



SEQUOYAH HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 A.M.

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:00 A.M.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

July 15, 2018

GATHERING

WELCOME

Rev. Mark Lampley

PRELUDE

My Tribute

arr. Fred Brock

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 #466 *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

AZMON

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*in unison*)

Rev. Rachel Hamburger

God of grace, you call us to be one in Christ, but we are only concerned with ourselves. We are quick to judge others, so we can put them down in order to build ourselves up. We are even fearful of welcoming the stranger and often avoid unity where it could be possible. Forgive our selfishness, judgment, and fear. Have mercy on us. Transform us that we might be one in Jesus who prayed we would be so. In Christ's name 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.**

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Darren Kennedy

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 133

Pew Bible, p. 575

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

SOLO

Deep River
Harrison Cooke, bass

arr. Moses Hogan

NEW TESTAMENT Ephesians 1:1-10

Pew Bible, p. 191

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

SERMON

"United Under Christ"

Rev. Mark Lampley

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

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

Be Thou My Vision

arr. Teresa Patterson Wilhelmi

* 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

SENDING

* HYMN OF DEDICATION #485 *To God Be the Glory* TO GOD BE THE GLORY

* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

The Call of the Trumpet

Henry Purcell

Large-print bulletins, Bibles, hymnals, and assisted-listening devices (Bluetooth and t-coil 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)
9:00 A.M. - Sunday School (see CE brochure)
9:30 A.M. - Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
10:00 A.M. - Worship Service (Sanctuary)
11:00 A.M. - Lemonade in the Shade (Porte Cochère)
5:30 P.M. - Stephen Ministry Supervision (Media Room)

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

10:30 A.M. - Sequoyah Seniors Trip (off site)
12:00 P.M. - AARP Safe Driver Class (Room 318)

WEDNESDAY

10:00 A.M. - Middle School Summer Shindig (off site)
10:30 A.M. - Wednesday Bible Study (Fowler Conference)
12:00 P.M. - AARP Safe Driver Class (Room 318)
3:00 P.M. - High School Summer Shindig (off site)
5:00 P.M. - Haiti Information Meeting (Fowler Conference Room)
7:00 P.M. - Women's Bible Study (Room 322)

FRIDAY

- 7:00 A.M. - Men's Bible Studies (various locations)
- 8:30 A.M. - Men's Bible Study (The Empty Cup)
- 9:30 A.M. - Beginner's Tai Chi (Barron Hall)
- 10:00 A.M. - Tai Chi (Barron Hall)

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.

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.

THE FLOWERS TODAY are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Rosalie Morgan from the family.

WE EXTEND A WARM WELCOME TO DARREN KENNEDY, MISSIONARY IN EGYPT, who taught in our Chapel Sunday School at 9:00 and will share a Moment for Mission during the morning Worship Service today. Please join us in greeting Darren and his son, Calvin, during "Lemonade in the Shade" immediately following today's service.

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.

PLAN TO STAY AFTER THE SERVICE TODAY FOR LEMONADE IN THE SHADE. Everyone is invited to join in fellowship and refreshments under the porte cochère.

STEPHEN MINISTRY SUPERVISION meets tonight at 5:30 P.M. in the Media Room.

SEQUOYAH SENIORS TRIP to see "Smoke on the Mountain" at the Cumberland County Playhouse and have lunch at the Cumberland State Park is Tuesday. 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 two tickets left.

THE AARP SAFE DRIVER CLASS is Tuesday and Wednesday from noon to 4:00 P.M. in room 318. 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" is Wednesday. Plan to enjoy 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 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.

WE EXTEND OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY to Peyton Morgan and family on the death of his son, Withers Morgan, on Monday, July 2, in Houston; and to Debbie Diddle and Lisa Oglesby and family on the death of their sister, Cindy Lillard Howell, on Saturday, June 30, in Indianapolis.

"I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die." John 11:25-26

THE 2018-19 PW DIRECTORY will be available in September. As we strive to provide accurate contact information for all of the members, we need your help. Please notify the church office if your contact information was incorrect or incomplete in the last issue or in the case your information has changed.

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.

THE CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO A "BRING A BLANKET" PICNIC on Sunday, July 22. The food will be provided by the committee. 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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