

ORDER OF WORSHIP

6th Sunday After Pentecost

June 30, 2024

11:00 a.m.

Greeters: Elizabeth Price and Lori Gast
Liturgist: Pat Nash

PRELUDE:

CHIMING THE HOUR

GREETINGS Psalm 118 says: This is the Day that the Lord hath made, let us rejoice and be glad in it! Good morning and welcome. It is so nice to see all of you here this morning. Visitors, please sign the attendance registers located in each row.

Please stand, in body or spirit, and join me in our Call to Worship and remain standing through the response.

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, and in His word, I hope;

People: my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning more than those who watch for the morning.

All: Let us worship God.

*PRAISE CHORUS:

Hymn No. 267 "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" – vs. 1 MADRID

Come, Chris - tians, join to sing: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Loud praise to Christ our King: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Let all, with heart and voice, be - fore His throne re - jice;

praise is His gracious choice: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Please bow your heads for our Opening Prayer

*OPENING PRAYER God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, we praise You with all our hearts. Prepare us for worship and for all the days to come. Amen.

Our first hymn today is:

*HYMN No. 35 "Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty" LOBE DEN HERREN

*CALL TO CONFESSION If we say we are without sin, we deceive ourselves. Let us confess our sins before Almighty God.

Let us pray together

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Gracious and loving God, we who stand before You do so with awe at Your majesty and reverently beg Your forgiveness of our sins. We have caused people pain, rather than helping them find their way. Each of us, in our own way, has struggled with Your command to love your neighbor. Forgive us and help us as we struggle with Your commands. (Please wait about 20 seconds, and then say,) Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Brothers and sisters in Christ, believe the good news of the Gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***RESPONSE:**

Hymn No. 436 “*God of Compassion, in Mercy Befriend Us*” O QUANTA QUALIA
God of com – pas – sion, in mer – cy be – friend us,
Giv – er of grace for our needs all – a – vail – ing.
Wis – dom and strength for each day ev – er send us,
pa – tience un – tir – ing and cour – age un – fail – ing.

You may be seated.

A TIME FOR YOUTH At this time would our youth please come forward.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Open our minds and hearts, O Lord, so we may hear and be infused with the good news of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Amen.

PSALTER LESSON Our Psalter Lesson comes from Psalm 30, please read it responsively with me.

Leader: I will extol You, O Lord, for You have drawn me up, and did not let my foes rejoice over me..

People: O Lord my God, I cried to You for help, and You have healed me.

Leader: O Lord, You brought up my soul from Sheol, restored my life from among those gone down to the Pit.

People: Sing praises to the Lord, O you His faithful ones, and give thanks to His holy name.

Leader: For His anger is but for a moment; His favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes in the morning.

People: As for me, I said in my prosperity, “I shall never be moved.”

Leader: By Your favor, O Lord, You had established me as a strong mountain; You hid Your face; I was dismayed.

People: To You, O Lord, I cried, and to the Lord I made supplication:

Leader: “What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit? Will the dust praise You? Will it tell of Your faithfulness?.

People: Hear, O Lord, and be gracious to me! O Lord, be my helper!”

Leader: **You have turned my mourning into dancing; You have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy,**

People: so that my soul may praise You and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks forever.

Leader: **The Word of the Lord.**

People: Thanks be to God!

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Our Old Testament Lesson comes from 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27 you may follow along in your pew Bibles on pages 275-276 of the Old Testament

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27

1 After the death of Saul, when David had returned from defeating the Amalekites, David remained two days in Ziklag.

¹⁷David intoned this lamentation over Saul and his son Jonathan. ¹⁸(He ordered that The Song of the Bow be taught to the people of Judah; it is written in the Book of Jashar.) He said: ¹⁹Your glory, O Israel, lies slain upon your high places! How the mighty have fallen! ²⁰Tell it not in Gath, proclaim it not in the streets of Ashkelon; or the daughters of the Philistines will rejoice, the daughters of the uncircumcised will exult. ²¹You mountains of Gilboa, let there be no dew or rain upon you, nor bounteous fields! For there the shield of the mighty was defiled, the shield of Saul, anointed with oil no more. ²²From the blood of the slain, from the fat of the mighty, the bow of Jonathan did not turn back, nor the sword of Saul return empty. ²³Saul and Jonathan, beloved and lovely! In life and in death they were not divided; they were swifter than eagles, they were stronger than lions. ²⁴O daughters of Israel, weep over Saul, who clothed you with crimson, in luxury, who put ornaments of gold on your apparel. ²⁵How the mighty have fallen in the midst of the battle! Jonathan lies slain upon your high places. ²⁶I am distressed for you, my brother Jonathan; greatly beloved were you to me; your love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women. ²⁷How the mighty have fallen, and the weapons of war perished!

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL LESSON Our Gospel Lesson comes from Mark 5:21-43 you may follow along in your pew Bibles on pages 39-40 of the New Testament

Mark 5:21-43

²¹When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea. ²²Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet ²³and begged him repeatedly, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live."

²⁴So he went with him. And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. ²⁵Now there was a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years. ²⁶She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. ²⁷She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, ²⁸for she said, "If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well." ²⁹Immediately her hemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. ³⁰Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my clothes?" ³¹And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, 'Who touched me?'" ³²He looked all around to see who had done it. ³³But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. ³⁴He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease."

³⁵While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?" ³⁶But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, "Do not fear, only believe." ³⁷He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. ³⁸When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. ³⁹When he had entered, he said to them, "Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping." ⁴⁰And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. ⁴¹He took her by the hand and said to her, "Talitha cum," which means, "Little girl, get up!" ⁴²And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. ⁴³He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Rev. Janet Boyanton

Those who are able, please stand and join with me in singing:

***HYMN** No. 343 *“Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life”* GERMANY

Please join me in Affirmation of Faith as it is printed in your bulletin.

***AFFIRMATION** The Apostles’ Creed (Traditional)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 581 *“Glory Be to the Father”* GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end, Amen, amen.**

You may be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS It is time for announcements, does anybody have an announcement they would like to make?

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY And now it is time for our Prayer Concerns and Celebrations. Does anybody have anything they would like to share?

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

OFFERTORY:

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 606 *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Let us come to God with our prayer of Thanksgiving

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Lord, we thank You for this day and for all the gifts we have been given. Teach us to use Your gifts wisely and enjoy Your presence in the world You have given us. In Christ's name, Amen.

Our last Hymn today is:

*** HYMN** No. 187 "*Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*" BRADBURY

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE:**

Hymn No. 611 "*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*" vs. 3 HYMN TO JOY

Mor – tals, join the hap – py cho – rus which the morning stars be -gan.

Love di – vine is reign – ing o'er us, join – ing all in heav – en's plan.

Ev – er sing – ing, march we on – ward, vic – tors in the midst of strife.

Joy – ful mu – sic leads us sun – ward in the tri – umph song of life.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***POSTLUDE:**

***Those who are able may stand.**

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CLOTHES FOR THE NEEDY AND GLASSES FOR THE LIONS CLUB

We will continue to collect clothes for the needy and glasses for the Lions Club. Please bring in your donations and put them in the designated places in the Opportunity Corner.

HEARING ASSIST UNITS

Thanks to Barry Krueger we now have Hearing Assist Units. If you would like to use one, please see Barry before the Worship Service begins.

DESOTO FOOD PANTRY

DeSoto Food Pantry needs the help of the community to continue to feed the less fortunate in our city. The best way to help is through monetary donations. \$1 can buy as much as \$7 worth of food. They buy their food through the North Texas Food Bank, so it is much cheaper than buying food at a grocery store. However, all donations are welcome and appreciated. Thank you to all that continue to donate to this great cause.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

THURSDAY

10:00 AM Art Group

NEXT SUNDAY

10:30 AM Adult Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service with Communion

PRAYER CONCERNS

Our Leaders

Our Presbytery, our church, our Session

Our Troops

Joe and Lorrinda Alexander

Thomas Alexander – please continue to pray

Jim Glander

Martha Brashear – continued prayers

The church and nation of Ukraine

Makia's people in Cameroon

Gene Knox and Jewell Victorino

DeSoto Food Pantry

Prayers for the people in Nigeria

Max Jewell is at home, but needs our continued prayers as he is still recovering

Chikezie is very weak

Bryan's mom

Christians in Pakistan

Janet

The Israel-Hamas War

Prayers for those who are hungry and without clean drinking water

People all over the world are hungry, not just for food, but for the word of God.

Joan Christy is still recovering in a nursing/rehabilitation home.

A huge tree fell on the Boyanton's roof and did some damage to the roof. In addition to that happening, they also lost electricity

Alice Anne has a good friend, Jeremy, who is in the hospital and needs our prayers

Makia and Mireille's niece is looking for a job in this area

The family of Carolyn Ladyman, she passed away

Steven Kahill, a friend of Thomas', recently lost his father

Steve Perry has an infection on his leg and is in the VA Hospital

CELEBRATIONS

Mireille thanks the congregation for the prayers for her brother-in-law, he will be buried soon in Cameroon

Happy Father's Day to all our dads

Mireille and Makia welcome their niece Patricia who is visiting them

Elizabeth is happy to have her son Jim here