

Fourth

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, July 10, 2016
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

Welcome

Prelude

“Le Cygne”
Hrant Parsamian, cello; Anna Odell, harp

Camille Saint-Saëns

*Congregational Introit

“Plead, Lord, Against Contending Foes”
Plead, Lord, against contending foes,
And fight with them who fight with me.
Take hold of buckler and of shield;
Rise up and my defender be.
~Psalm 35:1-2

Hanover

*Call to Worship

*Prayer of Invocation

*Hymn No. 455

“Come, All Christians, Be Committed”

Beach Spring

Sharing of Family News

Prayer of Intercession

8:00 Rev. Thomas Myrick

9:30 Rev. Ron Meyer

11:00 Dr. Robert Norris

Old Testament Reading

Ecclesiastes 3:9-13

page 554, pew Bible

*Hymn No. 450

“Lord, Speak to Me”

Canonbury

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

“Be Thou My Vision”
Summer Choir; Hrant Parsamian; Anna Odell, harp

arr. Dan Forrest

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart; naught be all else to me, save that Thou art.
Thou my best Thought, by day or by night, waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.
Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord;
Thou my great Father and I Thy true son; Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.
Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise: Thou mine inheritance, now and always;
Thou and Thou only the first in my heart, high King of heaven, my treasure Thou art.
High King of Heaven, my victory won, may I reach Heaven's joys, O bright Heaven's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

***11:00—Hymn No. 624—Doxology**

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

New Testament Reading

Ephesians 6:5-9

page 979, pew Bible

Sermon

“Faith at Work”

Dr. Todd Smedley

19th in a series on the Book of Ephesians

***Hymn No. 379**

“Take My Life and Let It Be”

Hendon

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

***Invitation to Communion**

***Declaration of Faith—The Nicene Creed**

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father before all worlds, God from God, Light from Light, Very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father by whom all things were made;

Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary and was made man. And crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried, the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and sits on the right hand of God the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, His kingdom shall have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, and Giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; Who spoke by the prophets. And we believe in one catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

***Prayer of Confession**

Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before You our sinful nature, our shortcomings, and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your way, in wasting Your gifts, and in forgetting Your love. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, who are ashamed and sorry for all that displeases You. Teach us to hate our errors, cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins for the sake of Jesus Christ, Your own dear Son. Speak afresh to us the Gospel of Your grace, and remind us that if we confess our sins, You are faithful and just to forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. In Your Son is our salvation, in Your promises our hope. Take us for Your children and give us the Spirit of Your Son, and in the end receive us into Your glory, through Jesus Christ our only Savior. Amen.

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration and 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 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. Amen.

Distribution of the Elements of the Lord’s Supper

***Passing of the Peace**

***Communion Response**

“Communion Hymn”

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And so with thankfulness and faith we rise
To respond, and to remember
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ
As His body here on earth.
As we share in His suffering
We proclaim Christ will come again!
And we'll join in the feast of heaven
Around the table of the King.

***Benediction**

Postlude

“Trumpet Tune”

Frederick Swann

**Congregation standing, if able*

Participating Officer

8:00 Skip Gnehm

9:30 Joe Fisher

11:00 Doug Nyhus

Elders are available for prayer or ministry at the front of the Sanctuary at the conclusion of each service.

The rose on the organ celebrates births and adoptions within our family of faith.

Glenn Paul Frerichs was born on June 10, 2016, to David and Erin Frerichs.

The Sanctuary flowers are a ministry of the Flower Committee.

**The morning worship service is broadcast each Sunday at 11:00am locally on WAVA 105.1 FM
and worldwide by Internet streaming audio at www.wava.com.**

Hearing enhancement units are available for checkout in the Media Center
or ask an usher for assistance.

Tonight's Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

"Honey from the Rock"

Psalm 81

Dr. Robert Norris

Stewardship & Finance

GENERAL GIVING

Annual Budget	\$ 4,547,918
Year to Date Budget	\$ 1,897,225
Year to Date Received	\$ 1,973,004

Next Sunday, July 17

Morning Service

8:00, 9:30, 11:00am

"Fighting in His Strength"

Ephesians 6:10-17

Dr. Todd Smedley

Deacon's Offering will be received at all morning services.

Evening Service

6pm in the Sanctuary

"A Song of Humility and Hope"

Psalm 131

Rev. Robert Yancey

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

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