

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Welcome and Announcements

### A Time for Prayer and Personal Meditation

**Prelude** *Prelude in G Major* Kuhns

### \*Call to Worship

One: Show us your steadfast love, O Lord,

**All: and grant us your salvation.**

One: The Lord will speak peace to the faithful,

**All: to those who turn to God in their hearts.**

One: Surely salvation is at hand for those who fear the Lord,

**All: and God's grace will dwell in our land.**

\***Hymn** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! (vv. 1-3)* No. 1

### \*Call to Confession

One: The truth about us is this:

**All: we sin and fall short of the glory of God.**

One: Yet God promises to pour out grace upon us,

**All: giving us confidence to show ourselves as we are and be freed from shame.**

One: Trusting in God's mercy,

**All: let us confess our sins before God and one another.**

### \*Prayer of Confession

One: Ever-faithful God, how often we turn away from you;

**All: but you remain constant to us.**

One: We run from you,

**All: but you call us back.**

One: In our words and deeds, we dishonor you,

**All: but you still profess your love for us.**

One: We cut ourselves off from you and others,

**All: but you will not let us go.**

One: O God of grace and mercy,

**All: forgive our faithless and fickle ways and increase our gratitude and devotion to you; for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom we pray. Amen.**

*Silent Confessions*

\***Kyrie** *You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy*

***You are the Lord, giver of mercy!***

***You are the Christ, giver of mercy!***

***You are the Lord, giver of mercy!***

### \*Assurance of Forgiveness

**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](http://www.carypresbyterian.org) and



### Announcements

**Veggies Wanted** — If you have fresh vegetables in your garden and have enough to share, the Food, Friends & Fun program could use them each week for the lunches we provide for the children. Put them in the refrigerator in the church kitchen any time before Wednesday mornings. Along with the prepared lunches that the children receive when they are at CPC on Wednesdays, we are collecting non-perishable foods for them to take home. Please bring those items to the Narthex and put them in the large black can. We will be sure that these families receive this food.

**Comfort Food Potluck** — Cancer Companions would like to invite you to bring your favorite comfort food to share with the congregation for a potluck following worship next Sunday, July 31. We will be remembering those that have journeyed and are journeying through cancer.

Questions? Contact Su Johnson [su.johnson@sas.com](mailto:su.johnson@sas.com), Karen McMenamin [Karen.McMenamin@att.net](mailto:Karen.McMenamin@att.net), Ann Yerby [anneyerby@me.com](mailto:anneyerby@me.com) or Mandy Nester [mandynester@carypresbyterian.org](mailto:mandynester@carypresbyterian.org).

**Please join us for Fiesta de Esperanza** to be held at CPC on Saturday evening, August 27 to benefit our mission efforts in Guatemala. All tickets for the Fiesta will be presold, beginning next Sunday, July 31. Tickets will be \$20 for adults, \$10 for children ages 6-12, and free for those under 5. Put it on your calendar and plan to join us for an evening of fun and fellowship, fiesta-style!

**Children and Worship** will begin in September for children age 3½ through 6 who would ordinarily be in the nursery during worship. This is a real worship service! The look and feel is very similar to worship in the Sanctuary. Adult leaders are critical for this to happen with integrity, and they must be trained. We are offering the six hour training either on Sunday, August 21 (11:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.) or Saturday, September 10 (9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.). Angie Keith, Jen Pierce, and Medora Hix attended the training in June and found it to be inspiring, helpful, and pleasant, and we will be the leaders for CPC training. Our goal is to have 12–15 Worship Leaders and Greeters. More information about *Children and Worship* is available in the Narthex, or by video at <https://www.rca.org/resources/childrenandworship>

### THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Day	Time	Event
<b>Sunday, July 24</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	Guatemala Mission Trip <b>Worship</b>
<b>Monday, July 25</b>	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Session Meeting Page Turners Book Club (P)
<b>Tuesday, July 26</b>		Guatemala Mission Trip
<b>Wednesday, July 27</b>	9:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 7:15 p.m.	Food, Friends & Fun (Various) Coping Creatively with Cancer (L) Session Strategy Team (P)
<b>Thursday, July 28</b>	5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	Summer Mission Experience Caring Place (FH/Various) Financial Peace University (102)
<b>Friday, July 29</b>	9:00 a.m.	Summer Mission Experience Centering Prayer/Kathleen Norris's <i>Amazing Grace</i> (P)
<b>Saturday, July 30</b>	9:30 a.m.	Library Team (L)
<b>Sunday, July 31</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b> 11:00 a.m.	<b>All Together Worship/ Cancer Awareness Sunday</b> Cancer Companions/Health Ministry Sponsored Fellowship/Comfort Food Potluck

### 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** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! (v. 4)* No. 1  
***Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!***  
***All thy works shall praise thy name,***  
***in earth and sky and sea.***  
***Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!***  
***God in three persons, blessed Trinity!***

**\*Sharing the Peace of Christ**

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**

**Scripture Reading**

**Old Testament Reading** *Psalm 85:4-13* OT, p. 543

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

**Gospel Reading** *Luke 11:1-13* NT, p. 72

**Sermon** *Persistence* Dr. Allen

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

adapted from *The Confession of 1967, Inclusive Language Version*

One: God instructs the church and equips it for mission  
**All: through the preaching and teaching of Jesus Christ.**  
 One: The church responds to Christ's message of reconciliation  
**All: in praise and prayer.**  
 One: In that response, the church commits itself afresh to its mission, experiences the deepening of faith and obedience,  
**All: and bears open testimony to the gospel.**  
 One: Petitions and intercessions are addressed to God for the continuation of divine goodness,  
**All: the healing of human ills, and deliverance from every form of oppression.**  
 One: Now to God, who is able to do far more abundantly than all we ask or think,  
**All: be all glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen.**

**\*Hymn** *Seek Ye First* No. 175

**Offering of Our Tithes and Gifts**

**Offertory** *Open My Eyes, That I May See* Scott  
 Sam Witherspoon, Tenor

**\*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!***

**Joys and Concerns of the Church Family**

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

**\*Hymn** *There Is a Place of Quiet Rest (vv. 1 & 2)* No. 824

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Response** *There Is a Place of Quiet Rest (v. 3)* No. 824

***There is a place of full release, near to the heart of God,***  
***a place where all is joy and peace, near to the heart of God.***  
***O Jesus, blest Redeemer, sent from the heart of God,***  
***hold us, who wait before thee, near to the heart of God.***

**\*Postlude** *Postlude in E* Rinck

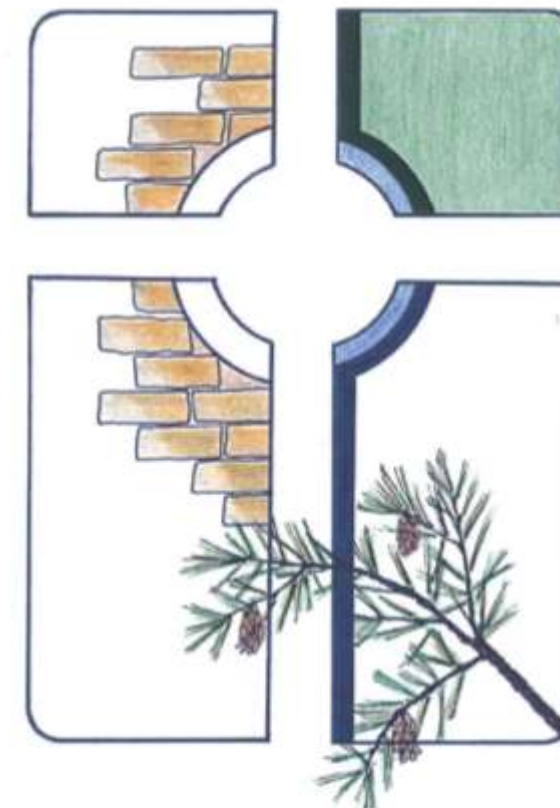
*Please remain standing until the acolyte and worship leaders have left the Sanctuary.*

**Acolyte:** Jordan Short  
**Lay Reader:** Valerie Short  
**Bus Driver:** Allan Cain  
**Sound:** Sam Witherspoon  
**Greeter:** Barbara Carew  
**Counters:** Rowena Morrison and Jane Dunbar



*The flowers are given by Jim and Barbara Turner to the glory of God and in loving memory of George Dow, Barbara's father.*

*Please remember that the CPC Sanctuary is a quiet and meaningful place for prayer and meditation, open every work day 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. in addition to worship on Sunday mornings.*



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

10:00 AM JULY 24, 2016  
 10<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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 Harry Emerson Fosdick