

THE APOSTLES' CREED

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.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER 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 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.

THE HANDBELL OFFERTORY

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

William B. Bradbury;
arr. Arnold Sherman

*THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OLD HUNDREDTH

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

*THE HYMN 434

Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples

KINGSFOLD

*THE MUSIC BENEDICTION

Peace
Nan Nowell, alto

arr. John F. Wilson

*THE CHORAL RESPONSE

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow

TALLIS' CANON

*THE POSTLUDE

Improvisation

Jonathan Crutchfield



June 26, 2016
11 a.m. Worship

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Thank you for making sure your cell phone is off during the worship hour.

THE GATHERING

Drew Stockstill

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE PRELUDE

"Holy, Holy, Holy" arr. Marilyn Ham
Derek Matthews, piano

***THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord; praise be the name of the Lord.

People: **Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time on and forever more. From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the Lord is to be praised.**

Leader: The Lord is high above all nations, and God's glory above the heavens. Who is like the Lord our God, who is seated on high, who looks far down on the heavens and the earth?

People: **God raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to make them sit with princes, with the princes of his people. The Lord gives the barren woman a home, making her the joyous mother of children. Praise the Lord.**

Leader: Let us worship God, our creator, redeemer and sustainer. Amen. -Psalm 113

***THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 476** *O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!* LYONS

THE CALL TO CONFESSION**THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Holy God, you are the good master. You alone can do exceedingly abundantly more than that we could ever ask or imagine. To you alone belong all glory and honor in the church forevermore. And you call us to follow you. Too often we fail to register the goodness and mercy implicit in that calling. And far too often, we are mute where good words might make all the difference. Forgive the ease with which we turn aside for other plans. Forgive our ability to settle for less than the calling that you have laid before us. Open our lips that we may sing forth your praise. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray, Amen.

A MOMENT OF SILENCE *(for examination of conscience and personal prayers of confession)*

**(The asterisk indicates parts of the worship when the congregation is invited to stand as they are able.)*

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound?

People: **By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it?**

Leader: Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?

People: **Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the father, so we too might walk in newness of life.**

Leader: Believe the promise of the gospel:

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.** -Romans 6:1-4

***THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

(Hymn No. 478)

Praise Him for His grace and favor to His people in distress; praise Him, still the same as ever, slow to chide, and swift to bless; Alleluia! Alleluia! Glorious in His faithfulness.

THE PEACE OF CHRIST*THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH**

(Visitors and members are invited to sign the blue friendship register pad and pass it down the pew.)

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

People: **With joy and thanksgiving we welcome this child into Christ's church. We are the family of God for we are all one in Christ.**

THE BAPTISMAL RESPONSE *We Know That Christ Is Raised* ENGELBERG

THE FIRST LESSON Hosea 1:2-10 (page 787 in the pew Bible, OT)

THE MUSICAL OFFERING *Morning Has Broken* arr. Arnold Sherman
The Handbell Choir; Taylor Morton, percussion (Jeff Peters, director)

THE SECOND LESSON Luke 9:51-62 (page 66 in the pew Bible, NT)

THE SERMON *When You Say You Will Follow...* Baron Mullis

***THE HYMN (SEE INSERT)** *Lord, You have Come to the Lakeshore* PESCADOR DE HOMBRES
(Soloist sings Verse 1. Join on verse 2)

ELDER ON CALL: Alex Watts 404.550.9315

DEACON ON CALL: Sanda Means 404.345.7804

USHERS: Callie and David Stewart, Carolyn and Peter Cobb

GREETERS: Betsy Holland, Gail Kitchens, Carol Senf

COUNTERS: Kim Nuckols and Martin Dunlap

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION HOST: Lynn Young

INFANT/TODDLER VOLUNTEERS: Lauren Fairleigh, Ellen Stockstill

TWOS/THREES VOLUNTEER: Tish Woolley

RISING PREK AND KINDERGARTEN: Ali Broadway and Sarah Beth Gehl

RISING 1ST-5TH GRADE: Brooke Williams and Amy Millard

FELLOWSHIP: Session—Sandra Ward Coordinating

Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
- Philippians 4:6-7

Keep in your prayers...

Jill Aleong
Jenna Bach (step-sister of Katy Watt's)
Glenn and Rita Balzer (Lloyd Prince's friends)
Georg Becker
Felecia Binns
Connie Crowley (Hugh Bell's sister-in-law)
Hamilton family (friends of the Nuckols)
Walter Gilbert (Patrick Gilbert's father)
Ann Herndon (Will's mother)
Penny Hill (Executive Presbyter)
Charlotte Hudson (Jeff Adams' mother)
Friends and relatives of Linda Johnson: Kaitlin Andry, Melanie Donnelly, Ellen Hardeman, Ron and Ann Reggio, Peggy Johnson Smith, Warren Johnson, Sr.
Timothy Johnson (Hugh Bell's friend)
Annette Lowery (David Lowery's mother)
Irene Mahood
Marcy Meredith
Jan McMahan
Baron Mullis
Judy Neal
Marilyn Neforas (Hugh Bell's friend)

Anthony Owens
Lin Parker (friend of Nancy Coomes)
Karen Peterson and family (friend of Daisy Ottmann)
Betty Ray
Peter Regnault (Phil Regnault's father)
Bus and Carmen Ryan (Tyler Ryan's parents)
Ed Sanders (Holly Greene's stepfather)
Carlene Sauer (Kasey and Stephanie Libby's family member)
Helen and Charles Schroder
Jim Scullin (cousin of Daisy Ottmann)
Kent Smith (Hugh Bell's friend)
Kathie Stephens (Lester Morris' aunt)
George Tate
Rhonda Tebbenkamp and Family (relatives of the Behms)
John Vytal (Katy Watt's father)
Marty Wender (Phil Regnault's friend)
John Young

WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY

Welcome to worship at Morningside Presbyterian Church.

Baron Mullis, Senior Pastor is our preacher, **Drew Stockstill, Associate Pastor**, is our liturgist.

- Large print hymnals and Bibles as well as hearing aids are available; ushers will gladly assist.
- Please complete the information in the Friendship Pad at the end of the pews and pass the pads down and back again during the **Concerns** portion of worship.
- Children are welcome and encouraged in worship every Sunday. Should your child grow restless during the service they are invited to exit the sanctuary **after the baptism** to attend Sunday School.
- Preschool children-Room 011.
- Nursery care during the Sunday School and worship hours is available for Infants in Room 105, and in Room 012 for Toddlers and Two's.
- Worship bags are available for all children in the narthex.

FLOWER TRIBUTE

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and to celebrate the birth of Ida Josephine Ringenberg-Means, granddaughter of Sanda and Bill Means.

BAPTISM TODAY

Margaret Louise Loring, daughter of Julie and Jason Loring, will receive the sacrament of baptism this morning.

WHAT DOES OUR MUSIC FEATURE?

Today's worship music features traditional Gaelic and American hymns arranged for handbells and handchimes by Arnold Sherman. *Morning Has Broken* incorporates keyboards, triangles, and wind chimes to

feature lilting melodic figures and gentle rhythms throughout the beloved hymn and well-known Gaelic melody. *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* was composed by American musician William B. Bradbury in 1859. Sherman's arrangement offers a flowing, peaceful presentation of this beloved hymn tune.

OUR SYMPATHY TO

Morningside members, Ellen Landers, who lost her father, and Gloria Joiner, who lost her brother.

DAILY BREAD DEVOTIONALS

New "Daily Bread" devotionals are now available in the Welcome Center and Narthex. Please feel free to take one with you.

CLARKESVILLE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

This past week twelve youth and four adult advisors went to Clarkesville, GA for a mission trip. They were successful at leading a week long mission trip along with aiding in home repairs. Thank you for keeping our missionaries in your prayers.

ONGOING CAPITAL CAMPAIGN RENOVATIONS

WOW! Children's Ministry renovations were completed before the start of VBS! The children and volunteers enjoyed the new children's ministry classroom makeover. Only the punch-list and a few minor details remain. The unisex restrooms will be completed and ready for use within a couple of weeks.

With hot weather upon us, our top priority is to ensure that the preschool children remain cool this fall. The next phase of work is installation of the preschool HVAC systems. This work will begin in early July and be completed prior to the start of fall Preschool programs.

TODDLER OPENING FOR 2016-2017

MPP has a family moving and has one opening for a Toddler this coming school year. Toddlers must be 15 months by Thursday, September 1. Contact Director Melinda Sandkam today if you are interested. Please be sure to tell your friends and neighbors. The Toddler program is Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

SPECIAL THANKS FROM VBS

We are truly grateful for all who volunteered for Vacation Bible School. You gave your time and talents in gearing up for VBS. The children had a great time encountering God's awesomeness! Thank you!

YOGA AND WEIGHTS CONTINUES

Instructor Pam Sharpe, a fitness professional for over 35 years, is offering yoga classes here at Morningside! Come out and experience Gentle Yoga which will begin on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. in room 201, and Weights, which will be held on Thursdays at 11 a.m. in room 201. For any questions or additional information, please email Pam yogapam@bellsouth.net.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED

We are in need of volunteers to help out in the pantry at ICM Saturday, July 9th. Hours are 10 a.m.—1 p.m. at Druid Hills United Methodist on Ponce de Leon. Responsibilities will include greeting and interviewing guests for food needs, packing groceries, and distributing them to the needy guests. Contact Laura Ulep at lauraulep@gmail.com if you would like to help.

MPP SUMMER CAMP IS IN WEEK 4

Details about camps and registration forms can be found on the preschool pages at www.morningsidepc.org. Those who have completed the Toddler, Twos, Threes and PreK years are welcome. There are a few openings for

most age groups each week. Contact Director Melinda Sandkam at mpp@morningsidepc.org to sign up.

GALA CONCERT AUGUST 20

We are calling all children, youth and adults who are interested in being a part of an amazing concert! This year's Gala concert will include choirs of every age singing the music of Rodgers and Hammerstein. Those wanting to sing in the Gala concert should contact Jonathan Crutchfield jcrutchfield@morningsidepc.org TODAY. Children's rehearsals are Wednesdays, July 27, August 3 and 10. Dress rehearsals are August 17 and 19 for full cast and singers. The concert is Saturday, August 20. Youth and adults will rehearse with the Chancel Choir on Wednesdays beginning June 22. This is an event you won't want to miss!

INTOWN'S CLOTHING CLOSET

ICM needs supplies at its Clothing Closet! They offer interview, work, and casual clothing (for men and women) and are located on the back side of Druid Hills Presbyterian Church (1026 Ponce de Leon Ave). Clothing donations can be dropped off Mondays from 10:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or by appointment with Rev. Allen at allen@intowncm.org. Needed items include: shirts, t-shirts, pants, underwear, white socks, casual shoes, sweaters and hoodies, sweatshirts and pants.

MORE OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE:

Interested in volunteering with LGBT & Friends, or fellow Morningside members? If so, there are community service opportunities currently available with Habitat for Humanity as well as Intown Collaborative Ministries throughout 2016. Please let Ben Hammett Walkuski know if you're interested or would like more information: bwalkuski@gmail.com.

Faith Development at Morningside

ADULT

Ellen and Drew Stockstill continue a 6 week study in room 201, on Frances Taylor Gench's book, *Encountering God in Tyrannical Texts: Reflections on Paul, Women, and the Authority of Scripture*.

CHILDREN

Preschool and Elementary children will continue to hear the story of Noah and God's rainbow promise, and learn how God loves us and will take care of us.

THIS WEEK AT MORNINGSIDE

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

9:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation
9:45 a.m. Faith Development Class
11 a.m. Worship/Baptism/Handbells
12 noon Fellowship

MONDAY, JUNE 27

7 p.m. Mandolin Society; Parliamentarians

TUESDAY, JUNE 28

11 a.m. Yoga
2:15 p.m. Parkinson Tai Chi
4:30 p.m. Tai Chi
6:30 p.m. Weight Watchers

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

7 p.m. Gala Singers Rehearsal

THURSDAY, JUNE 30

11 a.m. Fun with Weights

FRIDAY, JULY 1

SATURDAY, JULY 2

9 a.m. Women's AA Meeting

SUNDAY, JULY 3

9:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation
9:45 a.m. Faith Development Class
11 a.m. Worship
12 noon Fellowship

Giving Update—06/19/16

NEEDED WEEKLY—\$15,650

RECEIVED—\$10,793

NEEDED YEAR TO DATE—\$391,250

RECEIVED YEAR TO DATE—\$338,211

Attendance Update

WORSHIP COUNT —173