



**"YOUR FAITH
HAS MADE
YOU WELL..."**

Sunday Morning Worship

October 24, 2021

9:30 am



**Service for the Lord's Day: Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost
October 24, 2021 9:30 am**

*indicates congregation is invited to stand in body and/or in spirit;
bolded words indicate congregational participation

Gathering Song # 427

"Jesus Knows the Inmost Heart"

Loe De Ísá

Refrain:

Jesus knows the inmost heart:
nothing can be hidden. Jesus knows the
inmost heart:
nothing can be hidden.

When our lives are in his hand
nothing can his work withstand;
his forgiveness sets us free,
saves us for eternity. *[Refrain]*

This our sinful hearts require:
flame of God's refining fire,
working in us day by day till the dross is
burned away. *[Refrain]*

So our faith will be restored
by the word of Christ our Lord;
for the warmth his love imparts
melts the very hardest hearts. *[Refrain]*

Jesus knows our deepest fears,
knows the pain of hidden tears.
By his words of love and peace
every heart can find release. *[Refrain]*

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

*Please sign the online friendship pad making use of your
smartphone camera to do so. This allows us to know you are
worshipping with us this morning. You may also include any
prayer requests or concerns you may have with Pastor Kathryn.*



Prelude

Cynthia Hartis

Call to Worship

With our lips and with our hearts:
we bless God in every moment of our lives.

With our ears and with our hearts:
we will hear the cries of our sisters and brothers, in every painful moment, in every broken place.

With every gift and with our hearts:
we will serve God and all of God's children, with every moment of our lives.

Let us worship God!

*Opening Hymn of Praise # 65 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" CWM Rhondda

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah,
pilgrim through this barren land.

I am weak, but thou art mighty.

Hold me with thy powerful hand.

Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,

feed me till I want no more;

feed me till I want no more.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
bid my anxious fears subside.

Death of death, and hell's destruction,
land me safe on Canaan's side.

Songs of praises, songs of praises

I will ever give to thee;

I will ever give to thee.

Open now the crystal fountain,
whence the healing stream doth flow.

Let the fire and cloudy pillar

lead me all my journey through.

Strong deliverer, strong deliverer,

be thou still my strength and shield;

be thou still my strength and shield.

*Prayer of Confession

Nancy Gible

Gracious and holy God, we admit that it is easier to have pain-causing words on our lips, than praise for another. Our foolishness often keeps us from seeing the deep hurts and hunger of the suffering who are around us. We stand by the side of the road, afraid to step forward in faith, afraid to trust that you are with us, afraid to cry out for healing and hope.

We are not people who repent in ashes and dust, but we do know we need your mercy, and ask that you forgive our faithlessness, our fears, our hurts. Healer of all people, we lift our hearts and souls to you, that through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we might find your grace, discover your love, and serve your people in your name. (Time for silent confession.) Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

***Hymn Response # 447**

We are forgiven.
We are forgiven.
Thanks be to God.
Thanks be to God.

“We Are Forgiven”

We are forgiven.
We are forgiven.
Thanks be to God.
Thanks be to God.

Hopson

Time for (All of God’s) Children

Prayer for Illumination

First Reading – Psalm 34:1-8, 19-22

This reading will be accompanied by a Psalter, Hymn # 544, “Bless the Lord.” Please sing as directed.

*Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God’s Holy Name.
Bless the Lord, my soul, who leads me into life.*

Gospel Reading – Mark 10:46-52

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Your Faith Has Made You Well

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

***Hymn # 795 “Healer of Our Every Ill”**

Refrain:

Healer of our every ill, light of each
tomorrow,
give us peace beyond our fear,
and hope beyond our sorrow.

You who know our fears and sadness,
grace us with your peace and gladness;
Spirit of all comfort, fill our hearts. *[Refrain]*

In the pain and joy beholding
how your grace is still unfolding,
give us all your vision, God of love. *[Refrain]*

Give us strength to love each other,
every sister, every brother;
Spirit of all kindness, be our guide. *[Refrain]*

You who know each thought and feeling,
teach us all your way of healing;
Spirit of compassion, fill each heart. *[Refrain]*

Sharing Our Fellowship Family’s Celebrations and Concerns

Prayers of the People and 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, forever. Amen.

Offering

(Tithes and offerings can be placed in the offering plate, mailed to the church office, through bank draft, or made through online donation – information on how to do that is in the announcements below. Thank you for supporting the mission and ministry of Fellowship Presbyterian Church.)

Offertory

“What the Lord Has Done in Me” (Morgan/Larson)

Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn # 172

“Blest Are They”

David Haas

Blest are they, the poor in spirit;
theirs is the kingdom of God.
Blest are they, full of sorrow;
They shall be consoled.

Refrain:

Rejoice and be glad!
Blessed are you; holy are you!
Rejoice and be glad!
Yours is the Kingdom of God!

Blest are they, the lowly ones;
they shall inherit the earth.
Blest are they, who hunger and thirst;
they shall have their fill. *[Refrain]*

Blest are they who show mercy;
mercy shall be theirs.
Blest are they, the pure of heart;
they shall see God. *[Refrain]*

Blest are they who seek peace;
they are the children of God.
Blest are they who suffer in faith;
the glory of God is theirs. *[Refrain]*

Blest are you who suffer hate,
all because of me.
Rejoice, and be glad; yours is the kingdom;
shine for all to see. *[Refrain]*

*Charge and Benediction

*Passing of the Peace

The Peace of Christ Be with You!

Worship Participants

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

Pastor

Rev. Blake Tickle

Music Director

Cynthia Hartis

Piano

Nancy Gibble

Liturgist

Charles Layno

Technical Support

Steve Brandt

Technical Support

Worship Liturgy used with permission from Thom Shuman (Lectionary Liturgies), John Wurster (Presbyterian Outlook); CCLI License 11488414; OneLicense.net A-731070.

Prayer Concerns and Celebrations

- **Barbara Smith** is having a cardiac ablation procedure at Cone Hospital on 10/28.
- Our condolences to **Peggy Koppel and the Cobbs family** as her Aunt Whitney has passed away leaving her husband, Bill Cobbs, alone.
- Toni Lindahl asks for prayers for her daughter-in-law's mother, **Felicia Schaps**, who underwent surgery this week to repair a loose screw from a previous back surgery, which has left her vertebrae fractured and painful.
- Tom Harrison requests prayers for his walking friend, **Mike**, who suffered a stroke last week and is now recovering at home.
- Susie Knorr requests prayers for her uncle, **Paul Williams**, who has been admitted to the hospital with sepsis and pneumonia, he will enter hospice care this week.
- Nora Burleson seeks prayers for her grandson **Yancey**. He broke his jaw in a baseball accident, had surgery 10/14, and will be wired shut for 4 weeks.
- Terry Anderson requests prayers for her coworker, **Teresa**, who is battling cancer.
- John Archambault requests prayers for his cousin, **Michelle**, who had surgery last week, including biopsy.
- Aimee Stevens requests prayers for her aunt, **Donna Ritter**, who has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.
- The Throckmorton's request prayers for their friend, **Tyler Osbourne**, who was hit by a car when picking up grass clippings in his neighbor's yard.
- **Jen Mauney** and her mother, **Edith Jordan**, request prayer for recovery from COVID.
- **Bryan Revels**, Mary Howe's brother-in-law, remains hospitalized at Cone Hospital and prayers are requested concerning his further care.
- **Ashley Long**, Joel and Ann Long's daughter-in-law, has multiple diagnosed ailments and is under medical care for undiagnosed symptoms. Joel and Ann are helping them care for grandchildren while Zack tends to his wife's needs.
- Helen Rogers' grandson, **Jesse**, needs our prayers as he lives near the California wildfires.
- Prayers for our homebound: **Ruth Trace** and **Lea Groves**.
- Continued prayers for our church members: **Donna, Katie & the Steele family, John Meyler, Nancy Baughman, Bruce Weaver, Marjorie Van Horn**.
- Continued prayers for the family and friends of our congregation: **Art Herron**, (Peggy Koppel's neighbor), **Gail Keefe** (John Archambault's colleague), **John Fair** (FPC's former organist), **Joyce Berger** (Kandee's mother), **Ed & Rachel Kershner** (Linda Kershner's son and granddaughter), **Gwen Flowers & her family** (Linda Ueland's sister), **Dorothy & Edward Archambault** (John Archambault's parents), **Roe Roe Tucker** (friend of Lesa & Charles Layno), **Arch Gravely** (Peggy Koppel's cousin), **Tim King family** (Phyllis King's son).

If you have any additional prayer concerns, please contact Linda Ueland (336-314-5481) or call Martha at the church (336-288-5177).

Announcements

- The Session calls a **Congregational Meeting for Sunday, October 31**, following worship for the sole purpose of electing the Session Ruling Elders class of 2024.
- **November 12-13: Woodridge Arts & Craft Association's Holiday Sale with Café – is back!** Fellowship's Annual Holiday Café will be operating on Friday, November 12th from 9am to 7pm and Saturday, November 13th from 9am to 3pm. Donations of time, soup, and desserts are needed! Please look for the sign-up sheet in the Dogwood Lobby.
- **Hymnals have returned!** If you are worshipping in-person, hymnals are now available for use during worship if desired. The Worship and Music Committee requests that they be both acquired and returned to the Narthex before and after worship. The hymnals must be stored for safe-keeping after worship or they will be damaged by the sanitizing process.
- **All Saints Sunday** will be recognized on November 7. All Saints Sunday is a day in our worship calendar when we recognize and celebrate those whom we love who have died, particularly in the previous twelve months. To honor those whom we love, we will need your help. If you would like to recognize a loved one whom has died, please submit a picture to Martha in the church office no later than Friday, October 29, at noon so they may be used during worship on November 7. The picture can be digital (via email) or framed. If you have any questions, please ask Pastor Kathryn.
- **White Voices Against Racism** presents an opportunity to join the conversation: **One City, One Film** with the Greensboro Chamber. Participants are invited to watch the movie "13th" and join the conversation. The Greensboro Chamber plans to host 2-hour community discussions on the film in November. *White Voices Against Racism* is also planning a watch party several days before group sessions; details to come.
- **Volunteering with Applewood, Backpack Beginnings, and Greensboro Housing Authority:** Fellowship has started an ongoing partnership between Backpack Beginnings, GHA, and The Applewood Community. Please contact Mary Howe to sign up for one of the Wednesday opportunities (maryhowe0712@gmail.com or call/text 336-698-6541). A signup is also available online and in the Dogwood Lobby.
 - **Additional Way to Support Backpack Beginnings!** The Mission Committee is collecting "gently used" plastic grocery bags for *Backpack Beginnings*. Please bring any you have to church with you, leaving them on the Mission table in the Dogwood Lobby closest to the double doors leading towards the classrooms.
- **Sign the Friendship Pad, win a tumbler!** The Outreach Committee is providing an incentive to create a habit of signing the online friendship pad. Those who complete the friendship pad (whether in person or online) for their family each week are eligible for a monthly drawing to win a Fellowship tumbler! If you have questions, please visit the Welcome Desk in the Narthex.
- **Online giving is available:** Fellowship Presbyterian has online giving, available through the Presbyterian Foundation. <http://fpcgso.com/donations>

- **Guidelines for Safe Return to Worship** are posted at the Office and Dogwood Lobby doors for your review. ***Because of the surgency of the Delta Variant of the COVID virus, all are being asked, regardless of vaccination status, to wear masks inside the building as a means of caring for one another.*** If you have questions, please contact Pastor Kathryn or Julie Davis, Clerk of Session.

This Week's Events

- **October 24:**
 - **9:30am:** Worship – in-person (with masks), on Facebook Live, and Zoom
 - **10:30am:** Fellowship Time – in Dogwood Lobby
 - **10:45am:** Education for All
- **October 26, 7pm:** Session meets via Zoom
- **October 27:**
 - **7am:** Men's Coffee Klatch @ Panera Bread (Lawndale)
 - **12 noon:** Bulletin and Blast Deadline
- **October 28, 1pm:** Bridge in the Parlor
- **October 31:**
 - **9:30am:** Worship – in-person (with masks), on Facebook Live, and Zoom
 - **Immediately after Worship:** Congregational Meeting – in-person and via Zoom
 - **10:30am:** Fellowship Time – in Dogwood Lobby
 - **10:45am:** Education for All