

# Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 26, 2019

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS AND THANKSGIVINGS

PRELUDE

OPENING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER..... Rev. Powers and Congregation

CALL TO WORSHIP ... *from Psalm 145*.....Pastor and Congregation

**God of the Cross, we come together as your people.  
We come as a praising people, singing your goodness;  
We come as a hungry people, longing to be fed;  
We come as a praying people, bringing our needs, our joys;  
We come as a journeying people, looking for direction.  
In this hour, empower us for faithful living.  
God of the Cross, we come to worship You.**

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP ... "Shout to the Lord".....Ensemble

SCRIPTURE LESSON ... *Romans 5:1-11*

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

<sup>6</sup>For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup>Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. <sup>8</sup>But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us. <sup>9</sup>Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God. <sup>10</sup>For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, much more surely, having been reconciled, will we be saved by his life. <sup>11</sup>But more than that, we even boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

HYMN ... "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"...vs. 1, 2 and 3.....339

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE.....Rebecca Blake

PRAYER OF CONFESSION.....Pastor and Congregation

**Almighty and most merciful God, we are thankful that your mercy is  
higher than the heavens,  
wider than our wanderings,  
deeper than all our sin.  
Forgive our careless attitudes toward your purposes,**

**our refusal to relieve the suffering of others,  
our envy of those who have more than we,  
our obsession with creating a life of constant pleasure,  
our indifference to the treasures of heaven,  
our neglect of your wise and gracious law.**

**Help us to change our way of life so that we may desire what is good,  
love what you love, and do what you command,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Hear the Good News, in the name of Jesus, you are forgiven.

**In the name of Jesus, you are forgiven.**

MORNING PRAYER.....Pastor

OFFERTORY HYMN... "Praise Him, Praise Him" .....354

OFFERTORY PRAYER.....Usher

OFFERTORY

SCRIPTURE ... *Philippians 2:9-11*

**Therefore God also highly exalted him  
and gave him the name that is above every name,  
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,  
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
and every tongue should confess  
that Jesus Christ is Lord,  
to the glory of God the Father.**

ANTHEM ... "Bless That Wonderful Name".....Choir

SERMON..... Pastor

CLOSING HYMN... "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"... vs. 1, 2 and 4.....497

BENEDICTION ..... Pastor

SHARING LOVE AND PEACE

POSTLUDE

## USHERS

TODAY ..... Barbara Smith's Team

NEXT SUNDAY..... Eugene Crisco's Team

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH

TODAY ..... Toni, Elana Kellis, Tammy Dunn

NEXT SUNDAY..... Pauline and McKenzie Jackson and Betty Green

## CALENDAR

### TODAY

9:00 a.m.....**BREAKFAST**

### WEDNESDAY

6:00 p.m. ....Supper ... **Cookout ... bring desserts**

6:45 p.m. .... Bible Study, Children and Youth Activities

### THURSDAY

11:00 a.m..... Community Meal

## PRAYER LIST

<i>Church family:</i> Wayne Abbott, Eddie and Sharon Reynolds, Katelyn Reynolds, Linda McNeill, Karen Dailey, Barbara Lynthacum, Florence Cagle, Thelma Hussey, Ernest Dailey, Janet Maness		
<i>At Home:</i> Helen Greene, Irene Warner		
<i>Friends and Relatives of:</i>		
Molly/Wayne Abbott	Monnie Jenkins	friend
	Tony Lawson	friend
	Toni Atchison	sister
	Tammy Laprade	sister
Sheila Capel	Ada Capel	mother
Jane Covington	Faye Thomas	sister
	Pete Thomas	brother-in-law
	Lee Kasik	grandson-in-law
Ernest , Karen Dailey	Judy and Estella	daughters
Mildred Grey	Ernestine Stevenson	friend
Ray, Frances Hudson		daughter
Thelma Hussey	Harold Johnson	brother
	Mildred Hunsucker	friend
Mary James	Benny McBride	friend
	Bob Moore	nephew
	Pam, Ken Morgan	niece, nephew
	Don Britt	nephew
Candy/Rodney Loflin	John Covington	brother
	Curtis Holt	friend
	Wesley Culler	friend
	Lois Loflin	mother
Max/Jane Luquire	Jo Brooks	friend
Barbara Lynthacum	J.D. Thompson	nephew
	Melissa Green	daughter
Jean Maness	Carol Luther	friend
Sylvia McAlister	Tammy Parker	friend
Pat/Bob Morgan	Jesse Wallace	friend
Nancy Ruppert	Marie Spoon	sister
Barbara Smith	Laura Wilson	friend
	Doris Hinson	friend
Angie McCaskill ... wife of Don McCaskill		
<i>Service Personnel:</i> Seth Spivey, Chris Stuart		

## FINANCIAL REPORT

**Weekly budget needs ... \$2,398.00**

**Monthly budget needs ..... \$10,393.00**

**Last week's offering .....\$2,923.00**

**April offering ..... \$ 7, 383.00**