

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome and Announcements

Medora Hix

A Time for Prayer and Personal Meditation

Prelude

Andante

Couperin

Introit

O Come, Let Us Sing Unto the Lord

Moore

*Call to Worship

One: Jesus said, "I am the vine; you are the branches.

All: Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit.

One: Apart from me, you can do nothing."

All: Your word, O Lord, is truth; sanctify us in the truth.

*Hymn

God of Grace and God of Glory (vv. 1-3)

No. 307

*Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, you pardon all who turn to you. We confess our sin and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Give us grace to love what you command and desire what you promise, that in all the changes and chances of this uncertain world, our hearts may be surely fixed where true joys are to be found, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silent Confessions

*Kyrie

You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy

You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!

You are the Christ, giv-er of mer-cy!

You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!

*Assurance of Pardon

Welcome! We are truly glad that visitors, members and friends of Cary Presbyterian Church have joined us in worship today. To learn more about our congregation:

- Stop by the Welcome Center in the Narthex for information about our church, our programs, and our mission.
- Call the church office at 919-467-8700, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Visit our website at www.carypresbyterian.org and



Announcements

- **Fair Trade products are available TODAY:** coffee (ground, whole-bean, K cups; regular, decaffeinated), tea, olive oil, chocolate bars, and cocoa. If we are not out in front of the church, please look for our table outside Fellowship Hall before and after the worship service. (Location will mostly depend on the weather.) We accept cash, checks, and debit or credit cards. Thank you for helping us support Esperanza, the CPC Guatemala mission project!
- **There is a new SignUpGenius form for nursery caregivers,** active now through Labor Day at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f054aaba82cab9-cpcnursery1>.
- **Officer Nominations** — The CPC Nominating Team is now accepting nominations for Elders and Deacons. Forms are available in the Narthex or at <http://files.ctctcdn.com/79668b53401/d767b19c-0027-4e6d-b633-0a88753780f7.pdf>.
- **Esperanza Mission Trip 2016** — The deadline to join us on the Esperanza mission trip to Guatemala this summer is May 31! Contact Debbie Fritz or Medora Hix. We have two spots available.
- **Food, Friends & Fun** — All participants who will be helping with the Food, Friends & Fun program this summer are requested to attend the *orientation meeting and supper, Wednesday, June 1, 6:00 p.m.* at Greenwood Forest Baptist Church. Cary Presbyterian has been asked to provide sandwiches or the main course. Our partner churches are providing salads and desserts. *Please RSVP to Medora Hix at medora.hix@carypresbyterian.org.*
- **All Church Picnic** — The all-church Sunday School Picnic is next Sunday after worship on June 5. Please bring a side dish or dessert and \$3 per person for hotdogs/hamburgers. Cake will be provided to honor our High School graduates.

THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, May 29	9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Sunday School All Together Worship
Monday, May 30		HOLIDAY – CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday, May 31	6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts 232 (101/103/105) Learn Basic Spanish (102) CPC Green vs. NWCC Red (Thomas Brooks Park – Field 7) CPC White vs. St. Michael's Warriors (Thomas Brooks Park – Field 7)
Wednesday, June 1	6:00 p.m.	Food, Friends & Fun Orientation Potluck (Greenwood Forest Baptist Church)
Thursday, June 2	8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Generosity Team (102) CPC Green vs. Penny Rd. Nazarene (Middle Creek Park – Field 1) CPC White vs. Summit Warriors (Middle Creek Park – Field 4) Stephen Ministry (100/102/106/FH)
Friday, June 3	9:00 a.m.	Centering Prayer/Ronald Rolheiser's <i>The Holy Longing (P)</i>
Saturday, June 4	7:30 a.m.	Cancer Companions Training (FH)
Sunday, June 5	9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	Sunday School/Last Day Before Summer Break All Together Worship/ Communion by Intinction/ Recognition of Graduating Seniors All Church Picnic (Church Lawn) Seeing God in Your Cancer Journey (P)

Church Staff

The Rev. Dr. D. Kyle Allen, Pastor
The Rev. Lori Pistor, Transitional Pastor
The Rev. Dr. David V. Voss, Parish Associate
Medora B. Hix, Director of Christian Education
Angie H. Keith, Director of Preschool
Edward T. Yasick, Director of Music
Deb A. Bundesen, Office Manager
Barbara S. Carew, Finance Manager
Mandy L. Nester, Parish Nurse
Ron A. Norris, Building & Grounds Manager

CPC Elders

Class of 2016

Leah Burton
Melinda Crouse
Caroline Derifaj
Bob Hall
Dee Hatch
Justin Hancock
Ben Kadlec
Jennifer Simpson

Class of 2017

Al Hardie
Su Johnson
Brandon Keith
Boyce Oglesby
Conniesue Oldham
Melanie Phillips
Kecia Simmons
Tom Van Scoyoc

Class of 2018

Rhonda Carlile
Jeff Clark
Wendy Czika
Scott Patrick
Jerry Slaymaker
Cathy Williams

CPC Deacons

Class of 2016

Peg Giesbrecht
Paul Sausman
Jodie Spencer
Michael Spencer

Class of 2017

Todd Crouse
Teresa Amentt Jennings
Kim Riffle
Janet Robinette
Tom Stuart

***Response** *God of Grace and God of Glory (v. 4)* No. 307
*Save us from weak resignation
to the evils we deplore.
Let the gift of thy salvation
be our glory evermore.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
serving thee whom we adore,
serving thee whom we adore.*

***Passing of the Peace**

One: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you,
All: and also with you.
One: Let us share that peace with one another.

Time with the Children

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Reading *Matthew 13:10–17, 31–35* NT, p. 14

Old Testament Reading *Selections from Ecclesiastes*

One: This is the Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *Preachers and Parables* Dr. Voss

***Hymn** *We Are One in the Spirit* No. 300

Offering of Our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory Anthem *Declare the Glory Among the Nations* Larson
Chancel Choir

*(Please pause for a moment of silence to reflect on the
anthem that has just been offered in praise to God.)*

***Doxology** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* No. 609

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Joys and Concerns of the Church Family

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer Hymnal, p. 35

***Hymn** *For All the Saints (vv. 1–3)* No. 326

***Benediction**

One: And let all God's people joyfully say:
All: Alleluia! Amen!

***Response** *For All the Saints (v. 4)* No. 326

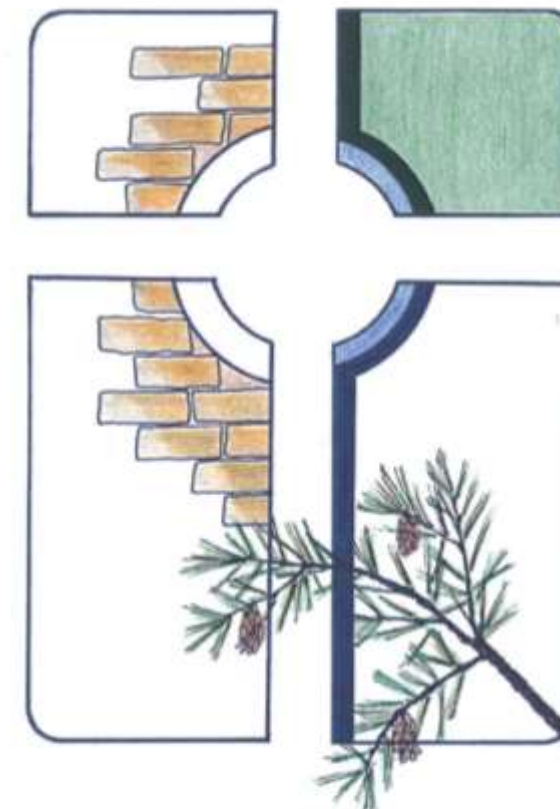
*And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long,
steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

***Postlude**

*Please remain standing until the acolyte and
worship leaders have left the Sanctuary.*

Acolyte: Noah Tomczak
Lay Reader: Leah Burton
Bus Driver: Wayne Honeycutt
Sound: John and Valerie Campbell
Greeter: Scott Walker

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ENGAGING EACH OTHER...
DISCOVERING OUR GIFTS...
GLORIFYING GOD.

11:00 AM MAY 29, 2016
2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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A Time for Prayer and Personal Meditation

*Human beings will always worship, seek the Holy together
in community, and gather as a family might gather, to
remember who they are, to recall their origins, and to
seek help in becoming all that they can be. In doing
these things, the church of the future will be born.*

John Shelby Spong