



SUMMER WORSHIP
Shelby Presbyterian Church
May 28, 2017
10:00 a.m.

Seventh Sunday of Easter

WELCOME AND PRAYER

Luke Harkey, Pastor

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: "O Worship the King" with "Here I Am to Worship"
Haydn/Hughes/Page

*RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP: from Ps. 29; Isa. 6:3 Larry Wilson
Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name;
Worship the Lord . . . in his temple all say, "Glory!" . . .
May the Lord give strength to his people!
May the Lord bless his people with peace!
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts!

*PRAISE HYMNS #1: "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!" vs. 1 & 2
#743 "O God, You Are My God" (twice)

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **Living God, we confess that our faith is sometimes weak, our love for others can be faint, our prayers are often timid, and our gratitude is frequently unconvincing. When we stand looking toward heaven, yet feel far from you, you draw near in mercy to forgive us, and fill us with your power, through the grace of Jesus, our resurrected Savior. Amen. (silent confession)**

RESPONSE IN SONG: Hymn #1 "Holy, Holy, Holy!" verse 3
**Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in power, in love and purity.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS
Friends, believe the good news!
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*GLORI PATRI (sung): *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.*

*THE PEACE OF CHRIST
May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you!
And also with you! (*Greet one another with the Peace of Christ.*)

*SONG #468: *"In My Life"* verse 1
***In my life, Lord, be glorified; be glorified.
In my life, Lord, be glorified today.***

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN Jennifer Niblack

NEWS FOR THE CHURCH FAMILY Luke Harkey

FAITH SHARING Jeff Hamilton

*HYMN #354: *"Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Larry Wilson

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Acts 1:6-14

ANTHEM: *"Rain Down"* (Cortez) Chancel Choir

GOSPEL READING: John 17:1-11

SERMON: "Glory" Luke Harkey

*HYMN #634: *"To God Be the Glory"*

*UNISON AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: I Peter 4:12-14, 5:6-7
Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice insofar as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you. Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
Offertory: *Sortie* on "National Hymn" Warren/Smith

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

*Prayer of Dedication

*CLOSING HYMN #269: *"Lead On, O King Eternal!"*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION Luke Harkey

*CHORAL RESPONSE Chancel Choir

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*POSTLUDE: *"Majesty"* Hayford/Wagner

*Those who are able may stand.
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Sound Board: Jim Teddy Jr.

Deacon Ushers: Spencer Borders, Laura Carter,
Tom Greene, Ina Harrington, Phil Haydon

Childcare is available for preschool aged children in Room 102
and is staffed today by Tricia Butler and Erica Vargas.

*In order to protect your children, please be sure they are
accompanied at all times by a parent or responsible adult caregiver.*

WE WELCOME all who worship with us this morning. If you are interested in more information or in becoming a member of our family of faith, please call the church office, 704-487-8503.

EVERYONE IS INVITED to join us in Ellis Hall following worship for lemonade and fellowship.

THIS WEEK (MAY 28-JUNE 3, 2017):

Today **Kids Camp** begins after Moments with Children
Lemonade & Fellowship in Ellis Hall following worship

Monday **Church Office Closed** for Memorial Day
4:00-7:00 **Church Picnic at the Lake**

Tuesday **11:30 am Bible Study** in Back Parlor
4:00 pm **Church Office Closes a little early this Tuesday!**

Wednesday 6:15 pm **Chancel Choir Rehearsal** in Choir Room

Thursday 7:00 am **Men’s Breakfast Fellowship** at Ken & Mary’s
9:30 am **SPC Staff Meeting** in Pastor’s Study
6:30 pm **Stephen Ministers** in narthex parlor

Friday 6:30 pm **Girl Scout Troop 20032** in youth room

KIDS CAMP STARTS TODAY . . . Children ages 4 to 5th grade will be going “to camp” each Sunday beginning today through September 3. Wear your “camp-type” clothes to church and plan on having some fun, singing songs, doing skits, and learning more about the “fruits of the Spirit!” After Moments With Children, our children will “head out to camp” – located in Ellis Fellowship Hall. There will be SPC counselors who will have lots of camp fun planned for them. Weather permitting, “camp” will end on the playground when the worship service is over.

CLEVELAND COUNTY MEMORIAL SERVICE . . . You are invited to attend the Cleveland County Memorial Day service in honor of veterans and their families **today at 2 p.m.** at Cleveland Memorial Park (1225 College Avenue, Hwy. 150-near Boiling Springs) in the Mausoleum Chapel.

MEMORIAL DAY PICNIC: Join us tomorrow (Monday, May 29) 4-7 pm for an afternoon of fellowship, food, and fun at the lake, home of Andy & Stephanie Taylor, 1326 Vista Drive, Shelby. Bring your swimming gear, chairs, and side dish or dessert to share. Drew & Tonya Beam will co-host. See you at the lake!

NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 4, nine confirmands will be received into church membership. A reception in their honor will follow worship in Ellis Hall.

THE YOUTH MISSION TEAM TO GUATEMALA would like to thank the congregation for their unending support through the myriad of fundraisers this year. Through your participation, we have raised \$33,761.86 of the \$39,000 needed for the trip. We hope that you have enjoyed the opportunity to socialize during many of the events and appreciate the encouraging comments we have received. Maw-Maw’s Car Wash, which was unfortunately cancelled due to the forecasted weather, will not be rescheduled given the busy agendas of the youth and leaders during this time of year. Please join as the team is commissioned during worship on July 16.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

2017 Operating Budget. \$543,199.00
2017 Monthly Budget Needs. \$ 45,266.58
Total Received May 1-23, 2017. \$ 27,682.88

CONTRIBUTIONS were received this week to the Memorial Fund in memory of Josie Bowles; to the Music Ministry in memory of Josie Bowles; to the Organ Fund in memory of Josie Bowles, Annie Duncan, Jim Wix.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (also see ongoing prayer list in newsletter)

Our prayers and sympathies go out for Sandra Morgan-Dodrill and family on the death of her husband, John Christopher Dodrill, on May 19, 2017. Chris had been a member of SPC for 21 years.

Kim Angel, Laura Beam, Tripp Bowling, Jack Breen, Layla Bridges, Charles Clyatt, Ed Cushman, Robin Fichter, Ruth Layng, Hoyt Lovelace, Betty Monteith, Sandy Poston, Helen Turpish, Troy Goss & all those serving in the military; Stephen Ministers & their Care Receivers; Food Ministry, Rainbow Connection, Our brothers & sisters of Monte los Olivos, Jo Ella Holman in the Caribbean, John McCall in Taiwan, Dr. Steve & Alene Burgert in Kenya; Christians around the globe who are persecuted for their faith



**Annual Church Retreat
August 26-27**

Please plan on joining your church family for a time of spiritual renewal and fellowship at the Montreat Conference Center in Black Mountain, NC.

The cost of \$65 per person (\$40 per child under 12) includes three meals and double occupancy lodging. A private bath may be requested for an additional fee of \$15. Scholarships are available upon request. Note that the rooms will be available Friday night for a charge of \$53.50 per room. Meals will be additional.

Please indicate your interest below and place in offering plate.

Name _____

Contact Information _____

Yes, we are interested, but want more information _____

Yes, count us in:

Adults (12+) _____

Children (5-11) _____