

Brandon Presbyterian Church

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Morning Worship

The Lord's Day, June 27, 2021

During the prelude, please prepare your heart to worship our gracious, Almighty God together.

Meditation

JOHN OWEN

"There is no death of sin without the death of Christ."

Prelude

MARSHA GLOVER / PIANIST

"Shout to the Lord" arr. by Darlene Zschech and Hillsong Publishing

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship *

PSALM 68:34-35

Leader: Ascribe power to God,

People: whose majesty is over Israel, and whose power is in the skies.

Leader: Awesome is God from his sanctuary;

People: the God of Israel - he is the one who gives power and strength to his people. Blessed be God!

Hymn of Praise *

N^o 580

"Lead On, O King Eternal"

1 Lead on, O King eternal, the day of march has come;
henceforth in fields of conquest they tents shall be our home:
through days of preparation they grace has made us strong,
and now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song.

2 Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
and holiness shall whisper the sweet amen of peace;
for not with swords loud clashing, nor roll of stirring drums,
but deeds of love and mercy, the heav'nly kingdom comes.

3 Lead on, O King eternal: we follow, not with fears;
for gladness breaks like morning where e'er thy face appears;
thy cross is lifted o'er us; we journey in its light:
the crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might.

Invocation *

Hymn of Praise *

N^o 565

"All for Jesus!"

1 All for Jesus! All for Jesus! All my being's ransomed pow'rs,
all my thoughts and words and doings, all my days and all my hours.

2 Let my hands perform his bidding, let my feet run in his ways;
let my eyes see Jesus only, let my lips speak forth his praise.

3 Worldlings prize their gems of beauty, cling to gilded toys of dust,
boast of wealth and fame and pleasure; only Jesus will I trust.

4 Since my eyes were fixed on Jesus, I've lost sight of all beside;
so enchained my spirit's vision, looking at the Crucified.

5 O what wonder! How amazing! Jesus, glorious King of kings,
deigns to call me his beloved, lets me rest beneath his wings.

Responsive Reading

Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q&A 27

Q. Wherein did Christ's humiliation consist?

A. **Christ's humiliation consisted in his being born, and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross; in being buried, and continuing under the power of death for a time.**

Pastoral Prayer

Special Music

“El Shaddai”

MARSHA GLOVER / PIANIST

Dismiss Children For Children’s Church (3 & 4 year olds)

Reading of Holy Scripture

LUKE 7:36-50

³⁶When one of the Pharisees invited Jesus to have dinner with him, he went to the Pharisee’s house and reclined at the table. ³⁷A woman in that town who lived a sinful life learned that Jesus was eating at the Pharisee’s house, so she came there with an alabaster jar of perfume. ³⁸As she stood behind him at his feet weeping, she began to wet his feet with her tears. Then she wiped them with her hair, kissed them and poured perfume on them. ³⁹When the Pharisee who had invited him saw this, he said to himself, “If this man were a prophet he would know who is touching him and what kind of woman she is—that she is a sinner.” ⁴⁰Jesus answered him, “Simon, I have something to tell you.” “Tell me, teacher,” he said. ⁴¹“Two people owed money to a certain moneylender. One owed him five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. ⁴²Neither of them had the money to pay him back, so he forgave the debts of both. Now which of them will love him more?” ⁴³Simon replied, “I suppose the one who had the bigger debt forgiven.” “You have judged correctly,” Jesus said. ⁴⁴Then he turned toward the woman and said to Simon, “Do you see this woman? I came into your house. You did not give me any water for my feet, but she wet my feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair. ⁴⁵You did not give me a kiss, but this woman, from the time I entered, has not stopped kissing my feet. ⁴⁶You did not put oil on my head, but she has poured perfume on my feet. ⁴⁷Therefore, I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven—as her great love has shown. But whoever has been forgiven little loves little.” ⁴⁸Then Jesus said to her, “Your sins are forgiven.” ⁴⁹The other guests began to say among themselves, “Who is this who even forgives sins?” ⁵⁰Jesus said to the woman, “Your faith has saved you; go in peace.”

Sermon

DR. GUY P WATERS

“Encounters With Jesus: A Scandalous Woman”

Hymn of Response *

N^o 699

“Like a River Glorious” (Frances Havergal)

1 Like a river glorious is God’s perfect peace, over all victorious in its bright increase; perfect, yet it floweth fuller ev’ry day, perfect, yet it groweth deeper all the way.

Refrain:

Stayed upon Jehovah, hearts are fully blest, finding, as he promised, perfect peace and rest.

2 Hidden in the hollow of his blessed hand, never foe can follow, never traitor stand; not a surge of worry, not a shade of care, not a blast of hurry, touch the spirit there. [Refrain]

3 Ev’ry joy or trial falleth from above, traced upon our dial by the Sun of Love. We may trust him fully all for us to do; they who trust him wholly find him wholly true. [Refrain]

Offertory Prayer

Doxology *

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

Benediction

* Congregation Standing

Sermon Notes

Luke 7:36-50

“Encounters With Jesus: A Scandalous Woman”

1. A Stubborn Sinner

2. A Forgiven Sinner

ONLINE DIRECTORY

The Online Church Directory will no longer be available after Wednesday, June 30. Lifetouch has now gone out of business due to COVID-19. You may wish to download the most recent updated directory. If you need the link and access code call or email the church office and Barbara will give it to you.



The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in memory of Dr. Jack Aldridge by Scotty & Nancilynn Dickey.

Announcements

Communion: Please prepare your hearts to receive the Lord’s Supper on July 4. We are going back to our traditional method of having our elders serve the communion. We still have self-service available for those that want it and for the overflow room in the Fellowship Hall.

byFaith Magazines: byFaith magazines have arrived and are in the breezeway.

Book Study: Parents and Children will meet this evening at the church from 5:30 - 7:00 PM. Parents will study *First Ask Why?* with John and Ashley Belknap leading. Children will eat, study *The Young Peacemaker*, and play. (No activities July 4th) Questions??? please see Nate or Susan Inman.

Golf Tournament: There is a sign up sheet for the Will Brown Memorial Golf Tournament on the Bulletin Board. If you would be interested in participating; don’t forget to sign up. **Names need to be turned in by July to get this tournament confirmed for Saturday, October 9.** Thank you, Buford.

Flowers: 2021 calendar is on the bulletin board downstairs. If you have a date you prefer, please sign up early to reserve that date. Feel free to call the church office to sign up.

2021 Offering Envelopes: Offering envelopes are in the breezeway.

BELL RINGERS: Today: Taylor Vance **Next Week:** William Belknap

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIAL UPDATES

Worship Service (10:00):	June 20	97
Live Views		6
Total Online Views		14
Sunday School		72
Last Week’s Offering:		\$27,532.00
Online Giving:		\$2,595.00
Weekly Budgeted Offering:		\$7,161.00
Year-to-Date Giving:		\$206,220.00
Year-to-Date Budgeted Giving		\$171,864.00 (+27,195.00)

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Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 8:30 AM — 12:30 PM

IN PRAYER

- **MTW Missionary of the Month:** Joe & Laurel Barnes
- **Ministry of the Month:** Harris & Laura Beth Bond (Quachita Presbyterian Church)
- **Shepherding Group of the Week:** Scotty Dickey, Andrew Rush
- **Child(ren) of the Week:** Georgia Williams
- **College Student of the Week:** Samuel Hellier
- God would bless us with new **conversions, visitors, families, & members.**



- **Jimmy Carman:** still no diagnosis on his eye problem; waiting for one more test on July 8th. May possibly be a nerve-muscle disconnect.
- **Bill Glover:** must remain in knee brace until mid-July per surgeon's instructions; has been struggling with pain but having less problems from dizziness.
- **Jacquelyn Thornell** (Church Organist): fell & had a total left hip replacement . Her surgery went well; She is at Highland Home, Ridgeland for rehab.
- **Frank Clayton:** home recuperating; still in some pain. please continue to pray for his complete recovery.
- **Cindy Vredeveld** (Julie Rogers' sister-in law): is in a nursing home now. She still needs a lot of personal care. She is making slow progress; has been able to take a few steps using a walker.
- **Albert Alllen:** fell and hit his head. He is now recovering at Wisteria; please keep him in your prayers.
- **Jennifer McDonald** (Julie Rogers' daughter): still has not gotten her sense of smell back after having COVID-19; please pray that the blood clots that she has will go away.
- **Daisy Lucas** (Kathy & Jim Smith's niece): chronic liver disease; responding well to medication.
- **Danny Fillingner** (Karen Whitney's father): fell & broke 5 ribs; home now on oxygen. Pray for full recovery and strength.
- **Alex Word Adams:** expecting mother; due date June 27.

Loved ones battling cancer:

- **Will Glover** (Marsha & Bill Glover's Son): his MRI showed a substantial spread of cancer. He saw the UMMC neurologist/oncologist Monday. Hospice has been recommended.
- **Jim Smith:** pancreatic cancer; doing well. We are so very thankful and grateful to report that Jim has had another stable scan. We are so appreciative of all the pray-ers and all the prayers from our church family.
- **Andrew Gerrard** (Jo Stanford's Nephew): desmoplastic small round cell tumor(s); has undergone several rounds of chemo prescribed by MDA. The tumors have remained stable; doctors are please with this, as there are ongoing studies and trials which seem promising. This stability buys time in hopes that a new treatment will emerge that will be successful.
- **Sherrill Smith** (Jim Smith's sister): brain & lung cancer; has completed radiation on brain tumors and has begun chemo for the lung cancer.
- **Gib Vredeveld** (Julie Rogers' Father): esophageal cancer; good report from the oncologist; they are pleased that the cancer is slowly progressing and not creating too many problems; tires easily some days but for the most part is doing well; next oncologist follow up is in July.
- **John** (French Camp Student): stage 4 Lymphoma; spread to his bones; admitted to St. Jude; started chemo Jan 27th.
- **Andrew McCall** (Son of Rev. & Mrs. Perry McCall): acute leukemia; celebrated his 15th birthday, Jan 18th.
- **Terry McGinty** (Kerri Matthews' Uncle): prostate cancer; has metastasized to the bone; weak, difficulty walking; receiving treatment.
- **Sarah Parks Martin** (relative of Bob and Carol Booth & PCA pastor's wife): breast cancer; through with Chemo, doing well.
- **Presbyterian pastors in MS fighting cancer:** Alan Stanton, Pinehaven in Clinton (brain tumor); Richard Owens, Westminster Pres, Greenwood (brain tumor)



- **Service members:** Glenn Stewart (S. Korea; Sam Heath's nephew); Jesse Thomas Dickey; Matthew Hellier (Japan); S.T. Heath; Joey Brown (Barbara Fowler's nephew)



- **Nursing home residents & shut-ins:** Dr. John Adams, Martha Baker, Joe Berryhill, Evelyn Culpepper, Bob & Jody Nelson, , Laverne Roberts