Attendance last Sunday: Beach approx. 610; 11:00a.m. – 126

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to this service of Worship. Our prayer is that all will be blessed as we worship together. Visitors, please fill out a Visitor's Card found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate or give it to a Greeter as you leave worship. Thank you.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by **Gene & Tammy McKethan** to the **Glory of God** and in Celebration of **our Wedding Anniversary of 31 years.**

Next Sunday is Pentecost and we will celebrate the Lord's Supper as part of our 11:00 Worship Service. Wear RED and help us rejoice in the gift of the Holy Spirit.

The Personnel Committee is deeply appreciative of all the collaborative efforts of faithful planners, willing workers, amazing bakers and financial supporters which culminated in a touching celebration of love and appreciation for Barry Auman and his family.

Summer "Time with Children" Volunteers needed. Are you willing to lead the Time with Children portion of our worship service one or more Sundays this Summer? If so, please let Pastor John know which Sunday or Sundays fit your schedule between now and September 1. We appreciate Joyce Winkler leading this special time with the children who attend our 8:30 Beach Services.

Prayer Concerns: Tim Bartlett, Lois Chadwick, Kat Cheves, Betty Church, Pat Dobbins, Marie Harrison, Christian Huffman, Bill Kelly, Lesa Kolcun, Michael Kolcun, Lantz Lackey, Peggy Lackey, Ann Long, Jerry McCann, Martha Miller, Catherine Norman, Lucie Oakley, Bill Sing, Wayne Smith, Seamus Smithwick, Steve Spoon, Carole Stephenson and Bob Williams.

Rev. John Causey, Minister causeyoib@atmc.net

Randy Warner, Organist/Pianist

Joyce Winkler, Qualified Ruling Elder

Dr. Les & Dr. Christy Morgan, Missionaries in Bangladesh



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