



# **fellowship**

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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**sunday worship**  
**MAY 29, 2022**  
**9:30am**



May 29, 2022 – 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Easter  
9:30 AM

*The congregation is asked to read together anything in **bold**.  
An \* indicates being invited to stand in body and/or spirit.*

**Gathering Music # 300      “We are One in the Spirit”      Scholtes**

We are one in the Spirit; we are one in  
the Lord,  
we are one in the Spirit; we are one in  
the Lord,  
and we pray that all unity may one day  
be restored:

*Refrain:*

And they'll know we are Christians  
by our love, by our love;  
yes, they'll know we are Christians by  
our love.

We will walk with each other; we will  
walk hand in hand,  
we will walk with each other; we will  
walk hand in hand,  
and together we'll spread the news  
that God is in our land.

*Refrain*

We will work with each other; we  
will work side by side,  
we will work with each other; we will  
work side by side,  
and we'll guard human dignity and  
save human pride:

*Refrain*

All praise to the Father, from who all  
things come,  
and all praise to Christ Jesus, God's  
only Son,  
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes  
us one:

*Refrain*

**Welcome & Announcements**

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

*Please sign the online friendship pad making use of your smartphone  
camera to do so. This allows us to know you are worshipping with us  
this morning. You may also include any prayer requests or concerns  
you may have with Pastor Kathryn.*



**Moment for Mission**

Pentecost Offering

**Mission Statement**

Led by the Holy Spirit, Fellowship is more than just a name. While caring for one another, the people of Fellowship Presbyterian Church:

- **Love** as God first loved us,
- **Learn** with and about one another through Scripture and prayer, and
- **Lead** by serving as Christ's hands and feet in the community.

**Call to Worship – from Psalm 97**

The Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice;  
**let the many coastlands be glad!**  
The heavens proclaim his righteousness;  
**and all the peoples behold his glory.**  
Light dawns for the righteous,  
**and joy for the upright in heart.**  
Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous,  
**and give thanks to his holy name!**  
Let us worship God together!

**\* Opening Hymn of Praise # 246 “Christ is Alive!”**

Truro

Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.  
The cross stands empty to the sky.  
Let streets and homes with praises  
ring.  
Love, drowned in death, shall never  
die.

Christ is alive! No longer bound  
to distant years in Palestine,  
but saving, healing, here and now,  
and touching every place and time.

In every insult, rift, and war,  
where color, scorn, or wealth divide,  
Christ suffers still, yet loves the more,  
and lives, where even hope has died.

Women and men, in age and youth,  
can feel the Spirit, hear the call,  
and find the way, the life, the truth,  
revealed in Jesus, freed for all.

Christ is alive, and comes to bring  
good news to this and every age,  
till earth and sky and ocean  
ring with joy, with justice, love, and  
praise.

**\* Prayer of Confession**

Judy Meyler

Lord, we are “what’s next?” people. We want to know what we are supposed to do. We journeyed through the Lenten Season, stood at the foot of the Cross, witnessed Jesus’ Resurrection and his appearances to his disciples in an upper room and on the lakeshore. Now in this day we are called to wait. That’s hard for us to do. We want to jump into some kind of action. Calm our hearts and help us to wait for the Spirit. Forgive our impatience and our lack of faith. We place our trust in your redeeming love. *(brief silence for your own personal confessions to God)* **Amen.**

**\* Assurance of Pardon**

**\* Song of Response # 817      “We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight”      Dunlap’s Creek**  
We walk by faith, and not by sight; with  
gracious words draw near,  
O Christ, who spoke as none e’er spoke:  
"My peace be with you here."

Help then, O Lord, our unbelief; and  
may our faith abound  
to call on you when you are near and  
seek where you are found.

We may not touch your hands and side,  
nor follow where you trod;  
but in your promise we rejoice and cry  
"My Lord and God!"

And when our life of faith is done, in  
realms of clearer light  
may we behold you as you are, with full  
and endless sight.

## **Time for (All of God’s) Children**

### **Prayer for Illumination**

**Scripture Reading** – Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

**Gospel Reading** – John 17:20-26

*This is the Word of the Lord.*

*Thanks be to God.*

### **Sermon**

*Wait, What?*

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

**\* Hymn # 418      “Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling”      Thompson**

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling,  
calling for you and for me.  
See, on the portals he's waiting and  
watching, watching for you and for  
me.

Why should we tarry when Jesus is  
pleading, pleading for you and for  
me?  
Why should we linger and heed not  
his mercies, mercies for you and for  
me?

*Refrain:*

Come home, come home; You who  
are weary, come home."  
Earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling,  
calling, "O sinner, come home!"

*Refrain*

O for the wonderful love he has  
promised, promised for you and for  
me!  
Though we have sinned, he has mercy  
and pardon, pardon for you and for  
me.

*Refrain*

## **Sharing Our Fellowship Family’s Celebrations and Concerns**

### **Prayers of the People and 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.

## Sharing of Our Gifts and Offerings

*(Tithes and offerings can be placed in the offering plate, mailed to the church office, through bank draft, or made through online donation – information on how to do that is in the announcements below. Thank you for supporting the mission and ministry of Fellowship Presbyterian Church.)*

### Offertory

### “Be Thou My Vision”

arr. Deford

### Prayer of Dedication

#### \* Closing Hymn # 767

#### “Together We Serve”

San Anselmo

Together we serve, united by love,  
inviting God's world to the glorious  
feast.

We work and we pray through sorrow  
and joy,  
extending your love to the last and the  
least.

We seek to become a beacon of hope,  
a lamp for the heart and a light for the  
feet.

We learn, year by year, to let love  
shine through  
until we see Christ in each person we  
meet.

We welcome the scarred, the wealthy,  
the poor,  
the busy, the lonely, and all who need  
care.

We offer a home to those who will  
come,  
our hands quick to help, our hearts  
ready to dare.

Together, by grace, we witness and  
work,  
remembering Jesus, in whom we  
grow strong.

Together we serve in Spirit and truth,  
remembering love is the strength of  
our song.

#### \* Charge and Benediction

#### \* Passing of the Peace

*The Peace of Christ Be with You!*  
**And also with you.**

***Today's flowers are dedicated to the glory of God in memory of our parents, Max & Alyce Savage, and Bill & Nancy DeSanto by Joy & David Savage.***

### ***Worship Participants***

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

Donna Steele

Cynthia Hartis

John Archambault

Barbara Walters, Gary Anderson, Terry

Anderson, & Kandee Spain

Judy Meyler

Avis Campbell

Charles Layno, Steve Brandt, & Susie Knorr

Carol Morgan

*Pastor*

*Vocalist*

*Accompanist*

*Drums*

*Song Leaders*

*Liturgist*

*Acolyte*

*Technical Support*

*Welcome Table*

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### ***Prayer Concerns and Celebrations***

- We grieve with the community of Uvalde, Texas, after the tragic shooting at Robb Elementary School.
- We celebrate the marriage of **Jessica and Eric Meyler** 5/22
- We celebrate with Fred Campbell that his friend, **Curt Bacorn**, for whom we have been praying, is home and doing well.
- **Judy Meyler** asks for prayers for her family as her **Aunt Mandy** is actively dying.
- **Traci Rankins** will again undergo a biopsy this week to determine the best treatment plan for her cancer recurrence, which was identified over a month ago.
- Prayers for **Ukraine and those caught in the crossfire** as the war continues.
- Continued prayers for our church members: **John Koppel, Julian Bullock, Lea Groves, Nancy Baughman, Bruce Weaver, and Marjorie Van Horn.**
- Continued prayers for the family and friends of our congregation: **Libby Ansel** (Lesa Layno's sister), **Rosalee Russo** (Peggy Koppel's neighbor), **Dennis** (John Archambault's cousin), **Todd Southard** (John Archambault's friend), **Michael Boswell** (Peggy Koppel's friend), **Suzanne** (Judy Meyler's sister-in-law), **Johnny Ziegler** (Terry Anderson's uncle), **Todd Martinez** (coworker of Gary Anderson), **Katherine and Donald Bennett** (Barbara Smith's sister and brother-in-law), **Felicia Schaps** (Lindahl's daughter-in-law's mother), **Ashley Long** (Joel and Ann Long's daughter-in-law), **Joyce Berger** (Kandee's mother), **Gwen Flowers & her family** (Linda Ueland's sister), **Dorothy & Edward Archambault** (John Archambault's parents), **Tim King family** (Phyllis King's son), **Jenny George** (Betsy Craver's cousin).

*If you have any additional prayer concerns, please contact Linda Ueland (336-314-5481) or call Martha at the church (336-288-5177).*

### ***Announcements***

- The next **New Member Class** is forming to take place in June. If you are interested in formally joining the Fellowship Family, please talk to Pastor Kathryn.
- This morning marks the **start of the summer schedule**, which means that worship and fellowship time will continue, but there will not be regularly scheduled education hour. During these summer months, we invite "**casual summer**" – no robes, no hose, no ties – no kidding! God doesn't care what you're wearing – just come in what makes you comfortable. The Program Year kicks off on September 12.

- **Fellowship Book Club** meets for the last time until September on June 2 at 7pm via Zoom. The discussion will focus on the book “The Aviator’s Wife” by Melanie Benjamin. This is last Book Club for the program year – the next Book Club discussion will take place on Thursday, September 1, when we will discuss what books you read on your “summer vacation”. If you have questions, please email or call Carol Morgan at [cmorgan27410@gmail.com](mailto:cmorgan27410@gmail.com) or 336-707-8293.
- The Programs Committee is putting the final planning details the **Church Picnic**, which will take place on **Saturday, June 4, from 11am-1pm**. There will be games, fun, and fellowship (of course!). The Committee will provide the hot dogs & hamburgers, and drinks – you are asked to bring a side dish or dessert to share. Please look for more details next week – invite your friends!
- The Mission Committee is changing its focus for the **June Food Collection**. In honor of our guest preacher on June 5, the Committee is asking people to collect items for **Barrels for Liberia** – the collected items will be placed in a barrel and shipped there by our member, Wynston Walker. Suggested items include: Toothpaste, Deodorant, Vegetable oil, Sugar, Hot cereal, Cold cereal, Flour, Rice, Peanut butter, Powder milk, Beans (variety), Bath soap, Pasta, Salt, Used clothing (adult & children), & School Supplies.
- Next week, June 5, is **Pentecost Sunday** – all are encouraged to wear red to worship as a way to celebrate the morning. All are invited to stay after worship to enjoy a **brunch** in the Fellowship Hall, hosted by Wynston Walker and his family in honor of his uncle, Rev. Dr. Charles Ledlum-Bates, joining us for worship.
- Do you have **graduates** in your family? If so, please let Pastor Kathryn know so we can recognize them in an upcoming worship service on June 12. Please send the graduate’s information to [kcampbell@fpcgso.com](mailto:kcampbell@fpcgso.com).
- The Faith Formation Committee is putting the finishing touches on a new program called **Social Spark** on for **June 20, July 18, and August 15 at 8 pm** to gather at a yet-to-be-named gathering spot to enjoy one another while participants will discuss a topic from the headlines through a faith-based lens. More details to come – in the meantime, mark your calendars!
- Fellowship will be hosting a **Red Cross Blood Drive** on **Wednesday, June 8<sup>th</sup>** from 12:00 to 4:30pm. To sign up to donate blood, please go to [redcross.org](http://redcross.org) and use the code “Fellowship Pres”.
- **Volunteering with Applewood, Backpack Beginnings, & Greensboro Housing Authority:** Fellowship has an ongoing partnership between Backpack Beginnings, GHA, and The Applewood Community. Please contact Mary Howe to sign up, or see the signup in the Dogwood Lobby.

## ***This Week's Calendar***

**May 29:**

- **9:15-11:15am:** Professional Childcare available (*Preschool Classroom*)
- **9:30am:** Worship with Communion (*Sanctuary*)– in-person, on Facebook Live, Zoom, and YouTube
- **10:30am:** Fellowship Time (*Dogwood Lobby*)

**May 30: Memorial Day – Office Closed**

**June 1:**

- **7am:** Men's Koffee Klatch (*Panera Bread – Lawndale Location*)
- **12 noon:** Bulletin and Blast Deadline

**June 2:**

- **9:30am & 1:30pm:** Meyler Oil (*Fellowship Hall*)
- **1pm:** Bridge (*Library*)
- **4:30-8pm:** Ezerman/White Suzuki Studio Recital in the Sanctuary
- **7pm:** Fellowship Book Club (*Zoom*)

**June 4:**

- **11am-1pm:** Church Picnic

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- **10:45am:** Brunch, hosted by Wynston Walker and Family (*Fellowship Hall*)