

## The Worship of God

October 20, 2019 – 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

### Gathering

Sounding of the Trinity

Prelude *Chaconne* Wilber Held  
(A chaconne is music based on a short pattern of chords repeated throughout the piece. A “law” if you will, shaping the composition created.)

*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 119)

One: Teach us, O Lord, the way of your statutes,

**All: And let us observe it to the end.**

One: Give us understanding, that we may keep your law,

**All: And observe it with our whole hearts.**

One: Turn our hearts to your decrees,

**All: And not to selfish gain.**

One: Confirm to your servants your promise,

**All: And let us worship you.**

+Choral Introit *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus* LEMMEL

\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #11 *Source and Sovereign, Rock and Cloud*

\*Call to Confession

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

**Holy God, forgive us when we forego peace for easy resolution; when we trade justice for convenience; when we doubt whether you are real enough, whether your love is strong enough to overcome the destructive powers of our world. Forgive us, O God, and move us to know your transformative grace. Amen.**

\*Assurance of God’s Pardon

\**The Gloria Patri* Hymn #581

### The Offering

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *Deep Within I Will Plant My Law* Haas, arr. Paul Tate

\**The Doxology* Hymn #606

\*Prayer of Dedication

## The Word

+Conversation with the Children Joyce Winkler  
First Reading Jeremiah 31:27-34  
Psalm Reading Psalm 119:97-104  
+Anthem *Write Your Blessed Name* K. Lee Scott  
Gospel Reading Luke 18:1-8  
Sermon **“God the Covenant Maker”** Rev. John Causey

### Response to the Word

\*Affirmation of Faith PCUSA Brief Statement of Faith Page 37 & 38  
Sections 1; 4 “We trust in God the Holy Spirit...”; 5 & 6  
Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

### Sending

\*Hymn #833 *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go*  
\*Charge and Benediction  
+Choral Response *Go in Peace and Joy* Frank arr. Hal Hopson  
Postlude  
  
\*Those who are able, please stand  
+ 11:00 Worship Service only

### Calendar for the Week

Sunday 10/20	8:30am	Early Worship – 19 <sup>th</sup> Sun. after Pentecost
	9:45am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship – 19 <sup>th</sup> Sun. after Pentecost
		<b>Newsletter Deadline</b>
	10-5pm	NC Oyster Festival
Mon 10/21	6:30pm	Session Meeting
Thurs 10/24	6:00pm	Handbells
	7:00pm	Chancel Choir
Fri 10/25	11:30am	S.O.S. Group Gathering at Duffer’s in Shallotte
Sat 10/26	9-5pm	Festival by the Sea in Holden Beach
Sunday 10/27	8:30am	Early Worship – 20 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost
	9:45am	Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship – 20 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost
	9-4pm	Festival by the Sea

*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](http://www.shallottechurch.org)) by Tuesday morning as a courtesy to Members, Visitors, and those unable to attend*

*Attendance last Sunday: 8:30a.m. –44; 11:00a.m. – 92*

## 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 **Fred & Edna Atkinson** to the **Glory of God** and in loving memory of **Wesley Atkinson** and **Ryan Atkinson**.

**Lifetouch** will be photographing all of our church families for a new church directory on **Monday, Oct. 21, 2-8:40pm; Tuesday, Oct. 22, 12:30-7:40pm** and **Wednesday, Oct. 23, 12:30-7:10pm**.

As we prepare for Veterans Day this year, in order to honor those who served in the armed forces of the United States and our allies, please share your information on the sheet provided in the Narthex. If you have a loved one who attended SPC and is deceased please provide their info in the space provided.

Name/Service(s)/Dates Served

**Prayer Concerns:** Tim Bartlett, John Buechner, Kat Cheves, Betty Church, Betty Coggins, Larry Cook, 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, Mary Sanderford, Wayne Smith, Seamus Smithwick, Steve Spoon, Carole Stephenson and Bob Williams.



**Rev. John Causey, Minister** [causevoib@atmc.net](mailto:causevoib@atmc.net)  
**Robin Fort, Music Director**  
**Randy Warner, Organist/Pianist**  
**Joyce Winkler, Qualified Ruling Elder**  
**Dr. Les & Dr. Christy Morgan, Missionaries in Bangladesh**

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