

*** 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 PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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 OFFERTORY

Partita on "O Gott, du frommer Gott"

J.S. Bach

*** THE DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

(Hymn 592)

*** THE HYMN 376**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (verses 1, 2 and 4)

*** THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

*** THE CHORAL RESPONSE**

Al Shlosa D'Varim

Allan Naplan

(sung in Hebrew)

The world is sustained by three things: by truth, by justice, and by peace.



Morningside
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 30, 2013

11 a.m. Worship

Baron Mullis, Pastor

Drew Stockstill, Minister of Young Adults & Adult Education

Walter Huff, Organist/Choirmaster

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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

Walter Huff, organist

*** THE CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord; I will remember your wonders of old.

People: **I will meditate on all your work, and muse on your mighty deeds.**

Leader: Your way, O God, is holy. What god is so great as our God?

People: **You are the God who works wonders; you have displayed your might among the peoples.**

Leader: Let us worship the Lord our God, who creates, redeems and sustains us.

- Psalm 77:11-14

*** THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 482** *Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty*

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

God of holiness, our sin is before us. In our baptism, you declare that we are free of sin and created for new life. And yet, we know that we have not lived up to our baptism. We have not forsaken the ways of sin. We have lingered in doubt and fear and allowed them to shape who we are rather than taking our identity from your eternal grace. Forgive our willingness to take on once more the bonds from which you have freed us. Forgive us, we pray, and remake and renew us, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ 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. Believe the promise of the gospel:**

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

*** THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

(Hymn 210)

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received its frame, from everlasting Thou art God, to endless years the same.

*** THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

*(Children ages 3-10 are invited to leave after the **Peace of Christ** for special classes. Threes, fours & fives are in Room 011; K-2nd grade in Room 003; 3rd-5th grade are in Room 005.)*

THE CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

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

THE FIRST LESSON

Galatians 5:1; 13-25

(page 179 in the pew Bible, NT)

THE ANTHEM*Be Thou My Vision*

Irish melody, arr. Alice Parker

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; nought 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, I thy true son; Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one. Riches I heed not, nor vain, empty praise, Thou mine inheritance, now and always: Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art. High King of heaven, my victory won, may I reach heaven's joy, O bright heaven's sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

THE SECOND LESSON

Luke 9:51-62

(page 66 in the pew Bible, NT)

THE SERMON*“For Freedom”*

Baron Mullis

*** THE HYMN 366***Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me*

Children are always welcome in the Sanctuary during worship. Should you find that your child grows restless, there is child care available. Infants are cared for in the Nursery in Room 105, toddlers 18 months through two years in Room 012.

ELDER ON CALL: Michael Perez 404.483.4465

DEACON ON CALL: Katherine Johnston 678.641.7630

USHERS: Amy Jensen, Robert Gray, Guerry and Michelle Mashburn

GREETERS: Cindy Humphries, Curt Barrett, Glenn Small

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION HOST: Brenda Fishpaw

COUNTERS: Martin Dunlap, Debbie Fox

INFANT VOLUNTEER: Lisa Harris

2s VOLUNTEER: Betsy Holland

3s, 4s, & 5s VOLUNTEER: Mary Chapman

K-2nd GRADE VOLUNTEER: Melanie Davidson

3rd-5th GRADE VOLUNTEER: Diana Cochran

FELLOWSHIP: Dale Glendening and friends

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...

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| Irless Aviles | Finley Holaway |
| Sue Ballay | Jean Joiner (Gloria Joiner's sister-in-law) |
| Becky Carlisle | Jan McMahan |
| Grier Christenbury | Robert Marshall |
| Jackie Cleveland | Taylor Marshall |
| Tom Franks (Alex Watts' uncle) | Alan Nichols |
| John Hawkins | Emil Sanders |
| Ann Herndon (Will's mother) | Chuck Thagard (Grayson Thagard's father) |
| | John Vytal (Katie Watts' father) |
| | Katrina Weis |

Please submit prayer requests using the prayer cards in the pew racks.

WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY

Welcome to worship at Morningside Presbyterian Church. 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. Worship notebooks and books for children are located in the library. Nursery for infants is in Room 105; toddlers 18 months through 2 years are in Room 012. Children ages 3-10 are invited to leave after the **Peace of Christ** for special classes. Threes, fours & fives are in Room 011; K-2nd grade in Room 003; 3rd-5th grade in Room 005.

CONGRATULATIONS TO GUEST CHORISTERS

Check out the new faces in the Chancel Choir today! Nine Morningside members plus our senior pastor signed up for our third annual "Sing with the Choir" Sunday. They rehearsed with the choir last Wednesday and are ready to raise their voices in song today. Congratulations to John Blevins, Peter Chatel, Brenda Fishpaw, Ashley Hoffman, Bill Humphries, Baron Mullis, Daisy Ottmann, Leslie Prince, David Terry, and Katrina Weis.

CONGRATULATIONS WALTER HUFF

Walter has accepted an appointment to the faculty of the Jacobs School of Music at Indiana University as an associate professor of Choral Conducting. This full-time appointment means that Walter's tenure as Organist/Choirmaster at Morningside will conclude on Sunday, August 18th. We will have many opportunities to express our deep gratitude to Walter for his 25 years of service to our congregation. Walter is advising our Human Re-

sources team as we seek an interim director of music. A committee has been selected by HR to seek Walter's successor. That committee is comprised of Tami Giusto, Julie Green, Philip Hawkins, Bill Humphries, Rob Payne, Caroline Tanner, Trenton Tunnell and Sheryl Wingert, with Baron serving as an ex-officio member. Please pray for this search committee as they begin their work. For more IU information visit <http://info.music.indiana.edu/web/page/normal/24346.html>.

WELCOME HOME BASKETS

Support our collection of items to assemble baskets of household goods for the men of Clifton. The men receive these baskets when they move into a new home so they are able to fill their pantries and cabinets with essentials. Please claim requests for items from the Welcome Center display and place your donated items in the baskets by July 21. Contact David or Katherine Johnston dmjohnst@gmail.com, kecjohnston@gmail.com with questions.

BACK2SCHOOL WITH GJP

The Georgia Justice Project will host its annual back-to-school fair 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 13 at a community center four blocks from Turner Field. New backpacks and school supplies are given to the families of GJP's judicial clients, so that the kids are ready for a new school year. Sign up on the mission bulletin board or contact MPC Shepherd Bill Means billmeans@bellsouth.net or 404.234.9718 to help set up games and supervise activities, serve lunch, and be a friendly face to the families.

GO GET YOUR NAMETAG!

Don't forget to wear your name tags on Sundays, including downstairs to Fellowship Hall, as it helps us all get to know each other. Your nametag is either on the kiosk right outside the sanctuary doors in the narthex, or if you usually park in the preschool parking lot, you may find your nametag on the board just inside the building in the preschool wing.

MISSION CAMP

Our fifth year of *It's Not All About Me* Mission Camp is July 22-26 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, with an overnight adventure to Len Foote Hike Inn on Thursday. This hands-on experience with mission includes outreach to children and seniors, the environment and animals, and many who are facing hunger or homelessness here in Atlanta. With daily outings for 28, we need lots of volunteers to chaperone and drive, and also dedicated overnight leaders willing to hike in and out to Len Foote. Please contact Melinda Sandkam to volunteer or you can sign up on the bulletin board across from the office.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

A flower calendar is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway outside the Session Room, and if you wish to give flowers in honor or in memory of a loved one, we invite you to write your name and phone number next to the desired date. It is possible to share a date with other members if you want to give one arrangement or you may sign up alone to give both arrange-

ments. Contact Anna Best in the church office office@morningsidepc.org for more information.

SAVE THE DATE!

It's not too soon to mark off October 25-27 on your calendar and plan to get away to cool and lovely Montreat, NC, for our fifth annual all-church retreat featuring speaker Tom Long! Each year, it's been an event to remember for the whole family. Watch for details in the next couple of months. Contact Mary Chapman with any questions chapman.maryv@gmail.com.



Giving/Attendance Update

WORSHIP COUNT 06/23/13 — 161

NEEDED WEEKLY—\$15,577

RECEIVED 06/23/13 —\$28,640

NEEDED YEAR TO DATE —\$389,423

RECEIVED YEAR TO DATE —\$367,855

In case of an emergency or urgent pastoral need, please call **BARON MULLIS** 404.876.7396 x11, 404.398.3118 or **DREW STOCKSTILL** 404.876.7396 x 14, 229.224.5557. You may also contact the elder or deacon on call listed on the back of this section.

Christian Education at Morningside

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS—9:45 A.M. IN ROOM 201 LED BY DREW STOCKSTILL

Next Sunday, July 7, we will return to our study of the Gospel of Matthew, looking specifically at Chapter 21 and Jesus and his disciples' entry into Jerusalem. All are welcome.

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Today the Preschool class will learn how Eli helped young Samuel hear God in the story *Samuel, Samuel!* Elementary grades will learn that it is not the size of the gift, but the heart of the giver that is important, as they read the story of the woman who gave all she had to God.

This Week at Morningside

SUNDAY, JUNE 30

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

9:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation

9:45 a.m. Church School

11 a.m. Worship/Sing with the Choir

12 noon Fellowship

7:30 p.m. Meditation Group

MONDAY, JULY 1

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

MPP Camp

7 p.m. Mandolin Society

TUESDAY, JULY 2

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

MPP Camp

11 a.m. Yoga

2:15 p.m. Tai Chi

6:30 p.m. Weight Watchers

7:30 p.m. MLPA Zoning

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

MPP Camp

THURSDAY, JULY 4

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

The Church Office will be closed in observance of the 4th of July

FRIDAY, JULY 5

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

MPP Camp

SATURDAY, JULY 6

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

9 a.m. AA Meeting

SUNDAY, JULY 7

Clifton Welcome Home Basket Collection

9:30 a.m. Coffee and Conversation

9:45 a.m. Church School

11 a.m. Worship with Communion

12 noon Fellowship

7:30 p.m. Meditation Group