

The Worship of God
June 24, 2018 · 10:45 am
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

*What a great week of Vacation Bible School we had this past week! This morning's worship service will include some of the highlights from Shipwrecked VBS. **Thank you** to all of the children, families, and volunteers who participated in VBS 2018!*

GATHERING as God's Children

Introit ***Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him*** Arr. Don Phillips
*The candles symbolize the presence of the Holy Spirit.
As the candles are lit, may we prepare our hearts and minds for worship.*

Welcome Keleigh Frazier
*As we gather for worship, please sign the friendship register and pass it down the pew.
If you are the last to sign, please date and tear out the sheet and place it in the offering plate.*

Celebration of VBS 2018

Responsive Prayer Morgan Young
Throughout the week at Vacation Bible School, children explored the theme of being rescued by Jesus. We learned that whatever we face in life, Jesus rescues. As we celebrate a great week of VBS, let us pray that we would be filled with the power of Jesus.

Lord, we thank you for being the One who rescues us.
When we find ourselves feeling lonely...
Lord, give us your power, in Jesus' name.
When we start to worry instead of focusing on you...
Lord, give us your power, in Jesus' name.
When we struggle in hard situations...
Lord, give us your power, in Jesus' name.
When we do wrong...
Lord, give us your power, in Jesus' name.
When we know we're powerless...
Lord, give us your power, in Jesus' name.
Amen.

Reading from the Psalms **Psalm 34:15-19 (NLT)** Chris Cottingham

++ Song of Praise ***My Lighthouse*** Rend Collective
Praise Team and Congregation

RECEIVING the Word of God and RESPONDING to God in Worship and Service

New Testament Reading **Acts 3:1-10 (NRSV)** Jim Davis
The Word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.

++ Offertory Hymn ***'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*** TRUST IN JESUS

++ Offertory Prayer Jim Davis

Offertory ***Breathe on Me, Breath of God*** Arr. Don Phillips

++ Offertory Response ***Doxology*** OLD 100th

Anthem ***Draw the Circle Wide*** Mark Miller
Sanctuary Choir

After the Anthem, children may be dismissed to Children's Chapel.

Sermon ***"From Powerless to Empowered"*** Jennifer Rygg

++Hymn of Response **No. 618** ***Love Lifted Me*** SAFETY
During the hymn of response, our pastor is available for those who desire to follow Christ as Savior, to renew their relationship with God, to unite with this church, or to seek prayer.

GOING Into the World

Announcements and Benediction Jennifer Rygg

Meditation
As the candle is extinguished, the flame is carried from the sanctuary to represent the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives that goes with us as we go into the world.

++ Benediction Hymn **No. 574**

My Tribute

MY TRIBUTE

++ Congregation is invited to stand.

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Worship Notes

The flowers this week are a gift of Richard and Shelby Quattlebaum, in celebration of their Diamond Jubilee wedding anniversary on June 21.

Welcome, Guests! Thank you for worshipping with us today! Please take a moment to complete the welcome card located in the pew and place it in the offering plate. You can share your experience at our church by visiting our website, clicking on “Visitors” and then “Visitor Response Survey.”

Children and Worship: Children are welcome to join us for worship.

Nursery care is available in room 102 for children ages 4 and younger.

Children’s Bulletins are available at the sanctuary entrances.

Children’s Chapel is provided in room 211 during the sermon for early elementary age students. The program is designed for children who will be in Kindergarten (age 5 by September 2018) through those who have just completed 3rd grade.

Worship Bags are available in front of the first pew on each side of the sanctuary. Children are encouraged to take a bag at the beginning of the service and return it to the hook at the end.

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