



News at Paw Creek

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Happy Birthday to Those Celebrating in August!

August 2
LeAnn Brenner
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August 5
Justin Cashion

August 7
Ed Chapman, III
Charlie Killian, III

August 8
Marsha Cathey

August 12
Tess Whitlock

August 13
Betty Bethune
Angela Young

August 14
Sue Rusevlyan
Judith Prestwood

August 16
Tommy Miller

August 17
Grant Gaskins

August 18
Doris Harrington

August 21
Brooke Kendrick

August 22
Jim Pinkston
Dina Salvo

August 23
Emily Adkins
Johnny Small
Jim Stogner
Skip Todd

August 24
Sarah Cox

August 25
Jenny Faust

August 27
Anna Rettew

August 28
Jane McArver

August 30
Jacob Burns
Dorsie White



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Service for the Lord's Day
Paw Creek Presbyterian Church • July 26, 2020
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Welcome

*The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God, and
the Communion of the Holy Spirit are in our midst. Thanks be to God!*

Prelude

How Great Is Our God / A Mighty Fortress Is Our God arr. Carol Tornquist

Call to Worship

Psalm 105

Give thanks to the LORD and call upon God's name;
make known the deeds of the LORD among the peoples.
Sing to the LORD, sing praises,
and speak of all God's marvelous works.
Glory in God's holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

Hymn 35

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

Praise ye the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near;
join me in glad adoration!

Praise ye the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been
granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise ye the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him!
Let the amen sound from his people again;
gladly for aye we adore him.

Prayer of the Day

Eternal God, protector of all who put their trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Fill us with your mercy and your grace, so that, with you to rule and guide, we may so use the good things of this present life that we do not neglect those of eternal worth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Matthew 13: 31-33, 44-52

Homily

"Finding Diamonds in the Rough"

The Rev. Betsy Williamson

Offertory*We Fall Down*

Chris Tomlin

Prayers of God's People

Beginning with announcements and prayer concerns; and concluding with

*The Lord's Prayer***Hymn 702***Christ Be Beside Me*

Christ be beside me; Christ be before me; Christ be behind me, King of my heart.

Christ be within me; Christ be below me; Christ be above me never to part.

Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand, Christ all around me, shield in the strife.

Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting, Christ in my rising, Light of my life.

Christ be in all hearts thinking about me; Christ be on all tongues telling of me.

Christ be the vision in eyes that see me; in ears that hear me Christ ever be.

Charge and Benediction**Postlude***Shout to the Lord*

Darlene Zschech

Guest Preacher

This morning we are pleased to welcome Rev. Betsy Williamson to the pulpit.

The Rev. Betsy Williamson is an Honorably Retired Minister member of the Presbytery of Charlotte. Before retirement, she served as Associate Pastor of Quail Hollow Presbyterian and Pastor of Amity Presbyterian churches. A second career pastor, she is a retired educator, serving as a teacher and in the central office of Charlotte-Mecklenburg, Union and Durham Schools. She is a native Charlottean, who grew up at Westminster Presbyterian.

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Seek..... Matthew 6:33
Serve 1 Samuel 12:24
Praise..... Psalm 111:1
Love Christ!.....1 John 4:12

Lord, we thank you for...

Have a Prayer Request? To put someone on our prayer chain, obtain permission from the person or family involved, then call:
Judy Smith (704) 392-2892
-or-
Ann Cashion (704) 301-0126

Know someone Who Needs a Visit? Please contact the Church Office or Rev. Elliott Hipp (704) 392-0329

Online Giving is Now Available

Paw Creek has now implemented Online Giving for the convenience of church members and our friends who worship with us. Please go to our website at www.pawcreekpc.org and follow the link on the home page.



Once you click on this link, you will be directed to set up an account. You may make this gift as a one time transaction, or you can set up recurring payments. You may use your bank account information to create this payment, or you may use your debit or credit card. (If you use your debit or credit card, you will also be given the option to add the transaction fee to your payment if you choose to do so)



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Upcoming Sermon Titles

Sunday, July 26

Guest Preacher - Rev. Betsy Williamson
Matthew 13: 31-33, 44-52
“Finding Diamonds in the Rough”

Sunday, August 9

Matthew 7: 24-29
“Faith of Fear?”

Sunday, August 2

Matthew 7: 21-23
“Speak Softly and Carry a Big Heart”

Sunday, August 16

Matthew 14: 13-21
“The Broken Pieces”