

AUGUST 24, 2014

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:45 AM

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Peace be with you.

And also with you.

Jason W. Crosby

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Please take a moment to complete the section at the top of the insert,
fold and tear it off at the perforation and put it in the offering plate.
Or, you may share contact info or comments with us by sending a text message to 502-295-0285.

ENTRANCE INTO WORSHIP

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to God.

INTROIT

Psalm 86

Carl Nygard

Chancel Choir; Ian Hooper, tenor; Louie Bailey, conductor; Rhonda Hibdon, piano

Hear my voice, O Lord, when I pray. Hear my prayer when I cry from the lowly place;
In your mercy, Lord, let me stay: Hear my voice, O Lord, when I pray.
Hear my voice, O Lord, when I cry; hear my words when I call from the lowly place;
I will pray, O Lord, lest I die; Hear my voice, O Lord, when I cry.
From the grave's descent you have taken me, when those of the world have forsaken me.
In my day of need and my time of grief, hear the prayer for my body and soul's relief.
In the morning, Lord, I will sing with a song that will rise from the holy place,
And my praises, Lord, it will bring; in the morning, Lord, I will sing. Alleluia, Amen.

based on Psalm 86, adapted by Carl Nygard, 1984

INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE 45

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

NETTLETON

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DEDICATION OF HSER KU SHEE

INTRODUCTION OF THE FAMILY

Tah Lay Shee and Mu Ku Ku

Hser Ku Shee

COVENANT OF DEDICATION

Minister, Parents and Congregation

Minister: By God's love we are given children through the miracle of birth.

Congregation: We give God thanks.

Minister: May we greet each new daughter and daughter with joy, and surround them all with faith so they may know Christ and want to be his followers.

Congregation: Never let us neglect children, but help us to delight in them, showing them the welcome God has shown us all.

Minister: Tah Lay Shee and Mu Ku Ku, in presenting Hser Ku Shee to the Lord, do you promise in dependence upon God's grace and with the help of the church to teach your daughter the gifts and claims of the Christian faith, and by prayer, word and example to bring her up in the nurture, discipline and instruction of the Lord?

Parents: We do.

Minister: Brothers and sisters of this community of faith, I commend to you this family. Your love, care and example are as necessary to this covenant as their faithfulness in keeping their promise. As they seek to raise their daughter in the way of Jesus, will you do all in your power to make this church a true spiritual home for them, lending them the support of your prayers, your presence, your care and your love?

Congregation: With God's help we will so seek to follow Christ ourselves that Tah Lay Shee and Mu Ku Ku shall be strengthened and confirmed in their resolve, and that their daughter, surrounded by steadfast love, may be nurtured in the faith and led to walk in the way of Jesus.

WORDS OF BLESSING

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE PRESENTATION OF BIBLE, CERTIFICATE AND QUILT

SCRIPTURE LESSON

2 Corinthians 5:14-21 (

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Say Wah Moo

The Word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God.

PASSPORT REPORT

Kaw Doh Moo and Erin Woggon

THE MUSIC OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Sing to God

Matt Husathin

Vacation Bible School Participants; Louie Bailey, conductor; Rhonda Hibdon, piano

Sing to God, sing praises to the Lord. Dwell on all his wondrous works, sing to God, sing praises to the Lord.

All things wonderful, wonderful, are wonderful 'cause of you,

All things beautiful, beautiful, are beautiful 'cause of you.

Your hands made everything we see, the earth, the heavens, and even me.

All things marvelous, marvelous, are marvelous 'cause of you.

All things glorious, glorious, are glorious 'cause of you.

You have amazing plans for me. Designed for greatness, so I believe.

Follow, Follow the Road

David and Colleen Burroughs

Passport Youth and Children; Louie Bailey, conductor; Rhonda Hibdon, piano

Follow, follow the road. Where you've been is not the question, where it's goin' God only knows.

Follow, follow the road. The journey is the answer and the friends who tag along. Follow the road.

Are you wandering alone? Looking for the right way home? Don't keep blindly running.

The choice is yours in coming. Jesus is the truth, the life, the road.

You'll find questions on the way. Should you go or should you stay?

In the mystery walking, You'll find that God is talking. Take a step and you'll discover faith.

*Hymn of Community 486

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

WELLESLEY

WORDS FOR THE JOURNEY

CIRCLES OR LINES

Jason W. Crosby

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Andrea V. Woolley

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

VIDEO OFFERING

Passport/Summer Activities

*PENTECOST DOXOLOGY

Praise Be to God, the Spark of Creation

BUNESSAN

Praise be to God, the spark of creation, praise be to Christ, the fire of God's love,

Praise to the Spirit, burning within us, kindle our hearts with flames from above. Amen

Louie Bailey, Pentecost 2002

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP AND COMMUNITY

Jason W. Crosby

We gladly welcome all who desire to unite with the community of faith at Crescent Hill Baptist Church to come forward during the Hymn of Response and share that decision with the minister.

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

We, O God, Unite Our Voices

HYFRYDOL

See inside front cover of hymnal for text and music.

BENEDICTION

Jason W. Crosby

SILENCE

POSTLUDE

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing
Rhonda Hibdon, piano

NETTLETON, arr. Colleen Adent

* Worshipers are invited to rise, in body or spirit.

- We welcome to worship leadership Rhonda Hibdon, Organist/Music Director at New Goshen Presbyterian Church and music teacher and accompanist at the Highlands Latin School
- Worshipers are requested to turn off all cell phones and pagers.
- CDs of today's service are available in the sound booth following the service.
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