

The Worship of God
 May 19, 2019 – 5th Sunday of Easter

Gathering

Sounding of the Trinity
 Prelude

Dr. Mark Anderson

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 Psalm 148)

One: Praise the Lord!

All: Praise God from the heavens!

One: Men, women, all people alike,

All: Old and young together!

One: Let us praise the name of the Lord,

All: Whose name is exalted above heaven and earth!

+Introit *Praise the Lord! God's Glories Show*

Chancel Choir

*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #610 *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

*Call to Confession

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

Holy God, your love knows no bounds. Forgive us when we try to confine it. Your grace is for all people. Forgive us when we try to restrain it. Your Spirit beckons us to follow. Forgive us when we choose not to listen. Forgive us, God, of the ways we fall short. Set us free from our bondage, to love and serve you. Amen.

*Assurance of God's Pardon

**The Gloria Patri* Hymn #581

The Offering

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

**The Doxology* Hymn #606

*Prayer of Dedication

The Word

+Conversation with the Children

Joyce Winkler

First Reading Acts 11:1-18

Psalm Reading Psalm 148

+Anthem *To the Lamb on the Throne* (Forrest)

Chancel Choir

Gospel Reading
 Sermon

John 13:31-35
“Faith Remembers”

Rev. John Causey

Response to the Word

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

Page 35 of Hymnal

+Recognition of High School Seniors

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Sending

*Hymn #282

Come Down, O Love Divine

*Charge and Benediction

+Choral Response

Threefold Amen

Chancel Choir

Postlude

Today, we give a warm welcome to Dr. Mark Anderson, our guest organist/pianist. Dr. Anderson's educational background and musical accomplishments have taken him all over the world beginning with training at Mars Hill College to organ study with the great Marcel Dupre and composition study with the renowned Nadia Boulanger at the Paris Conservatory. Dr. Anderson served as interim organist with the Boston Symphony, was head staff arranger at NBC and is host of the weekly television show “Crescendo!”, broadcast over Time Warner and Comcast from NY, Seattle and NC. In 1986, Mark received NC's highest arts award, The NC State Award for Excellence, bestowed by Governor James G. Martin. He currently serves as Director of Music and Organist at Trinity Episcopal Church in Lumberton, NC and teaches organ students at UNC Pembroke and in his private studio.

Calendar for the Week

Sunday 5/19	8:30am	Early Worship – 5 th Sunday of Easter
	9:45am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship – 5 th Sunday of Easter

Honor High School Graduates

Newsletter Deadline

Mon 5/20	6:30pm	Session Meeting
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Thurs 5/23	6:00pm	Handbells
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	7:00pm	Chancel Choir
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Fri 5/24	11:30am	S.O.S. Group Gathering at The Boundary House
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Sunday 5/26	8:30am	BEACH Worship – 6 th Sunday of Easter
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	9:45am	Sunday School
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	11:00am	Worship – 6 th Sunday of Easter
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	Noon	Reception for Barry Auman
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*Those who are able, please stand
 + 11:00 Worship Service only

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 **Tim & Kathy Bartlett** to the **Glory of God** and in Loving Honor of **Our granddaughter Lena Devlin, graduating from BC Early College High School and Congratulations to Kate Carson and Powell Braddock also graduating from High School.**

Congratulations to our three High School Seniors. Lena Devlin is graduating from our county's Early College program and already has a MA degree! Kate Carson graduates from WBHS and plans to attend Meredith College. Powell Braddock completes her work at the NC School of Math and Science and has been accepted at NCSU. The latter two young women are the first recipients of our SPC Scholarships!

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: 8:30a.m. 56; 11:00a.m. – 95

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

Barry Auman, Director of Music

Randy Warner, Organist/Pianist

Joyce Winkler, Qualified Ruling Elder

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



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