

IN OUR PRAYERS

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Father God, I come into your presence so aware of my human frailty and yet overwhelmed by your love for me. I thank you that there is no human experience that I might walk through where your love cannot reach me. If I climb the highest mountain you are there and yet if I find myself in the darkest valley of my life, you are there. Teach me today to love you more. Help me

to rest in that love that asks nothing more than the simple trusting heart of a child. In Jesus name, Amen

UPCOMING SERMON

Next Sunday, June 28th, our sermon will be "The Promise of Peace." Our scripture reading will be from Matthew 5:9 . We will also celebrate Holy Communion. God Bless you all and **WELCOME BACK!!** If you are joining us on Facebook, we invite you to participate in Communion with your own bread, cracker, or grain and juice.

SESSION

Clerk: Brad Stancil

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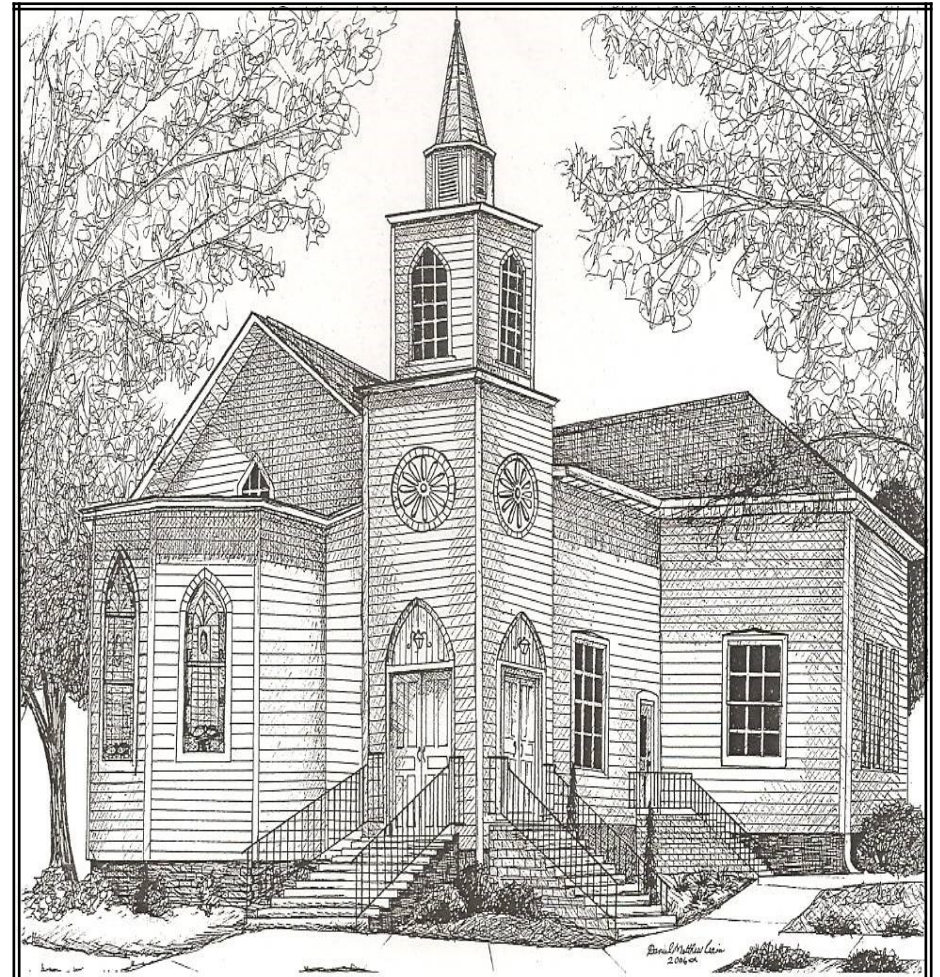
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Fourth Sunday of Pentecost

June 21, 2020

11:00 A.M

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude: "Holy, Holy, Holy"Dykes

Choral Call to Worship....."Cares Chorus"Willard

I cast all my cares upon You. I lay all of my burdens down at your feet.

And anytime that I don't know what to do, I will cast all my cares upon You.

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn 348: "Faith of Our Fathers"Walton

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of love, you have raised Jesus from death to be the power of love always in our midst. We confess our failure to fully entertain and trust his love. We have not loved you, God, with His joyous enthusiasm. We have not loved others with His burning compassion. We have not even loved ourselves sufficiently to fully nurture our own lives in the love and liberty of Christ Jesus. Consequently our characters are stunted, our achievements flawed, our peace is fractured, and our happiness is diminished. God of mercy, please overthrow those feelings and thoughts which have become barriers against the inflowing of your truth and love. Please enter the stubborn or fearful corners of our being with your light and your forgiveness. Restore us to the joy of your salvation and renew a right spirit with us. Through Christ Jesus our Savior.

(A moment of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Anthem: "Only Jesus can Satisfy Your Soul"Wolfe

The world will try to satisfy that longing in your soul. You may search the wide world o're but you'll be just as before. You'll never find true satisfaction until you've found the Lord. For only Jesus can satisfy your soul.

If you could have the fame and fortune, all the wealth you could obtain, yet you knave not Christ within, your living here would be in vain. There'll come a time when death shall call you. Riches cannot help you then. So come to Jesus for only He can satisfy, Satisfy your soul.

Only Jesus can satisfy your soul and only He can change your heart and make you whole. He'll give you peace you never knew, sweet love and joy and heaven too. For only Jesus can satisfy your soul.

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture: John 3:1-17

Sermon: "The Promise of God's Love"Rev. Audrey H. Reese

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn 399: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"Zundel

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

The Apostle's Creed (*The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 14*)

Gloria Patri (*The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 579*)

Offertory: "Arioso"Handel

Doxology (*The Presbyterian Hymnal, No. 592*)

SENDING

Hymn 101: "This is My Father's World"Sheppard

Benediction

Postlude: "Ode to Joy"Beethoven

Our hymns today will be sung out of the Red hymnal

Welcome! Welcome to Westminster Presbyterian Church! We are so glad you are worshipping with us today, and hope that you come again!