

THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

THE TWELFTH DAY OF JUNE, TWO THOUSAND AND SIXTEEN
Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'clock

And now we thank You, our God, and praise Your glorious name. — 1 Chronicles 29:13

THE PRELUDE

“When Morning Gilds the Skies” arr. Wood
Jennifer Velázquez, Organist

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 96:1-4

The Minister: “Oh sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth!

The Congregation: Sing to the Lord, bless His name; tell of His salvation from day to day.

The Minister: Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples!

The Congregation: For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised; He is to be feared above all gods.”

*The Reverend Justin Jones
Assistant Pastor*

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord” No. 16

THE INVOCATION 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, for ever. *Amen.*

THE GLORIA PATRI

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O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
consider all the worlds Thy hands have made;
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy pow'r thro'out the universe displayed.
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to Thee:
how great Thou art, how great Thou art!

☞ *Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad at this time.* ☛

THE PRAYER FOR THE UPCOMING PCA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Adrian Yelverton, Ruling Elder

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

Jordan Michelle Gurley, 11:00 a.m.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Holy Lord, I have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, of failure to find Your mind in Your Word, of neglecting to seek You in my daily life. My transgressions and shortcomings present me with a list of accusations, but I bless You that they will not stand against me, for all have been laid on Christ. Go on to subdue my corruptions, and grant me grace to live above them. Let not the passions of the flesh nor lusts of the mind bring my spirit into subjection, but may You rule over me in liberty and power, through Jesus Christ our one Lord, Mediator and Redeemer. *Amen.*

THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

“There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, He condemned sin in the flesh, in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.” — *Romans 8:1, 3-4*

THE HYMN OF ASSURANCE

“Before the Throne”

Charitie Bancroft and Vikki Cook Vikki Cook



1. Be - fore the Throne of God a - bove, I have a
2. When Sa - tan tempts me to des - pair, and tells me
3. Be - hold Him there, the ris - en Lamb! My per - fect,



strong and per - fect plea; a great High Priest Whose name is
of the guilt with - in, up - ward I look and see Him
spot - less right - eous - ness. The great un - change - a - ble I



Love, Who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is
there, Who made an end to all my sin. Be - cause the
Am, the King of Glo - ry and of Grace. One with Him



grav - en on His hands. My name is writ - ten on His
sin - less Sav - ior died, my sin - ful soul is count ed
self, I can - not die. My soul is pur - chased by His



heart. I know that while in heav'n He stands, no tongue can
free. For God, the Just, is sat - is - fied to look on
blood. My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my



bid me thence de - part, no tongue can bid me thence de - part.
Him and par - don me, to look on Him and par - don me.
Sav - ior and my God, with Christ, my Sav - ior and my God.

THE STATEMENT OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism Q and A 26

The Minister: What do you believe when you say, “I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth”?

The Congregation: That the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who out of nothing created heaven and earth and everything in them, who still upholds and rules them by His eternal counsel and providence, is my God and Father because of Jesus Christ. I trust Him so much that I do not doubt He will provide whatever I need for body and soul, and He will turn to my good whatever adversity He sends me in this sad world. He is able to do this because He is almighty God; He desires to do this because He is a faithful Father.

THE DOXOLOGY

Nun Danket

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
the Son, and Him who reigns with them in highest heaven –
the one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore;
for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore. *Amen.*

THE OFFERTORY

“Jesus, Lover of My Soul” Diemer
*Christi Fleming, Flute
Harrison Howle, Director*

Jesus, lover of my soul, Let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll, While the tempest still is high.
Hide me, O my Savior hide, Till the storm of life is past;
Safe into the haven guide, O receive my soul at last.

Other refuge have I none; Hangs my helpless soul on Thee; Leave,
O leave me not alone, Still support and comfort me.
All my trust on Thee is stayed, All my help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenseless head With the shadow of Thy wing.

Thou, O Christ, art all I want; More than all in Thee I find.
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, Heal the sick, and lead the blind.
Just and holy is Thy name, I am all unrighteousness;
False and full of sin I am, Thou art full of truth and grace.

Plenteous grace with Thee is found, Grace to cover all my sin;
Let the healing streams abound, Make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art, Freely let me take of Thee;
Spring Thou up within my heart, Rise to all eternity.

THE SERMON

John 6:1-14 (*pew Bible page 891*)
“How Good Is Your Shepherd?”
*The Reverend Mike Malone
Assistant Pastor*

THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Our God, Our Help in Ages Past” No. 30

THE BENEDICTION

THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“Good Shepherd, May We Sing Thy Praise” Scott

Choir and Congregation

And so through all the length of days Thy goodness faileth never:
Good Shepherd, may we sing Thy praise within Thy house forever.

THE POSTLUDE

“I Will Sing the Wondrous Story” arr. Held

SERMON NOTES

June 12, 2016

John 6:1-14

“How Good Is Your Shepherd?”

The Reverend Mike Malone

WELCOME TO IPC

Visitors are special at IPC. Please fill out the Friendship Pad and pass it down the aisle so that we will know you were here. Join us on Wednesday evenings for our Fellowship Dinner at 5:30 p.m., followed by Bible Study.

Visitors interested in joining IPC are invited to attend our next *Pathway Class for Prospective Members*, July 10, 17, 24, and 31. For more information or to register, please contact Gayle Hardee, ghardee@indepres.org.

Our Worship Services are shown via live stream in the Chapel for families with babies/young children, latecomers, and for any other reason you might be more comfortable there. Additionally, a fully-staffed nursery is available during all services.

THE FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God by the Friendship Class with thankfulness and in honor of our Sunday School teachers, Matt Buyer, Richard Carter, and Ralph DelBove.

~Please enjoy your coffee outside of the Sanctuary. Thank you.~

Audio recordings of this morning's sermon are available in the bookstore immediately following the 8:30 worship service, or during the following week on the internet at www.indepres.org.

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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome into the membership of our church

the following new members:

Jordan Michelle Gurley
Mrs. Mike Malone (Barb)

OUR CHURCH TODAY | JUNE 12

8:30 a.m. Worship Service
8:30 a.m. K-Church (Kindergarten) and Jr. Church (Grades 1 & 2)
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
11:00 a.m. K-Church (Kindergarten) and Jr. Church (Grade 1)
12:15 p.m. VBS Decoration Day

44TH PCA GENERAL ASSEMBLY | JUNE 20-24, 2016

and

THE OVERTURE ON RACIAL RECONCILIATION

In the past several years, the Session of IPC has offered leadership in the area of racial reconciliation for and in the greater Memphis area. Our Session has written, approved, and passed a resolution on to Covenant Presbytery. Our presbytery, with one minor change, has forwarded this resolution to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in America. Our Session, in keeping with promoting the Peace in the City, is offering this resolution to you for your edification, peace and encouragement. Copies are located in the IPC Lobby and Narthex. You may also view a copy on our website, www.indepres.org.

To learn more about General Assembly and to stay up-to-date on daily events, visit <http://www.pcaac.org/general-assembly/links>.

VBS DECORATION DAY IS TODAY!

Today, following the 11:00 service, VBS Leaders and Teen Helpers will be decorating their rooms for VBS. Pizza will be provided for lunch.

IPC VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL BEGINS TOMORROW!

THE WILD WEST

JUNE 13-17 | 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

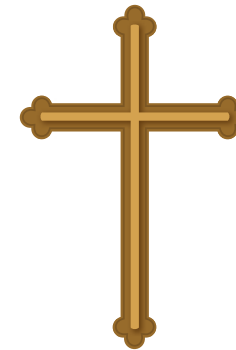
OUR CHURCH WEDNESDAY | VBS OUTREACH PICNIC

Bring your family and invite your friends to our 2016 VBS Outreach Picnic, this Wednesday, June 15, 5:30-7:30 p.m., on the Avon side of the church. Join us for grilled hamburgers and hotdogs, cotton candy, bouncies, and, of course, a dunk tank! The cost is just \$5/adult, \$3/child (age 3-10 years), and children under 3 are free, as are any guests! Don't miss this fun event!

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS IN JUNE | *Lord, Teach Us to Pray*

June 22 | Why Pray if God Is Sovereign? Rev. Ed Norton

June 29 | When God Says No. Why Didn't God Answer My Prayer? Rev. Jeremy Jones



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growing in community, and *going out* in love.