



THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN MORRISTOWN

July 11, 2021

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Celebration of Worship

Thank you for protecting the health of the most vulnerable members of our community by keeping physical distance and by wearing masks while you are in the building.

Prelude Variation 1 from *Goldberg Variations*, BWV 988 J.S. Bach
Matthew Webb, piano

Call to Worship (*responsively*) The Reverend Leslie Dobbs-Allsopp

One: Let us hear what God the Lord will speak,

Many: for God will speak peace to his people,

One: to his faithful, to those who turn to God in their hearts.

Many: Surely God's salvation is at hand.

Hymn 35 Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty *Lobe den Herren*
Please hum along, read the words, and sing in your heart.

Prayer of Confession The Reverend Sarah Green

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our failure to be what you created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. By your loving mercy, help us to live in your light and abide in your ways, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

Silent Prayer

Assurance of Pardon (*responsively*)

One: Anyone in Christ is a new creation.

Many: **The old life has gone; a new life has begun.**

One: Know that in Christ we are forgiven, and be at peace.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

A Time for Young Christians

Alexandra Mead

Sacrament of Baptism

Miles MacLellan Calder, son of Greg and Stacy Calder

Landon John Savino, son of Troy and Courtney Savino

William Raymond Sokol, son of Matthew Sokol and Ashley Koning

One: Let us welcome the newly baptized.

All: **With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's church to share with us in his ministry, for we are all one in Christ.**

Prayer for Illumination

Patrick Allred

Holy God, let your Word rule in our hearts and your Spirit govern our lives until at last we see the fulfillment of your realm of justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Scripture Reading

Amos 7:7-15

Patrick Allred

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

Second Scripture Reading

Mark 6:14-21

Rev. Dobbs-Allsopp

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Plumb Lines

Rev. Dobbs-Allsopp

Offering

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Rev. Green

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.

Hymn 307

God of Grace and God of Glory

Cwm Rhondda

Please hum along, read the words, and sing in your heart.

Benediction

Rev. Dobbs-Allsopp

Postlude

Fanfare

William Mathias

Matthew Webb, organ

Today's service is led by the Reverend Leslie Dobbs-Allsopp, the Reverend Sarah Green, Dr. Matthew Webb, Alexandra Mead, Patrick Allred and the Choral Scholars.

Special thanks to our sound and video production teams for helping us share our services beyond the walls of our Sanctuary.

Flowers today are courtesy of the Stanton family in honor of the wedding of Courtney and Glenn.

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