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BRINGING THE MESSAGE TODAY

DEBRA ECKERT

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PIANIST-MELANIE STAUDT

SVETA YATSKAYA

MAY 20, 2012

PASTOR JONATHAN WATSON

WORSHIP LEADER

SONG LEADER

DIANA STOUT- ORGANIST

MINISTER OF MUSIC

COLOR: WHITE

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior and Lord, and helping people trust Him through **WORSHIP, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, OUTREACH, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE TO OTHERS.** (Our beliefs are based from **THE APOSTLES' CREED** FOUND IN THE HYMNAL NO. 716)

Ascension Sunday

ORDER OF THE SERVICE

7th Sunday of Easter

May 20, 2012

GATHERING IN JESUS NAME

PRELUDE:

"I Exalt Thee"

Sanchez

WELCOME VISITORS & GREETINGS

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration.

Please sign the attendance register and pass it to other people in the pew with you.

SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

WE PAUSE FOR A MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER, PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIPING GOD. **Use this time to make yourself available to God and His Word.**

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - Welcoming Jesus, The Light Of The World.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS - Write on pew card and place in offering plate to be put in the bulletin.

*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON)

Choir:

"Holy Ground"

OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (*Psalm 47:1, 6*)

Leader: Sing praises to God, sing praises.

People: Shout to God with loud songs of joy.

Leader: Sing your praises, people of God.

People: Sing praises to our king, sing praises.

Leader: Our God is king over all the earth.

People: Sing praises to our king, sing praises.

*Hymn:

"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"
"I Will Praise Him"

No. 1 Beethoven
No. 525 M. Harris

Call to Confession: God, as Christ ascended into the heavens, may our hearts ascend to you. Open our eyes to the power of your Spirit that we may strive for more than the ways of this world. Open our lives to the fullness of your power, that we may be clothed with power from on high. Help us wait patiently for the baptism of your Spirit that we may be found worthy of your great gifts.

Prayer of Confession: (In Silence) Merciful God, when offered the promise of your glorious inheritance, I settle for so much less. Rather than lifting my gaze to see and live, my eyes are fixed on the ground; my heart is set on earthly power; my aspirations are limited to getting ahead. Forgive me. Teach me anew to wait for your Holy Spirit that I may be clothed with power from on high, in the name of the one who ascended to heaven to show me the way to live here on earth. **Amen.**

Words of Assurance: When we have the patience and the courage to wait, for your Spirit, O God, you justify the hope to which we have been called, you fill us with your Spirit, forgive our transgressions, and clothe us with power from on high.

EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

OFFERTORY SENTENCE: (Psalm 104, John 15) O God, send forth your Spirit in and through these gifts, that your loving presence may be felt and known through every life.

OFFERTORY MUSIC:

"Amazing Grace"

*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

CHILDREN'S TIME:

Mary Jo Bryan

Special Music:

"Consider Him"

Becky Morford

HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON:

John 8:1-11

MESSAGE:

"Has No One Condemned You?"

Pastor Jonathan Watson

*INVITATION HYMN:

"I Am Thine, O Lord"

No. 358

WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

*BENEDICTION - (Blessing)

*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*PASSING THE BLESSING

*POSTLUDE:

"Praise The Name of Jesus"

R. Hicks, Jr

*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS, IF ABLE. We have childcare available for infants up to age 4 during the service. Children 5 and up are encouraged to be in the sanctuary during Worship time.
Nursery Attendant- Ms. Jo Proctor

John 8:1-11

¹ But Jesus went to the Mount of Olives.

² At dawn he appeared again in the temple courts, where all the people gathered around him, and he sat down to teach them. ³ The teachers of the law and the Pharisees brought in a woman caught in adultery. They made her stand before the group ⁴ and said to Jesus, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the act of adultery. ⁵ In the Law Moses commanded us to stone such women. Now what do you say?" ⁶ They were using this question as a trap, in order to have a basis for accusing him.

But Jesus bent down and started to write on the ground with his finger. ⁷ When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." ⁸ Again he stooped down and wrote on the ground.

⁹ At this, those who heard began to go away one at a time, the older ones first, until only Jesus was left, with the woman still standing there. ¹⁰ Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?"

¹¹ "No one, sir," she said.

"Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin."



Week of May 20, 2012

TODAY	9:00am	Worship
	10:15am	Sunday School
	11:15am	Contemporary Worship Service
		Worship Leader:
	5:00pm	Successful Relationships Workshop Tonight
	6:00pm	Session Meeting
MONDAY	1:00pm	Quilting Group
	6:00pm	Aerobics
TUESDAY	6:30pm	Band Practice
	7:00pm	No Choir Practice
WEDNESDAY	6:30pm	Wednesday Night Dinner-Pizza
	7:00pm	Worship-Bible Study
THURSDAY	7:30am	Men at Prayer
	6:00pm	Aerobics
	7:00pm	Choir Practice
FRIDAY	No Friday Activities	
NEXT SUNDAY	9:00am	Worship
	10:15am	Sunday School
	11:15am	Contemporary Worship Service



HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAYS TO:

Abigail Boydston on the 22nd, Carl Linder on the 23rd,
Joshua James Clemons on the 24th;
Lily Dawn Farner & Joan Moores on the 25th.



HAPPY MAY ANNIVERSARY TO:

Matthew & Joy Wilker on the 21st; David & Teresa Shuler on the 23rd.

ATTENDANCE

Last Sunday's Attendance:

9:00 am Morning Worship-102 11:15 am Contemporary Worship-16

Last Week-Sunday's School Attendance:

10:15 am-39

Duty Elder

Duty Elder for this week: Sherry Windrow
Duty Elder for next week: Larry Gardner

OUTREACH COMMITTEE MEETING:

The Missions Outreach Committee will meet Today at 10:15 a.m. in the
Unity Sunday School Classroom.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER TRAINING

Sunday School teacher training for children, youth and adult teachers will be held
Saturday, June 3, from 9:00 am - noon, here at the church.

CHURCH CAMP NEWS

Register now for church camp! Forms are available on the church web site or on the youth bulletin board. Jenkins Church will pay half of costs for members and regular attendees. For more information, contact Julie Bomar.

Synodic Camp- June 4-8 at Crystal Springs

For youth entering 10th grade through College freshman.

Registration forms and payment are due to the church **by THIS Wednesday, May 23.**

Junior High Camp- June 10-15 at Crystal Springs

For youth entering 7th through 9th grade. Registration forms and payment are due to the church **by June 3rd** to receive pre-registration discount.

Junior Camp- June 24-29 at Crystal Springs

For those entering 4th through 6th grade. Registration forms and payment are due to the church **by June 10th** to receive pre-registration discount.

CPYC- July 8-13 at Bethel University

For youth entering 10th grade through College freshmen.

Register online at <http://ministrycouncil.cumberland.org/cpcyregistration> **by June 27.**

Columbia Presbytery Youth Mission Trip

We will be going **July 15-20 to Pleasant Grove, Alabama** and working with an organization called LOVE (Locally Organized Volunteer Effort) which focuses its work on helping to rebuild and repair houses damaged during the April 2011 tornadoes.

We may do a variety of work but it will include painting and construction work.

The mission trip is open to all students currently in 6th-12th grade and will cost \$175 per person. Because of the nature of this work the organization asks that we have 1 adult for every 3 youth that go on the trip, so we need both adults and youth to sign-up to join us. Contact Julie Bomar for more information.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Get Ready for VBS! NEW dates and times:

Monday, July 23 – Friday, July 27, 9 a.m. – noon

Thanks to Hannah Watson and Sarah Mabry for stepping up to be directors of this year's Vacation Bible School. Our theme will be Babylon: Daniel's Courage in Captivity.

If you would like to help in any way, please contact Hannah, Sarah, or any member of the CE committee.