

Sunday, June 21, 2020

Church Happenings

Worship Update—Sunday Worship has resumed at the church. We will continue to record our service for those who cannot yet attend. Please contact the office if you would like to continue receiving a bulletin and/or DVD in the mail. Thank you.

Save the Date—Join us for the installation of Pastor David Barnes during worship on Sunday, June 28.

First Communion—Pastor David plans to provide First Communion instruction in July. It would be 2 sessions, about 1 hour each. If you would like your child/grandchild, along with one adult (or family), to attend this instruction please contact the office. Any questions, please call Pastor David at 443-945-1251.

Praise & Prayers—The Prince of Peace Prayer Huddle continues to lift up our praises and prayers every week. They are now meeting at the church at 10:15am on Monday mornings.

Volunteers Needed—Kara Wallace will be out of the office July 13-17. If you are able to help answer the phone, etc. that week, please let her know. Thank you.

The flowers on the altar are in celebration of Jim & Nancy Freedlund's birthdays.

Prince of Peace
Faith, Family, Community



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We Come to Worship!

Welcome to Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

PRELUDE & LIGHTING OF CANDLES:

WELCOME & GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 91:1-8

L: Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High

C: will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.

L: I will say of the LORD, "He is my refuge

C: my God, in whom I trust."

L: Surely he will save you from the fowler's snare

C: and from the deadly pestilence.

L: He will cover you with his feathers; under his wings

C: his faithfulness will be your shield and rampart.

L: You will not fear the terror of night,

C: nor the arrow that flies by day,

L: nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness,

C: nor the plague that destroys at midday.

L: A thousand may fall at your side,

C: ten thousand at your right hand,

L: but it will not come near you.

C: You will only observe with your eyes.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:

L: Lord, in your mercy...

C: Hear our prayer.

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 trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

forever and ever.

Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE:

"You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord" (WOV #779)

RECOGNITION OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:

Trevor Diemel, Seth Hedman, Sidney Schmidt



TODAY'S READING: Jeremiah 20:7-13

The LORD is with me like a mighty warrior;
so my persecutors will stumble and not prevail.
They will fail and be thoroughly disgraced;
their dishonor will never be forgotten.
LORD Almighty, you who examine the righteous
and probe the heart and mind,
let me see your vengeance on them,
for to you I have committed my cause.
Sing to the LORD!
Give praise to the LORD!
He rescues the life of the needy
from the hands of the wicked.

ALLELUIA:

**C: Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life.
Alleluia. Alleluia.**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew.
C: Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL TEXT: Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following words:
“Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his
child; children will rebel against their parents and have
them put to death. You will be hated by everyone be-
cause of me, but the one who stands firm to the end will
be saved. When you are persecuted in one place, flee to
another. Truly I tell you, you will not finish going through
the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes.

“The student is not above the teacher, nor a servant
above his master. It is enough for students to be like their
teachers, and servants like their masters. If the head of
the house has been called Beelzebul, how much more
the members of his household!

“So do not be afraid of them, for there is nothing con-
cealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not
be made known. What I tell you in the dark, speak in the
daylight; what is whispered in your ear, proclaim from the
roofs. Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but can-
not kill the soul. Rather, be afraid of the One who can de-
stroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows
sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the
ground outside your Father’s care. And even the very
hairs of your head are all numbered. So don’t be afraid;
you are worth more than many sparrows.

“Whoever acknowledges me before others, I will also
acknowledge before my Father in heaven. But whoever
disowns me before others, I will disown before my Father
in heaven.”

P: The Gospel of the Lord
C: Praise to you, O Christ.

THE MESSAGE:

Pastor David Barnes

“A Father’s Love”

1. Protector
2. Provider
3. Producer

SONG OF THE DAY:

"Children of the Heavenly Father" (LBW #474)

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION:

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. *(Silence for reflection.)*

P: Most merciful God,

C: we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

HOLY COMMUNION

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen

BLESSING: (spoken, p. 95)

P: The Lord bless you and keep you
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace

C: Amen

DISMISSAL:

P: Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude