#### **MORNING WORSHIP**

#### Eleven O'Clock

June 1, 2025

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

God Calls Us to Give Him Praise (unison) 1 Chronicles 16:23-27, 36

Sing to the LORD, all the earth;

Proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day.

Declare His glory among the nations,

His wonders among all peoples.

For the LORD is great and greatly to be praised;

He is also to be feared above all gods.

For all the gods of the peoples are idols,

But the LORD made the heavens.

Honor and majesty are before Him;

Strength and gladness are in His place...

Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel,

from everlasting to everlasting!

Hymn of Praise\*

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

No. 345

God Calls Us to Confess Our Sin

Matthew 11:28-30

Come to me, all you who labor and are heavily burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.

### Our Prayer of Confession (unison)

Father, forgive us when we do not take the time to contemplate your glory – glory of who you are and what you have done. Forgive us when we fail to give you heartfelt praise for our redemption. Forgive us when we forget the goodness you shower on us every day. We praise you for the righteousness imputed to us in Christ. We give thanks for all your wonderful attributes:

your love, and goodness, and mercy, and compassion. Now hear us and accept our personal confessions...

#### **My Private Confession**

# God Assures Us of His Forgiveness

Psalm 103:8-12

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

He will not always chide,

nor will he keep his anger forever.

He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities.

For as high as the heavens are above the earth,

so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;

as far as the east is from the west,

so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

### God Calls Us to Give to His Kingdom Work

#### The Offertory

Doxology\*

[Old Hundredth]

No. 731

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.

#### Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. and A. 98

What is prayer?

Prayer is an offering up of our desires to God, for things agreeable to his will, in the name of Christ, with confession of our sins and thankful acknowledgement of his mercies.

#### Anthem

# **Pastoral Prayer**

Hymn\* Before the Throne of God Above

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God Calls Us to Receive His Word

Psalm 123

The Sermon

"The Songs of Ascents"

Pastor Ed Olson

Part 4. Have Mercy on Us!

Hymn\*

All to Jesus I Surrender

No. 562

Benediction\*

1 Peter 5:10-11

#### Postlude\*

\*Congregation standing

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#### **Remember in Prayers:**

Ed and Connie Olson: As Ed ministers to CPC and weekly travel, as well as the health of their son, Mark.

Larry and Bonnie Jones: Praising God for stable health.

Bruce and Pam Sinclair: Uganda. Trinity Center for World Missions.

Andrew and Laura Kate Lupton: Oslo, Norway. MTW. Rick and Betty Aschmann: Quito, Ecuador. MTW.

Donnie and Kara Williams: On furlough from Senegal, West

Africa. MTW.

Andrew and Trish Shank: Western Carolina University. RUF.

Upcoming furlough.

Alec and Riley Cotton: Appalachian State University, Boone. RUF.

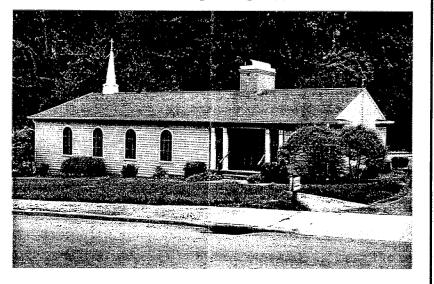
## **Events of Note:**

Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary.

Next Holy Communion scheduled for Sunday, July 13.

Church Picnic at Allen's Creek Park, **next** Sunday, June 8. Church will supply chicken and beverages. Bring along a covered dish to share with everyone.

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