

THE  
GEORGETOWN  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH

*Sunday, August 5, 2018*  
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost  
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

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PRELUDE	Chorale Prelude on a Melody by Orlando Gibbons	Healey Willan (1880-1968)
WELCOME	Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. <b>People: And also with you.</b>	
INTROIT	Jesus Is Passing This Way	William Howard Doane (1832-1915) Katherine Riddle, soprano
CALL to WORSHIP <i>Adapted from Ephesians 4</i>	Leader: There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, <b>People: one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.</b> Leader: Let us worship God.	
✦ HYMN 12	Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise	<i>St. Denio</i>

✦ *Please stand or sit.*

*As a courtesy to others, please turn off your cell phone and no flash photography during the service.*

PRAYER *of* CONFESSION

Leader: I said I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.

**People: And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Leader: Let us pray.

**All: Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and have turned them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ.** (Silent prayer)

ASSURANCE *of* PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News.

**People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

✦ GLORIA PATRI

*Glory to God, #581*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

TIME *with* CHILDREN

*Children recess up the center aisle to Children's Worship. Pre-K and K-2nd go downstairs, and 3rd-5th go to the Chapel. There are leaders for each, and children can be picked up by following the signs from the narthex.*

✦ HYMN 618

O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High

*Deo Gracias*

PRAYER *for* ILLUMINATION

Elder Cynthia Farrell Johnson

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 55:6-13

p. 761

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

SECOND LESSON

Luke 19:1-9

p. 84

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

I Could Be Wrong

Rev. Christopher Chatelaine-Samsen

✦ HYMN 509

All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

*Holy Manna*

✦ DOXOLOGY

*Glory to God, #607*

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

✦ PRAYER *of* THANKSGIVING

✦ THE NICENE CREED

**I believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; and in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds; God of God; Light of Light; Very God of Very God; begotten, not made; being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation, came down from heaven; and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the scriptures; and ascended into heaven; and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of Life; who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spake by the prophets. And I believe in one Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead; and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

THE SACRAMENT *of the* LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION *and*

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*prayer continues....*

*prayer continues....*

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name: **Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

PRAYERS *of the* PEOPLE  
*and the* LORD'S PRAYER  
*Written by Christian Intensive  
Leadership participants*

**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**

BREAKING *of the* BREAD

Jesus, Lamb of God,  
**Have mercy on us.**  
Jesus, bearer of our sins,  
**Have mercy on us.**  
Jesus, redeemer of the world,  
**Grant us peace.**

DISTRIBUTION *of the*  
ELEMENTS

*All are welcome to come forward to share in the bread and cup. Please come forward, one row at a time, up the center aisle and return via the side aisle. If you are seated in a side pew, please enter the line from the back of the sanctuary up the center aisle. If you are unable to come forward, but wish to receive communion, a pastor will come to you.*

ANTHEM

Let Us Break Bread Together

African American Spiritual  
arr. R. Walters

✦ PRAYER *after* COMMUNION

✦ HYMN 846

Fight the Good Fight

*Duke Street*

BENEDICTION

RESPONSE

Will You Come and Follow Me

Scottish Melody (arr. John Bell)

POSTLUDE

Pièce Héroïque

César Franck (1822-1890)

## *About Today's Service*

**Today's Music:** Katherine Riddle is our vocal soloist this morning. She sings an arrangement of the African American Spiritual "Let Us Break Bread Together" and a setting of a text by Isaac Watts titled "We Are a Garden Walled Around." Beautiful in its imagery of Christ as the gardener of his people: "We are a garden walled around, Chosen and made peculiar ground; A little spot enclosed by grace Out of the world's wide wilderness."

**Flowers:** The flowers in the Chancel today are dedicated to the glory of God.

Thank you to the many volunteers who make Sundays possible.

**Ushers:** Alex Bullock (Captain), Elizabeth Avery, Doug Hillhouse, Charlotte Mattison, Karl Mattison, Lauren Mattison, Lewis Mattison, Molly Mattison, Jack Porter, Russell Porter, Marianne Roos, David Roll, and Nancy Roll.

**Punch Bunch:** Hosted by Meredith Wilson

**Sunday School Teachers and Children's**

**Worship Leaders:** Claire Gillum, Ann Abanto, Casey Nolan, and Monica Sarmiento.

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## Weekly Calendar

*Sunday, August 5*

- 9:30am Nursery Opens
- 9:45am Summer Singing
- 10am Worship - Communion
- 11am Operation Backpack
- 11am Punch Bunch
- 11am Deacon's Meeting
- 5pm Yoga

*Monday, August 6*

- 6:30pm Nominating Committee Meeting

*Tuesday, August 7*

- 11am GPC Staff Meeting

*Saturday, August 11*

- 9am New Member Conference

*Sunday, August 12*

- 9:30am Nursery Opens
- 9:45am Summer Singing
- 10am Worship
- 11am Adult Ministries Meeting
- 11am Punch Bunch
- 4pm G'town Sunday Dinner
- 5pm Yoga

## Daily Readings

- Sun* John 6:24-35
- Mon* Ephesians 4:17-24
- Tue* Deuteronomy 8
- Wed* Isaiah 55:1-9
- Thu* Romans 15:1-6
- Fri* Galatians 6:1-10
- Sat* Matthew 7:7-11
- Sun* Ephesians 4:25-5:2

## Announcement Highlights

Interested in becoming a GPC member? Our next **New Member Conference** is *August 11* from 9-12pm. Join us for a casual morning in the Georgetown Room to review the basics of Christianity and the Reformed Tradition, discuss what Presbyterians believe, and learn how this all comes together at GPC.

**Calling gerontologists and gardeners, tour guides and tea enthusiasts!** Got a hobby, talent, story or job that you can bring to *one* week of Sunday School? We need **YOU** to share what you love with our kids! Email Children's Ministry Director Jennie Lopez at [jdl@gtownpres.org](mailto:jdl@gtownpres.org).

## Happy Birthday

- Aug 5* Mona Boatwright
- Aug 6* Mildred Grant  
Judy Hopkins
- Aug 7* Katie Krokowski
- Aug 8* Ethan Hill
- Aug 9* Joel Hinzman  
Marjorie West
- Aug 10* Thomas Bergamo
- Aug 11* Pamela Sorensen

## Connect

[gtownpres.org/connect](http://gtownpres.org/connect)

Save the date for a Young Adults' **Day on the Bay** at the home of Roni Haggart and Chuck Work on the Eastern Shore on *September 8*. Stay tuned for an invitation.

Registration for our fall session of **Music for Tots** is now open! All tots between 0-4 are welcome to join us on Friday mornings for singing, dancing, and learning about Jesus, with children's music director, "Ms. Gina." Class begins *September 14*. The cost for the fall session is \$75. Register online at [gtownpres.org/connect/music-for-tots](http://gtownpres.org/connect/music-for-tots), or email Jennie Lopez at [jdl@gtownpres.org](mailto:jdl@gtownpres.org).

## Worship

[gtownpres.org/worship](http://gtownpres.org/worship)

While Pastor Camille is on sabbatical this summer, we will have a line-up of exciting guest preachers.

*Aug 12* Rev. Craig Goodrich, Senior Pastor at the First Presbyterian Church of Naples and Former Member/Trustee of GPC

*Aug 26* Rev. Jennifer Dunfee, Chaplain at the National Presbyterian School

## Learn

[gtownpres.org/learn](http://gtownpres.org/learn)

GPC offers educational opportunities for all ages. Visit our website for more information.

## Serve

[gtownpres.org/serve](http://gtownpres.org/serve)

Join us after worship for **Operation Backpack** in the Georgetown Room *today*. We will assemble over 100 backpacks for DC students preparing to return to school. All ages are welcome!

**Serve a meal** to our neighbors in need. Second Sundays at GPC, and last Saturdays at Mt. Zion UMC, we serve over 70 women and men. Sign-up to serve at our next dinner on *August 12*.

Sign up at [gtownpres.org/serve](http://gtownpres.org/serve) for a build-day with **Habitat for Humanity** in DC on *August 25*.

## Children's Ministry Leaders Needed!

Sadly, we've said goodbye to our wonderful student teachers, and we need folks who feel called to step up to the plate. This is a serious commitment, but leaders will have lots of support (and training!), and you get to work with a great group of elementary kids. Minimum commitment of six Sundays at 10 a.m. If you're interested, please talk to Pastor Rachel.

Greeting cards featuring **Excel Academy** student artwork are available in the Georgetown Room and online at [gtownpres.org/sharethelove](http://gtownpres.org/sharethelove). 100% of the proceeds from these cards will go to the Family Assistance Fund, a fund dedicated to helping at-risk students and families with food, clothing, and shelter assistance.

# *Serving our city, united in Christ.*

Welcome to the Georgetown Presbyterian Church

**If you are here for the first time, we extend a special welcome to you.** Please take a moment to read through the bulletin which contains important information for the life of this congregation.

- Ushers are wearing red lapel tags and are in the back of the Sanctuary. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask them.
- Assisted listening devices can be found in the back of the Sanctuary in a marked basket.
- Please join us after worship for a time of fellowship and food.

## **Children are always welcome!**

- If you need to step out, there is a room near the front doors with a television which shows the service, and resources for small children. For older children, there are purple bags near the front doors with coloring supplies.
- For our youngest children through 2 years old, child care is available upstairs beginning at 9:30am
- After the Time with Children in the service, children can remain with their families, or exit the Sanctuary with one of the pastors to continue age-appropriate worship. Please feel free to escort your children to their classroom to meet the leaders. More information is available in the Order of Worship.

## **Navigating the Service**

- Stars ✦ indicate when you are invited (but not required) to stand.
- Bold text indicates that the congregation says this together, in one voice.
- Hymns can be found in the purple hymnals. Bibles are located at the end of the pews. Large print hymnals are available in the back of the sanctuary.



The Georgetown Presbyterian Church has been a steadfast presence in our nation's capital since 1780, ministering to generations of Washingtonians, serving our city, united in Christ. For more of our history, visit [gtownpres.org/us/history](http://gtownpres.org/us/history).

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