



SUNDAY, JUNE 9, 2019
Morning Worship | 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

Proclaiming Christ | Delighting in His Grace | Sharing in His Mission

WELCOME

PRELUDE

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”
Jubilate Quartet

Martin Luther
arr. Catherine McMichael

*CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

“That One Is Ever Blest”

Diademata

That one is ever blest who shuns the sinners’ ways,
Among their councils never stands, nor takes a scorner’s place:
But makes the law of God a study and delight
Amid the labors of the day and watches of the night.

Psalm 1:1-2

*CALL TO WORSHIP

The Triune God calls his church to worship him

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Asking God to attend and bless the worship of his people

*HYMN NO. 18

“Come, We That Love the Lord”

St. Thomas

*SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Acknowledging our sins before our Holy God and seeking his forgiveness in Christ

*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION

For your name’s sake, O Lord, pardon our iniquity, for it is great. Countless evils have surrounded us and our sins have taken us captive so that we are unable to see you, others, or ourselves clearly. Our sins are more than the hairs on our head. Our sin-sick souls feel this weight and we long for you to lift the burden of our guilt. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are in desperate need of your forgiveness. Deliver us from all our sins and give us clean hearts that we may live with lightness of soul and freedom of spirit for your glory alone. For this we pray in the merciful name of Jesus Christ our Deliverer and Redeemer, Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The Lord’s declaration of our freedom from the guilt of sin and punishment of God’s law

SENIOR PASTOR Dr. Todd M. Smedley
PASTORS Rev. Corey Gray | Rev. Ron Meyer | Rev. Thomas Myrick | Dr. Robert Norris

*HYMN OF THANKS

“All Praise and Thanks to God”

Nun Danket

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
The Son and Spirit blest, who reign in highest heaven;
The one eternal God, whom heaven and earth adore;
For thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.

SACRAMENT OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM

SHARING OF FAMILY NEWS

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND LORD’S PRAYER

8:00 *Dr. Robert Norris*

9:30 *Rev. Thomas Myrick*

11:00 *Rev. Ron Meyer*

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.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 13:22–30

page 873, pew Bible

8:00 *Ted Voorhees*

9:30 *Carol Kaminski*

11:00 *Trish Berne*

*HYMN NO. 377

“Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken”

Ellesdie

GIVING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

8:00 *Tim Perrin*

9:30 *Jeff Hearle*

11:00 *Greg Glenn*

OFFERTORY

“I Want Jesus to Walk with Me”

traditional spiritual

Valerie Simonsen, soprano; Fred Markey, accompanist

arr. Moses Hogan

I want Jesus to walk with me.

I want Jesus to walk with me

All along my pilgrim journey.

Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

In my trials, Lord, walk with me.

In my trials, Lord, walk with me

When my heart is almost breaking.

Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

When I’m troubled, Lord, walk with me.

When I’m troubled, Lord, walk with me.

Lord, when my head is bowed in sorrow,

Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

11:00 PRAYER FOR CHILDREN & DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN’S PROGRAMS

Children K–3rd grade may come forward. If your child is not wearing a registration name tag, please accompany your child.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalms 1:1–6

page 448, pew Bible

SERMON

“The Blessed Man”

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

1st in the series: “Summer Psalms”

*HYMN

“That Man Is Blest”

Meditation



1. That man is blest who, fear - ing God, from sin re - strains his
2. Yea, blest is he who makes God's law his por - tion and de -
3. That man is nour - ished like a tree set by the riv - er's
4. The wick - ed, like the driv - en chaff, are swept from off the
5. The Lord will guard the righ - teous well, their way to him is



feet, who will not stand with wick - ed men, who shuns the scorn - ers' seat.
light, and med - i - tates up - on that law with glad - ness day and night.
side; its leaf is green, its fruit is sure, and thus his works a - bide.
land; they shall not gath - er with the just, nor in the judg - ment stand.
known; the way of sin - ners, far from God, shall sure - ly be o'er - thrown.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR TEAM: ROMANIA
Adult and High School Teams: Ecuador

***BENEDICTION**

Pronouncing God's blessing on his people

POSTLUDE

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”
Fred Markey, organ

arr. Fred Markey

**Congregation standing as able*

An Elder and Women's Ministry representative are available for prayer at the front of the Sanctuary after each service.

Deacons provide assistance and prayer support to those in our congregation facing difficult circumstances.
Contact an individual deacon directly or call the deacons' phone line at 301-320-3600, x223.

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

To listen to a recording of the morning worship service, contact sundayservice@4thpres.org.

Sanctuary flowers are given in memory of Stephen Furgeson by his family.

WORSHIPING WITH CHILDREN

The presence of children is a gift to the Church and a reminder of God's covenant faithfulness. Parents, God put the wiggle in your children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome!

- Quietly explain the parts of the service and actions of the pastors, ushers, choir, etc.
- Sing the hymns, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn to worship by watching and following you.
- If you have to leave the service with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."

TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

"Save Us, O Lord!"

Mark 11:1-11

Rev. Thomas Myrick

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
will be celebrated.*

NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 16

MORNING SERVICE

8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

"King of the Nations"

Psalm 2

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

EVENING SERVICE

6:00 p.m.

"The Cursed Tree and Cleansed Temple"

Mark 11:12-33

Rev. Thomas Myrick

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will be celebrated.*

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

General Giving

Annual Budget \$ 4,942,614

Year-to-Date Received \$ 1,733,851

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