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SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE 10:00 A.M.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY July 8, 2018

GATHERING

WELCOME Dr. Steve Eason

PRELUDE Surely the Presence arr. Mark Hayes

OPPORTUNITIES FOR DISCIPLESHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made.

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

* HYMN OF PRAISE **#561** My

My Country, 'Tis of Thee

AMERICA

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

Rev. Mark Lampley

Holy God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, and we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us, and please forgive, that we may finally and fully learn to live in dignity and unity, integrity and harmony, delighting in your will and walking your ways, to the glory of your name. Lord, have mercy. Through Christ we pray, Amen.

- * ASSURANCE OF PARDON
- * ACT OF PRAISE #417, vs. 4 (Congregation sings.)

REGENT SQUARE

Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son, Laud and honor to the Spirit, ever three and ever one; One in might and one in glory while unending ages run.

* PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

(As the children come forward, the congregation shall sing "Jesus Loves Me!")

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to Him belong, they are weak, but He is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

(Children age four through first grade meet Children & Worship greeters. Children should be picked up below the Sanctuary after the service.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT Psalm 29 Pew Bible, p. 504

Leader: The Word of the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God.

SOLO Make Me a Channel of Your Peace arr. Lloyd Larson

Jack Francis, tenor

NEW TESTAMENT Galatians 5:22-25 Pew Bible, p. 191

Leader: The Word of the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Fruit of the Spirit: Peace" Dr. Steve Eason

HYMN #322 (seated) Spirit of the Living God LIVING GOD

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me; Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.

RESPONDING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Rachel Hamburger

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 OFFERING

Attendance registers are in the pews, next to the center aisle. Please sign and pass them on to the person sitting next to you.

OFFERTORY I Know Whom I Have Believed arr. Lloyd Larson

* DOXOLOGY (Congregation sings.)

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

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

SENDING

* HYMN OF DEDICATION #368

I've Got Peace Like a River

AFRICAN-AMERICAN **SPIRITUAL**

* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Forth in the Peace of Christ

Michael Higgins

Large-print bulletins, Bibles, hymnals, and assisted-listening devices (Bluetooth and tcoil compatible) are available upon request. Lightweight shawls are hanging on the coat rack for anyone who would like a little extra warmth. Ushers are available to assist you with these items. Please let us know how we can further assist you.

If you feel the Spirit of God moving you to affirm your faith in Jesus, please speak to a pastor following the Service or contact one this week at the church.

May applause resound in our hearts as we ascribe to the Lord the glory of His Name!

* Please stand if you are able.

CALENDAR

TODAY

8:45 A.M. -Fellowship Coffee Cart (Bell Tower)

Blood Pressure Checks (Reception Room) 9:00 A.M. -

Sunday School (see CE brochure)

Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Worship Service (Sanctuary)

9:30 A.M. -10:00 A.M. -12:00 P.M. -Blood Pressure Checks (Reception Room)

MONDAY

10:00 A.M. - Staff Meeting (Fowler Conference Room)

12:30 A.M. -Sequoyah Seniors Meeting (Room 232)

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday Bible Study (Fowler Conference) 10:30 A.M. -

7:00 P.M. -Women's Bible Study (Room 322)

FRIDAY

Men's Bible Studies (various locations) 7:00 A.M. -

Men's Bible Study (The Empty Cup) 8:30 A.M. -

Beginner's Tai Chi (Barron Hall)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

ARE YOU A VISITOR WITH US TODAY? We are delighted that you are here. If you would like more information about Sequoyah Hills Presbyterian Church, please speak to an usher or visit our website at www.sequoyahchurch.org.

OFFICERS FOR THE CLASS OF 2020-2021 being ordained* and/or installed to their elected offices today: Elders Scott Daniel*, Martha Dolinak, and Jim Harrison; Deacons Deborah Lewis* and Sheila White. Please keep them in your prayers.

PRINTED COPIES OF PREVIOUS SERMONS are available in the back of the Sanctuary and in the church office.

SERMONS AND RECORDED WORSHIP SERVICES are available on the church website (sequoyahchurch.org) under the Sermons & Media tab.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE: Through August 5, there will be one 10:00 A.M. Worship Service. Sunday School is 9:00 to 9:45 A.M. The Rise 'n Shine Coffee Cart will be in the Bell Tower at 8:45 A.M. Lemonade in the Shade is scheduled for July 15.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS are today at 9:00 and 11:00 in the Reception Room.

THE SEQUOYAH SENIORS COMMITTEE meets tomorrow at 12:30 P.M. in Room 232.

PRAY FOR EVERYONE PARTICIPATING in the "Fun in the Son" high school camp in Hilton Head, South Carolina this week.

THE SESSION HAS SENT FUNDS on behalf of SHPC through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance to help victims affected by the Guatemala volcano eruptions. Please join us in praying for the people of Guatemala.

DARREN KENNEDY, MISSIONARY IN EGYPT, will be in the Chapel on Sunday, July 15, at 9:00 A.M. to lead the Sunday School class. He will also give a Moment for Mission during the 10:00 Worship Service followed by a reception.

SEQUOYAH SENIORS TRIP to see "Smoke on the Mountain" at the Cumberland County Playhouse and have lunch at the Cumberland State Park is Tuesday, July 17. The group will leave SHPC at 10:30 A.M., have lunch, and attend the play at 1:00 P.M. The cost of the trip is \$25. Call 522-9804 to reserve your spot. There are three tickets left.

THE AARP SAFE DRIVER CLASS is July 17 and 18 from noon to 4:00 P.M. Reservations are required, so contact Carolyn Rambo at 382-5822 or call the church office to register. Seating is limited. The cost for AARP members is \$15 and \$20 for non-members. You must attend both days, which could reduce your car insurance up to 10 percent.

YOUTH "SUMMER SHINDIG" will be on the third Wednesday of the month during the summer. July 18 is LAKE DAY at the Ayres' house on Douglas Lake! Middle school youth meet at the church at 10:00 A.M. and return at 3:00 P.M. High school youth meet at the church at 3:00 P.M. and return at 8:30 P.M. Everyone should bring a towel, bathing suit, and change of clothes.

HAITI MISSION TRIP INFORMATION MEETING is Wednesday, July 18, at 5:00 P.M. in the Fowler Conference Room. Dates of mission work are February 16 to 23, 2019. Non-medical and medical people are welcome to participate. Questions? Contact Mark Lampley at 522-9804.

THE CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO A "BRING A BLANKET" PICNIC on Sunday, July 22. The picnic will be on the front lawn immediately following worship. Tables and chairs will be available in Barron Hall for anyone who wants to stay cool or cool off.

A COLLEGE OF ELDERS was established at the June Stated Session meeting. The College of Elders will include all elders of SHPC as well as any member who has served as an elder at any PC(USA) church. If you were ordained as an elder at another PC(USA) church, please call 522-9804 or email rguyton@sequoyahchurch.org to have your name added to the list.

THIS SUNDAY'S VOLUNTEERS: Ushers – Al Akerman, Ned Babb, Joe Bruner, Rusty Burton, Sandy Gillespie, Beau Hannifin, Lee Hyde, Vance Link, Jim Mitchell, Jerry Sinclair, and Judd Spitzer; June Flowers – Samma Bromley, Robyn Doiron, Susan Schmid, and Ashley Stamper.

IN THE NURSING HOMES AND ASSISTED-LIVING CENTERS: Arbor Terrace – Donna Stevens; Clarity Pointe – Ms. Barbara Knoph; Northshore Senior Living – Ms. Phyllis Marks; Park Place of West Knoxville – Mr. Jim Patteson; Westmoreland – Mrs. Betty Benson, Ms. Pat Gray, and Mr. Tom Wood.



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